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A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend title 50 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia, as amended by Public Law No. 4-25, by amending section 103 to provide that visitors who prove that they are self-sustaining may be permitted to stay within the Federated States of Micronesia for as long as they desire, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Section 103 of title 50 of the Code of the
2 Federated States of Micronesia is hereby amended to read as follows:

3 "Section 103. Entry permits - Types.

4 (1) A permit is not required for a person visiting
5 for thirty days or less. For a visit in excess of thirty
6 days a permit may be issued for an additional period not
7 to exceed sixty days. Notwithstanding the provision of
8 this subsection, a visitor who proves that he is self-
9 sustaining may be permitted to stay within the Federated
10 States of Micronesia for as long as he desires; PROVIDED
11 that he does not become a burden, financially or otherwise,
12 on the Government of the Federated States of Micronesia
13 or on the people thereof. When and if such person proves
14 to become not self-sustaining, he may be deported by the
15 Chief of the Immigration Office.

16 (2) A visitor's permit for any lawful purpose,
17 including performance of necessary services on a short-term
18 contractual basis, may be issued for a period of specified
19 duration reflecting the time necessary to accomplish the
20 purpose.

21 (3) An alien worker's permit shall be issued to a
22 noncitizen entering the Federated States of Micronesia
23 upon compliance with all National laws relating to private
24 or governmental employment for the period in which the
25 employment of the alien worker is authorized by contract.

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1 The permit shall be renewed upon extension or renewal of
2 the alien's lawful employment status.

3 (4) A foreign investor's entry permit shall be
4 issued for a specified duration and may be renewed upon
5 renewal or extension of such foreign investor's business
6 permit.

7 (5) A researcher's entry permit shall be issued
8 for research in the fields of endeavor that the President
9 deems in the best interest of and for the well-being of
10 the citizens of the Federated States of Micronesia;
11 provided that the President receives from the researcher's
12 intended place of stay prior permission for his entry.
13 The President may attach thereto such conditions or
14 restrictions as he deems necessary.

15 (6) A missionary's permit shall be issued to a duly
16 ordained, licensed, and certified minister or clergyman.
17 A missionary's permit may also be issued to persons whose
18 activities are substantially connected with religious or
19 missionary work as determined by the President.

20 (7) An entry permit shall be issued to a lawful
21 spouse of a citizen. The permit shall be revoked or shall
22 be denied upon a finding that the parties are divorced or
23 irreconcilably separated, or that the citizen-spouse is
24 deceased. The President or his designee has the authority
25 to grant or reissue the permit for indefinite duration

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1 upon a finding of hardship.

2 (8) A dependent's entry permit may be issued to an
3 unmarried child, under the age of eighteen, or a noncitizen
4 spouse subject to the conditions in subsection (7) of this
5 section.

6 (9) A spouse or unmarried child under the age of
7 eighteen of any noncitizen principal listed in this section
8 except subsection (8) may be issued an entry permit for the
9 duration of the principal's entry permit and may be
10 renewed upon renewal of the principal's entry permit."

11 Section 2. This act shall become law upon approval by the
12 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its becoming
13 law without such approval.

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15 Date: 8/29/86

Introduced by: *[Signature]*
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