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A BILL FOR AN ACT

To establish the "Government Vehicle Use Control Act of 1986," to authorize the promulgation of regulations thereunder, and for other purposes.

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

1       Section 1. Title. This act is known and may be cited as the  
2 "Government Vehicle Use Control Act of 1986."

3       Section 2. Application. The use of Government-owned vehicles  
4 shall be governed by, and subject to, the provisions of this act and  
5 any regulations issued hereunder. The term "Government-owned vehicle,"  
6 as used in this act, means a vehicle owned by any branch, agency,  
7 authority, commission, board, program, or other organization of, or  
8 legislatively created by, the National Government of the Federated  
9 States of Micronesia.

10       Section 3. Eligibility.

11           (1) Government-owned vehicles shall be used by only  
12 employees and officials of the National Government for official  
13 purposes. The word "employee" as used herein, also includes any  
14 person who is working for any branch, office, agency, board,  
15 commission, or authority on a contract basis. Notwithstanding the  
16 provision of this section, no employee or official of the National  
17 Government shall drive any Government-owned vehicle without a valid  
18 FSM Government driver's license in his possession.

19           (2) The President, Vice-President, Speaker, Members of  
20 Congress, Chief Justice, and Associate Justices are eligible, subject  
21 to the availability of vehicles, to use Government-owned vehicles on  
22 a 24-hour basis.

23       Section 4. Driver's licenses; license plates.

24           (1) No Government-owned vehicle shall be operated without a  
25 valid license plate affixed to the rear of the vehicle in the place

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1 provided therefore.

2 (2) No employee or official of the National Government shall  
3 operate a Government-owned vehicle without a valid FSM Government  
4 driver's license in his possession.

5 (3) The Division of Security and Investigation of the  
6 Attorney General's Office is hereby authorized to issue license plates  
7 for FSM Government vehicles. The Division is further authorized to  
8 issue FSM Government driver's licenses to eligible applicants.

9 Section 5. Regulations. The Attorney General, with the approval  
10 of the President, shall promulgate and adopt regulations not  
11 inconsistent with the provisions of this act, and in accordance with  
12 the provisions of chapter 1 of title 17 of the Code of the Federated  
13 States of Micronesia, governing the use, care, and safety of  
14 Government-owned vehicles.

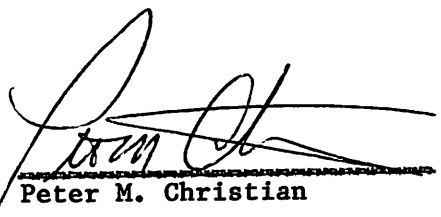
15 Section 6. Penalty. Any person who violates any provision of  
16 this act shall pay a fine of not more than \$25 for each violation.

17 Section 7. Effective date. This act shall become law upon  
18 approval by the President of the Federated States of Micronesia or  
19 upon its becoming law without such approval.

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21 Date: 10-27-86

Introduced by:

  
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