TWENTY-THIRD CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

THIRD REGULAR SESSION, 2024

C.B. NO. 23-90

A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend section 801 of title 41 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia (Annotated), as amended by Public Law No. 18-69, to prohibit the smoking of any nicotine delivery device including but not limited to vapes, vape pens, vaporizers e-cigarettes, e-pens, e-pipes, e-hookahs, and e-cigars on national government property, and for other purposes.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA:

1 Section 1. Section 801 of title 41 of the Code of the

2 Federated States of Micronesia, as amended by Public Law No.

3 18-69, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

4 "Section 801. <u>Smoking of tobacco prohibited on National</u>
5 Government property; Signs.

Smoking of any tobacco product and/or nicotine 6 (1)7 delivery device, including but not limited to, 8 cigarettes, cigars, [and] pipes, vapes, vape pens, 9 vaporizers, e-cigarettes, e-pens, e-pipes, e-hookahs, and 10 e-cigars, shall be prohibited in all National Government-11 owned offices, and within 150 feet, of such offices, and 12 in all offices that are being rented or leased by the National Government for a period exceeding 30 consecutive 13 14 days. Where only part of a building, facility or 15 property is rented or leased by the National Government, this prohibition shall only apply to the part of the 16 17 building or facility that is rented or leased by the

National Government. Smoking of tobacco products shall 1 2 be prohibited on boats, ships, [one] and other sea-faring vessels owned or leased by the National Government except 3 4 in designated areas. Within every office in which smoking is 5 (2) 6 prohibited under subsection (1) of this section, signs 7 shall be posted in sufficient number and in such 8 locations as to be readily seen by persons within such areas, which shall clearly designate that the smoking of 9 10 tobacco and nicotine delivery devices is prohibited." Section 2. This act shall become law upon approval by the 11 12 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its 13 becoming law without such approval. 14 Introduced by: /s/ Perpetua S. Konman 15 Data: 1/17/24 Perpetua S. Konman 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25