

A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend sections 1, 2, 4, 8, 9 and 12 of Public Law No. 22-153, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 22-169, 22-181, 22-204, and 23-08, to appropriate \$3,033,530 from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2023, to provide supplemental funding for the operations of the Executive branch, the Judicial branch, Grants, Subsidies, and Contributions and Capital and Human Resources Development of the National Government, to enact a lapse date of funds, and for other purposes.

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

1           Section 1. Section 1 of Public Law No. 22-153, as amended by  
2 Public Laws Nos. 22-169, 22-181, 22-204, and 23-08, is hereby  
3 further amended to read as follows:

4           "Section 1. Purpose. The purpose of this act is to  
5           appropriate the sum of [~~\$107,126,614~~] \$110,160,144 from  
6           the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia  
7           for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2023, for the  
8           purpose of funding the operations of all branches of the  
9           National Government of the Federated States of  
10          Micronesia, its agencies, various programs; Grants,  
11          Subsidies, and Contributions; and Capital and Human  
12          Resources Development. The National Government's share  
13          of the Amended Compact funds has been reduced to zero;  
14          EXCEPT THAT; the National Government will retain the  
15          Compact Sector Grant amount for COM-FSM and 10 percent  
16          of the Supplemental Education Grant funds as is

1 reflected in the budget for the Department of Education.  
 2 The sum appropriated herein shall be apportioned as  
 3 follows:"

4 Section 2. Section 2 of Public Law No. 22-153, as amended by  
 5 Public Laws Nos. 22-169, 22-181, 22-204, and 23-08, is hereby  
 6 further amended to read as follows:

7 "Section 2. Operating Expenses of the Executive Branch.  
 8 The sum of [~~\$34,762,556~~] \$35,702,634 or so much thereof  
 9 as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the  
 10 General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for  
 11 the fiscal year ending September 30, 2023, for the  
 12 purpose of funding the operations of the Executive  
 13 Branch of the National Government during the fiscal year  
 14 2023. The sum appropriated by this section shall be  
 15 apportioned as follows:

16 (1) Office of the President.

17 The sum of [~~\$2,729,195~~] \$3,182,529 or so much thereof as  
 18 may be necessary, for the operations of the Office of  
 19 the President during the fiscal year 2023. The sum  
 20 appropriated herein shall be apportioned as follows:

21	Personnel .....	\$ [ <del>894,582</del> ]	<u>902,916</u>
22	Travel .....	[ <del>430,410</del> ]	<u>630,410</u>
23	Contractual Services .....	[ <del>1,220,000</del> ]	<u>1,370,000</u>
24	OCE .....	[ <del>176,203</del> ]	<u>191,203</u>
25	Fixed Assets .....	[ <del>8,000</del> ]	<u>83,000</u>

1           (2) Department of Foreign Affairs.

2           The sum of [~~\$7,350,488~~] \$7,414,192 or so much thereof as  
3           may be necessary, for the operations of the Department  
4           of Foreign Affairs during the fiscal year 2023. The sum  
5           appropriated herein shall be apportioned as follows:

6	Personnel.....	\$ [ <del>2,745,152</del> ]	<u>2,808,856</u>
7	Travel .....		308,914
8	Contractual Services.....		3,671,628
9	OCE .....		531,344
10	Fixed Assets .....		93,450

11           (3) Department of Finance and Administration.

12           The sum of [~~\$4,178,020~~] \$4,284,739 or so much thereof as  
13           may be necessary, for the operations of the Department  
14           of Finance and Administration during the fiscal year  
15           2022. The sum appropriated herein shall be apportioned  
16           as follows:

17	Personnel .....	\$	3,231,193
18	Travel .....	[ <del>294,227</del> ]	<u>344,226</u>
19	Contractual Services.....		286,300
20	OCE .....	[ <del>361,300</del> ]	<u>383,020</u>
21	Fixed Assets .....	[ <del>5,000</del> ]	<u>40,000</u>

22           (4) Department of Resources and Development.

23           The sum of \$2,015,800 or so much thereof as may be  
24           necessary, for the operations of the Department of  
25           Resources and Development during the fiscal year 2023.

1 The sum appropriated herein shall be apportioned as  
2 follows:

3	Personnel.....	\$ 1,374,565
4	Travel .....	213,397
5	Contractual Services.....	203,839
6	OCE may be used to pay for outstanding prior year	
7	obligations.....	219,999
8	Fixed Assets .....	4,000

9 (5)Department of Transportation, Communications and  
10 Infrastructure.

11 The sum of \$3,869,704 or so much thereof as may be  
12 necessary, for the operations of the Department of  
13 Transportation, Communications and Infrastructure during  
14 the fiscal year 2023. The sum appropriated herein shall  
15 be apportioned as follows:

16	Personnel .....	\$ 921,408
17	Travel .....	252,331
18	Contractual Services, of which \$207,922 shall be used	
19	for the salary increase of MN and CV Crews in accordance	
20	with the DT&I Division of Marine Transportation Salary	
21	Schedule.....	2,514,865
22	OCE may be used to pay for outstanding	
23	prior year obligations.....	116,100
24	Fixed Assets; PROVIDED THAT, \$65,000	
25	appropriated herein, \$10,000 is to	

1 supplement the vehicle for the PMU office... 65,000

2 (6) Department of Health and Social Affairs.

3 The sum of \$1,498,647 or so much thereof as may be  
4 necessary, for the operations of the Department of  
5 Health and Social Affairs during the fiscal year 2023.

6 The sum appropriated herein shall be apportioned as  
7 follows:

8	Personnel .....	\$ 1,065,346
9	Travel .....	107,863
10	Contractual Services.....	127,282
11	OCE .....	198,156
12	Fixed Assets .....	-0-

13 (7) Department of Education.

14 The sum of \$1,086,178 or so much thereof as may be  
15 necessary, for the operations of the Department of  
16 Education during the fiscal year 2023. Of the total  
17 amount of funds appropriated herein, \$366,570 shall be  
18 deemed to come from funds available under the  
19 Supplemental Education Grant. The sum appropriated  
20 herein shall be apportioned as follows:

21	Personnel.....	\$615,294
22	Travel .....	171,810
23	Contractual Services.....	231,226
24	OCE .....	67,848
25	Fixed Assets .....	-0-

1                   (8) Department of Justice.

2                   The sum of [~~\$8,520,369~~] \$8,836,690 or so much thereof as  
3                   may be necessary, for the operations of the Department  
4                   of Justice during the fiscal year 2023. The sum  
5                   appropriated herein shall be apportioned as follows:

6	Personnel .....	\$5,810,505
7	Travel .....	[ <del>369,743</del> ] <u>486,064</u>
8	Contractual Services.....	994,679
9	OCE .....	937,442
10	Fixed Assets .....	[ <del>408,000</del> ] <u>608,000</u>

11                   (9) Department of Environment, Climate Change and  
12                   Emergency Management.

13                   The sum of \$1,135,935 or so much thereof as may be  
14                   necessary, for the operations of the Department of  
15                   Environment, Climate Change and Emergency Management  
16                   during the fiscal year 2023. The sum appropriated  
17                   herein shall be apportioned as follows:

18	Personnel .....	\$ 751,914
19	Travel .....	167,293
20	Contractual Services.....	131,500
21	OCE .....	52,228
22	Fixed Assets .....	33,000

23                   (10) Office of the Public Defender.

24                   The sum of \$1,624,094 or so much thereof as may be  
25                   necessary, for the operations of the Office of the

1 Public Defender during the fiscal year 2023. The sum  
2 appropriated herein shall be apportioned as follows:

3	Personnel .....	\$ 1,239,358
4	Travel .....	115,542
5	Contractual Services.....	140,394
6	OCE .....	86,900
7	Fixed Assets .....	41,900

8 (11)Office of National Archives, Culture and Historic  
9 Preservation.

10 The sum of \$328,138 or so much thereof as may be  
11 necessary, for the operations of the Office of National  
12 Archives, Culture and Historic Preservation during the  
13 fiscal year 2023. The sum appropriated herein shall be  
14 apportioned as follows:

15	Personnel .....	\$ 263,253
16	Travel .....	29,171
17	Contractual Services.....	15,425
18	OCE .....	20,289
19	Fixed Assets .....	-0-

20 (12)Office of Veteran's Affairs.

21 The sum of \$169,963 or so much thereof as may be  
22 necessary, for the operations of the Office Veteran's  
23 Affairs during the fiscal year 2023. The sum  
24 appropriated herein shall be apportioned as follows:

25	Personnel .....	90,562
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1	Travel .....	11,401
2	Contractual Services.....\$	50,000
3	OCE .....	18,000
4	Fixed Assets .....	-0-

5           (13)Office of Personnel.

6           The sum of \$256,025 or so much thereof as may be  
7           necessary, for the operations of the Office of Personnel  
8           during the fiscal year 2023. The sum appropriated  
9           herein shall be apportioned as follows:

10	Personnel .....	\$ 226,025
11	Travel .....	16,800
12	Contractual Services.....	1,700
13	OCE .....	11,500
14	Fixed Assets .....	-0-

15           Section 3. Section 4 of Public Law No. 22-153, as amended  
16 by Public Laws Nos. 22-204, and 23-08 is read as follows:

17           “Section 3. Operating Expenses of the National Judicial  
18           Branch. The sum of [~~\$2,531,619~~] \$2,552,452 or so much  
19           thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from  
20           the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for  
21           the fiscal year ending September 30,2023, for the  
22           operations of the Judicial Branch of the National  
23           Government during the fiscal year 2023. The sum  
24           appropriated by this section shall be as apportioned as  
25           follows:



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1	Personnel .....	[ <del>\$1,491,391</del> ]	1,512,224
2	Travel .....	..\$	185,978
3	Contractual Services.....		502,200
4	OCE .....		248,050
5	Fixed Assets .....		104,000"

6 Section 4. Section 8 of Public Law No. 22-153, as amended by  
7 Public Laws Nos. 22-169, 22-181, 22-204, and 23-08, is hereby  
8 further amended to read as follows:

9 "Section 8. Grants, Subsidies and Contributions.

10 The sum of[~~\$28,803,161~~] \$29,833,228 or so much thereof  
11 as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the  
12 General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for  
13 the fiscal year ending September 30, 2023, for the  
14 following grants, subsidies and contributions during the  
15 fiscal year 2023. The sum appropriated by this section  
16 shall be apportioned as follows:

17 (1) Office of the President.

18	(a) Asia Pacific Institute for Broadcasting		
19	Development (AIBD) .....	..\$	4,500
20	(b) Asia-Pacific Broadcasting Union..		800
21	(c) Pacific Island News Association..		350
22	(d) Asia Pacific Investment .....		250
23	(e) Former Presidents' Allowance..	[ <del>50,000</del> ]	<u>80,000</u>
24	(f) Joint Committee on Compact Review and		
25	Planning (JCRP) .....	[ <del>1,343,963</del> ]	<u>1,472,963</u>

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1	(g) Presidential Inauguration .[ <del>200,000</del> ]	<u>450,000</u>
2	(2) <u>Department of Foreign Affairs.</u>	
3	(a) Pacific Island Forum Secretariat \$	57,000
4	(b) Secretariat of the Pacific Community	65,000
5	(c) ESCAP .....	5,000
6	(d) UN Membership Fee.....	50,000
7	(e) East-West Center .....	5,000
8	(f) ACP Cotonou Membership Fees .....	17,000
9	(g) SPC Office Rental .....	47,070
10	(h) SIS Program.....	10,000
11	(i) IOM Membership Fee .....	600
12	(j) SPC Host Grant .....	20,000
13	(k) UN Multi-Country Office Lease ....	30,960
14	(l) Opening ceremony of Embassy in Tokyo	40,000
15	(m) Consultancy Services Contract ..	32,000
16	(3) <u>Department of Finance and Administration</u>	
17	(a) CTA-OCO Membership Fee .....	10,000
18	(b) Maintenance Fee for Financial	
19	Management Information System (FMIS).....	55,000
20	(c) PITTA - CTA .....	5,000
21	(d) ADB, IMF and Budget, Finance	
22	Policy Consultations .....	25,000
23	(e) Macro Economist Advisor .....	200,000
24	(f) Global Forum Membership Fee .....	26,000
25	(g) PFTAC Membership Fee .....	20,000

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1	(h) CTA Conference .....	35,000
2	(i) Tax Compliance Initiative .....	\$ 25,000
3	(j) FSM Trust Fund .....	50,000
4	(k) Finance Conference .....	75,000
5	(4) <u>Department of Resources and Development.</u>	
6	(a) Pacific Islands Development	
7	Program (PIDP) .....	15,000
8	(b) Pacific Asian Travel	
9	Association (PATA) .....	6,000
10	(c) United Nations Development	
11	Program (UNDP) .....	30,000
12	(d) Food Agriculture Organization (FAO)	
13	(e) Western Forestry Leadership Coalition	530
14	(f) Matching SPC Projects .....	60,000
15	(g) Micronesian Challenge .....	10,000
16	(h) Micronesian Cruise Association ..	2,500
17	(i) South Pacific Tourism Organization.	8,000
18	(j) IRENA .....	250
19	(k) Micronesia Trade Commission ....	30,000
20	(l) Convention on Biological	
21	Diversity (CBD) .....	1,000
22	(m) IFAD .....	500
23	(n) UNIDO .....	1,000
24	(o) Micronesia Association of	
25	Sustainable Agriculture .....	50,000

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1	(p) Micronesia Island Forum..... .	232,000
2	(q) Micronesia Challenge Endowment Fund \$	100,000
3	(r) International Coconut Community	
4	(annual and prior years fees)..... .	18,000
5	(s) 2 <sup>nd</sup> FSM Expo (Kosrae)..... .	100,000
6	(t) Trade Policy Review..... .	35,000
7	(5) <u>Department of Health and Social Affairs.</u>	
8	(a) UNFPA.....	3,000
9	(b) WHO.....	4,790
10	(c) PIHOA.....	20,000
11	(d) Association of Territorial Health	4,000
12	(e) Nursing and Medical Licensing..	60,000
13	(f) FSM Red Cross.....	70,000
14	(g) UNICEF (Vaccine & TB Drugs)....	50,000
15	(h) UN/FSM Women (CEDAW).....	1,000
16	(i) Drug Quality Testing Project... ..	3,000
17	(j) <u>FSM Joint Nursing/Medical Licensing</u>	
18	<u>Board Meeting</u> .....	<u>48,425</u>
19	(6) <u>Department of Education.</u>	
20	(a) Aid to Non-Public Schools.....	1,000,000
21	(b) Aid to CMI Students.....	30,000
22	(c) Aid to PCC Students.....	50,000
23	(d) National Scholarship.....	3,000,000
24	(e) National Close-Up.....	75,000
25	(f) Merit Scholarship.....	275,000

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1	(g) Aid to FSM Students in Japan....	100,000
2	(h) Aid to FSM Students in China... \$	50,000
3	(i) Aid to FSM Students in Fiji.....	50,000
4	(j) Caroline College & Pastoral Institute	200,000
5	(k) Faithwalk Christian College.....	200,000
6	(l) Xavier High School -Chuuk.....	75,000
7	(m) Yap Catholic High School.....	75,000
8	(7) <u>Department of Transportation, Communications,</u>	
9	<u>and Infrastructure.</u>	
10	(a) Asia Pacific Telecommunity.....	6,075
11	(b) International Telecommunication	
12	Union.....	25,867
13	(c) ICAO.....	45,075
14	(d) FSM Capital Energy.....	705,145
15	(e) Micronesian Shipping Commission.	25,000
16	(f) Fuel and Provisions for Caroline	
17	Voyager and Navigator.....	1,345,830
18	(g) FSM National Government Computer	
19	Network Bandwidth Contract.....	181,920
20	(h) Arrears due to the Federal Aviation	
21	Administration (FAA), 2018.....	20,000
22	(i) ICAO arrears.....	174,000
23	(8) <u>Department of Justice.</u>	
24	(a) States Joint Law Enforcement: Kosrae	125,000
25	(b) States Joint Law Enforcement: Pohnpei	250,000

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1	(c) States Joint Law Enforcement: Chuuk, of	
2	which \$75,000 shall be used for Weno Municipal	
3	Police.....	\$ 300,000
4	(d) States Joint Law Enforcement: Yap	125,000
5	(e) Police Academy.....	200,000
6	(f) Fuel Subsidy.....	550,000
7	(g) WIPO.....	-0-
8	(h) Interpol-Membership & Activities	15,000
9	(i) Ammunitions for side arm & long rifles	25,000
10	(j) Organizations for the Prohibition of	
11	Chemical Weapons (OPCW).....	7,962
12	(k) Comprehensive Nuclear Weapon Ban Treaty	
13	Organization (CTBT).....	13,708
14	(l) Police fuel subsidy: Kosrae.....	10,000
15	(m) Police fuel subsidy: Yap.....	10,000
16	(9) <u>Department of Environment, Climate Change and</u>	
17	<u>Emergency Management</u>	
18	(a) UNEP.....	835
19	(b) UNFCCC.....	325
20	(c) UNCCD.....	195
21	(d) SPREP Membership.....	10,768
22	(e) Waigani Convention.....	1,190
23	(f) SPREP-Noumea Convention.....	1,764
24	(g) Earth Day Activities.....	15,000
25	(h) 7th Bi-Annual Environment Conference	20,000

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1	(i) Basel Convention.....	197
2	(j) Kyoto Protocol..... \$	484
3	(k) WMO Membership.....	15,000
4	(l) Disaster Assistance Emergency	
5	Relief Fund (DAEF)- Matching.....	200,000
6	(m) Disaster Relief Fund.....	100,000
7	(n) Stockholm Convention Membership.	550
8	(o) COP27 Travel.....	100,000
9	(10) <u>Office of National Archives, Culture and</u>	
10	<u>Historic Preservation</u>	
11	(a) UNESCO.....	4,000
12	(b) NCSHPO.....	2,760
13	(c) PARBICA.....	100
14	(d) PIALA.....	100
15	(e) WHC.....	54
16	(f) Library Fee.....	50
17	(11) <u>Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia</u>	
18	(a) Staff Upgrade.....	25,000
19	(b) IPU Annual Dues.....	12,500
20	(c) COFA Alliance National Network (CANN).	25,000
21	(d) Compact Historical Project.....	25,000
22	(e) Opening Ceremony of Embassy in Tokyo	100,000
23	(e) IPU .....	100,000
24	(12) <u>Other Grants, Subsidies and Contributions.</u>	
25	(a) COM board meeting.....	5,000

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1	(b) COM-FSM Treaty Obligation.....	25,000
2	(c) FSM Social Security	
3	Administration.....	\$ 3,000,000
4	(d) State Judiciaries: Kosrae.....	75,000
5	(e) State Judiciaries: Pohnpei.....	100,000
6	(f) State Judiciaries: Chuuk.....	170,000
7	(g) State Judiciaries: Yap.....	75,000
8	(h) National Law Day.....	100,000
9	(i) Micronesian Legal Services	
10	Corporation (MLSC).....	250,000
11	(j) NORMA – Forum Fisheries Agency (FFA)	63,000
12	(k) NORMA – WCPFC Tuna Commission	
13	Membership Fee.....	605,001
14	(l) PNA Membership Fee.....	10,000
15	(m) Independence Day Activities.....	50,000
16	(n) MLFC Loan Payment.....	260,000
17	(o) Single Audit Fee.....	460,000
18	(p) Staff Housing, including 100,000 for	
19	the Office of Personnel.....	850,000
20	(q) Recruitment and Repatriation....	223,218
21	(r) Caroline Air Subsidy for	
22	insurance and fuel.....	255,000
23	(s) President’s Day.....	-0-
24	(t) General Election (2023).....	400,000
25	(u) Legal and Advocacy Services in	



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1	Washington D.C. (A&P) .....	2,000,000
2	(v) DOFA – Prior year obligations.. \$	7,000
3	(w) Legal fees owed to INS/Bargain Center	5,390
4	(x) Legal fees owed to Genesis.....	5,244
5	(y) Hosting of 2023 Oceania Customs	
6	Organization’s Annual Conference .....	47,000
7	(z) National Election prior	
8	year obligation.....	5,760
9	(aa) Supplement for MCO Supplies.....	48,031
10	(bb) FAS Organization in Guam.....	50,000
11	(cc) PII Settlement .....	6,000,000
12	(dd) FSM National Government salary	
13	Increases pursuant to Public Law No. 22-170	-0-
14	(ee) Special Election 2023 [ <del>\$200,000</del> ]	<u>506,000</u>
15	(ff) Fuel subsidy for Fanapi and	
16	Umoumoch vessels .....	100,000
17	(gg) <u>NORMA-Forum Fisheries Agency ...</u>	<u>170,800</u>
18	(hh) <u>Housing Allowance (allow prior</u>	
19	<u>year for VP.....</u>	<u>22,000</u>
20	(ii) <u>Insurance Board Outstanding Payment</u>	<u>1,756</u>
21	(jj) <u>PIHOA Prior Year Membership Dues (FY22)</u>	<u>20,000</u>
22	(kk) <u>Retroactive Pay for President’s Office</u>	
23	<u>Employees .....</u>	<u>1,849</u>
24	(ll) <u>Prior Years Obligation to YFA . .</u>	<u>50,237”</u>

25 Section 5. Section 9 of Public Law No. 22-153, as amended by

1 Public Laws Nos. 22-169 and 23-08, is hereby further amend read as  
2 follows:

3 "Section 9. Capital and Human Resources Development.

4 The sum of [~~\$23,252,475~~] \$24,295,027 or so much thereof  
5 as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the  
6 General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for  
7 the fiscal year ending September 30, 2023, for the  
8 following capital improvements, development programs,  
9 and projects and human resources development. Of the  
10 total amount of funds appropriated herein, \$1,534,539  
11 shall be deemed to come from funds available under the  
12 Supplemental Education Grant and \$1,000,000 shall be  
13 deemed to come from funds available under the Compact  
14 Sector Grants. The sum appropriated by this section  
15 shall be apportioned as follows:

16 (1) College of Micronesia – FSM.

17	(a) College of Micronesia–FSM.....	\$ 4,000,000
18	(b) FSM Fisheries and Maritime	
19	Institute (FMI) .....	965,735
20	(c) College of Micronesia–FSM	
21	SEG Funding.....	878,978
22	(d) COM–FSM Endowment Fund.....	500,000
23	(e) COM–FSM Public Health	
24	Initiative.....	488,798
25	(f) Assistance to boarding students,	

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1	COM-FSM main campus Pohnpei:	
2	(i) Chuukese students .....	\$ 100,000
3	(ii) Yapese students .....	75,000
4	(iii) Kosraen students .....	50,000
5	(2) <u>Department of Foreign Affairs</u>	
6	(a) Acting Pay: UN Mission .....	98,394
7	(b) Acting Pay: Fiji .....	19,395
8	(c) Acting Pay: D.C. Embassy .....	16,764
9	(d) Acting Pay: Guam .....	19,000
10	(3) <u>Department of Finance and Administration</u>	
11	(a) FSM Warehouse Lease and Maintenance	-0-
12	(b) PCD Awareness and Training.....	35,000
13	(c) Support to Municipal Government	
14	Financial Management Improvement.....	50,000
15	(d) Tax Reform Commission .....	100,000
16	(e) Housing for local staff assigned	
17	to financial organizations for short term	
18	Training (IMF, WB, ADB, GCF) .....	72,000
19	(4) <u>Department of Resources and Development</u>	
20	(a) R&D SNLC.....	75,000
21	(b) FSM Chamber of Commerce.....	50,000
22	(c) Chamber of Commerce: Kosrae....	20,000
23	(d) Chamber of Commerce: Pohnpei...	30,000
24	(e) Chamber of Commerce: Chuuk.....	30,000
25	(f) Chamber of Commerce: Yap.....	20,000

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1	(g) Conservation Society: Kosrae.. \$	25,000
2	(h) Conservation Society: Pohnpei..	40,000
3	(i) Conservation Society: Chuuk....	40,000
4	(j) Conservation Society: Yap.....	25,000
5	(5) <u>Department of Transportation, Communications</u>	
6	<u>and Infrastructure</u>	
7	(a) Operation and Dry-Docking	
8	of Caroline Voyager and Navigator.....	2,300,000
9	(b) FSM National Government Facility	
10	Improvements and Renovations.....	115,685
11	(c) FSM National Government Computer.	
12	Network .....	100,000
13	(6) <u>Department of Justice</u>	
14	(a) Anti-Human Trafficking Enforcement,	
15	Campaign, and Investigation.....	125,000
16	(b) Victim Shelter and Services.....	125,000
17	(c) Boat Maintenance.....	200,000
18	(d) DOJ Satellite Phone Billing.....	10,000
19	(7) <u>Department of Environment, Climate Change</u>	
20	<u>and Emergency Management</u>	
21	(a) National & State Table Top Exercise	30,000
22	(b) Outer Island Trip Assessment –	
23	Climate Change & Disaster Risk Management..	80,000
24	(c) National Joint Platform for	
25	Environment & Risk Resilience.....	40,000

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1	(d) International Day for Disaster	
2	Reduction .....	\$ 12,000
3	(e) Fourth Disaster Risk Management	
4	Environment Conference .....	40,000
5	(8) <u>National Election Commission Office</u>	
6	(a) Voter ID Card and New Voter	
7	Registration Project .....	50,000
8	(9) <u>Department of Health and Social Affairs</u>	
9	(a) Medical Specialist Team .....	120,000
10	(b) MOE-BHWP Med .....	22,200
11	(c) Electronic Record System .....	35,000
12	(d) Youth in Sports .....	50,000
13	(e) Hispathology and diagnostic	
14	Improvement .....	16,000
15	(f) Implementation, FSM Pharmaceutical	
16	Act .....	24,010
17	(g) Competent Authority, compliance	
18	Process for fisheries exportation .....	115,990
19	(h) Medical Profession Recruitment ..	33,500
20	(i) <u>President's National Advisory</u>	
21	<u>Council on Children .....</u>	<u>20,000</u>
22	(j) <u>Establishment of DHSA Field Offices</u>	
23	<u>(Kosrae, Yap, Pohnpei, and Chuuk) .....</u>	<u>162,959</u>
24	(10) <u>Department of Education</u>	
25	(a) NDOE Year 3 Project (SEG) .....	655,561

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1	(b) School Accreditation.....	\$	-0-
2	(c) Teacher Certification Project...		-0-
3	(d) Vernacular Language Arts (VLA)		
4	Curriculum Standards and Benchmarks Training		75,170
5	(e) CTE Teacher Training.....		56,910
6	(11) <u>NORMA</u>		
7	(a) Hosting WPCFC, TTC, & SC.....		10,000
8	(b) Internship for students in the		
9	area of fisheries management.....		5,000
10	(c) T3 Monitoring.....		150,000
11	(d) Commemoration of World Tuna Day 2023		70,000
12	(12) <u>Other Capital and Human Resources Development</u>		
13	(a) Donor Roundtable.....		100,000
14	(b) Chuuk State Supreme Court parking lot,		
15	fencing, and maintenance.....		200,000
16	(c) National Voter Registration.....		64,000
17	(d) TC&I Utwe Water project settlement		260,000
18	(e) Diplomatic Mission Geneva.....		300,000
19	(f) FSM ConCon Public Education Awareness		200,000
20	(g) Capitol road improvement Nanpohnmal		
21	to Sekere .....		400,000
22	(h) Road improvement and heavy		
23	equipment, Yap.....		100,000
24	(i) Road improvement, Weno, Chuuk ..		100,000
25	(j) State subsidies:		

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1	(i) Generator Parts, Yap State,	
2	YSPSC .....	\$ 250,000
3	(ii) Fuel Chuuk State, CPUC .....	300,000
4	(iii) Power line extension,	
5	Pohnpei State, PUC .....	100,000
6	(iv) Fuel Kosrae State, KPUA .....	-0-
7	(k) Chuuk Narik Mataw ship/	
8	operations subsidy .....	200,000
9	(l) Pohnpei Lady Pohnpei ship .....	117,385
10	(m) Lady Minto ship .....	95,000
11	(n) PMA subsidy .....	100,000
12	(o) Open market Pohnpei causeway ....	350,000
13	(p) Case tracking system (CTS) .....	25,000
14	(q) H2 Habilmohol – fuel subsidy ....	250,000
15	(r) Kosrae Solar Project .....	200,000
16	(s) Construction of a postal service	
17	Building in Tonoas, Chuuk .....	50,000
18	(t) Establish Diplomatic Mission	
19	in Australia .....	500,000
20	(u) Purchase property in Honolulu for	
21	Hawaii FSM Consulate Office .....	5,000,000
22	(v) Airport Subsidy: Kosrae State ..	250,000
23	(w) Airport Subsidy: Pohnpei State..	250,000
24	(x) Airport Subsidy: Chuuk .....	250,000
25	(y) Airport Subsidy: Yap State .....	250,000

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1	(z) Repair and refurbishment of HI	
2	and Chief Mailo .....	\$ 500,000
3	(aa) <u>Disposal of Oil Recovered from WWII</u>	
4	<u>Shipwreck in Chuuk .....</u>	<u>100,000</u>
5	(bb) <u>Renovation of Official Residences and</u>	
6	<u>Access Road .....</u>	<u>400,000</u>
7	(cc) <u>CEC – Chief Executive Conference .</u>	<u>75,000</u>
8	(dd) <u>Presidential Public Schedule</u>	
9	<u>&amp; State Visits.....</u>	<u>250,000</u>
10	(ee) <u>Continental Shelf Project.....</u>	<u>34,593"</u>

11 Section 6. Section 12 of Public Law No. 22-153, as  
 12 amended by Public Laws Nos. 22-169 and 23-08, is hereby further  
 13 amended to read as follows:

14 "Section 12. Allotment and Management of Funds and  
 15 Lapse Dates.

16 (1) General provisions.

17 (a) All funds appropriated by this act shall be  
 18 allotted, managed, administered and accounted for in  
 19 accordance with applicable law, including, but not  
 20 limited to, the Financial Management Act of 1979.

21 (b) The allottees shall be responsible for  
 22 ensuring that these funds, or so much thereof as may be  
 23 necessary, are used solely for the purposes specified  
 24 in this act, and that no obligations are incurred in  
 25 excess of the sums appropriated.



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1           (2) Allottees. The allottees of the funds  
2 appropriated by this act are as follows:

3           (a) Section 2 - the allottee of these funds shall  
4 be the President of the Federated States of Micronesia;

5           (b) Section 3 - the allottee of these funds shall  
6 be the Speaker of the Congress of the Federated States  
7 of Micronesia;

8           (c) Section 4 - the allottee of these funds shall  
9 be the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the  
10 Federated States of Micronesia;

11           (d) Section 5 - the allottee of these funds shall  
12 be the Public Auditor of the Federated States of  
13 Micronesia;

14           (e) Sections 6 through 9 - the allottee of these  
15 funds shall be the President of the Federated States of  
16 Micronesia; PROVIDED, HOWEVER, that for the following  
17 subsections of sections 8 through 9 of this act:

18           (i) Sections 8(1)(f) - the allottee of these  
19 funds shall be the Chair of the Joint Committee on  
20 Compact Review and Planning;

21           (ii) Section 8(8)(a) - the allottee of these  
22 funds shall be the Governor of the state of Kosrae;

23           (iii) Section 8(8)(b) - the allottee of these  
24 funds shall be the Governor of the state of Pohnpei;

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1 (iv) Section 8(8)(c) – the allottee of these  
2 funds shall be the Governor of the state of Chuuk;

3 (v) Section 8(8)(d) – the allottee of these  
4 funds shall be the Governor of the state of Yap;

5 (vi) Section 8(8)(1) – the allottee of these  
6 funds shall be the Governor of the state of Kosrae;

7 (vii) Section 8(11) – the allottee of these  
8 funds shall be the Speaker of the Congress of the  
9 Federated States of Micronesia;

10 (viii) Section 8(12)(a) – the allottee of these  
11 funds shall be the President of the College of  
12 Micronesia-FSM;

13 (ix) Section 8(12)(d) through (g) – the  
14 allottee of these funds shall be the Chief Justice of  
15 the respective State Supreme Court;

16 (x) Section 8(12)(h) – the allottee of these  
17 funds shall be the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court  
18 of the Federated States of Micronesia;

19 (xi) Section 9(1) (a) through (e), (f)(ii) and  
20 f(iii) – the allottee of these funds shall be the  
21 President of the College of Micronesia-FSM;

22 (xii) Sections 9(4)(c) and (g) – the allottee  
23 of these funds shall be the Governor of the state of  
24 Kosrae;

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1                   (xiii) Sections 9(4)(d) and (h) – the allottee  
2 of these funds shall be the Governor of the state of  
3 Pohnpei;

4                   (xiv) Sections 9(4)(e) and (i) – the allottee  
5 of these funds shall be the Governor of the state of  
6 Chuuk;

7                   (xv) Sections 9(4)(f) and (j) – the allottee  
8 of these funds shall be the Governor of the state of  
9 Yap;

10                  (xvi) Section 9(12)(g), (l), (m) and (o) – the  
11 allottee of these funds shall be the Secretary of the  
12 Department of Transportation, Communications and  
13 Infrastructure;

14                  (xvii) Section 9(12)(h) and (n) – the allottee  
15 of these funds shall be the Governor of the state of  
16 Yap;

17                  (xviii) Section 9(12)(i) – the allottee of these  
18 funds shall be the Mayor of Weno;

19                  (xix) Section 9(12)(k) – the allottee of these  
20 funds shall be the Speaker of the Congress of the  
21 Federated States of Micronesia;

22                  (xx) Sections 9(12)(j) – the allottee of these  
23 funds shall be the Public Utility Corporations of the  
24 respective states;

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1 (xxi) Section 9(12)(q) – the allottee of these  
2 funds shall be the President of the Federated States of  
3 Micronesia;

4 (xxii) Section 9(12)(r) – the allottee of these  
5 funds shall be the Governor of the state of Kosrae;

6 (xxiii) Section 8(12)(bb) – the allottee of these  
7 funds shall be the Speaker of the Congress of the  
8 Federated States of Micronesia;

9 (xxiv) Section 9(12)(v) – the allottee of these  
10 funds shall be the Governor of the state of Kosrae;

11 (xxv) Section 9(12)(w) – the allottee of these  
12 funds shall be the Pohnpei Port Authority;

13 (xxvi) Section 9(12)(x) – the allottee of these  
14 funds shall be the Governor of the state of Chuuk;

15 (xxvii) Section 9(12)(y) – the allottee of these  
16 funds shall be the Governor of the state of Yap;

17 (xxviii) Section 9(1)(f)(i) the allottee of these  
18 funds shall be the Speaker of the Congress of the  
19 Federated States of Micronesia.

20 Lapse Date. The authority of the allottees to obligate funds  
21 appropriated by this act shall lapse as of September 30, 2023;  
22 PROVIDED, HOWEVER, that the funds appropriated under section  
23 8(12)(u) of this act shall not lapse, PROVIDER FURTHER that  
24 section 9 shall not lapse.”

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1           Section 7. This act shall become law upon approval by the  
2 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its  
3 becoming law without such approval.

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5 Date: 7/11/23

Introduced by: /s/ Quincy Lawrence  
Quincy Lawrence  
(by request)

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