



The President
Palikir, Pohnpei
Federated States of Micronesia

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 20-132
FSM CONGRESS

October 9th, 2017



The Honorable Wesley W. Simina
Speaker
Twentieth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia
Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941

Dear Speaker Simina:

I am transmitting the following Congressional Act, which I have signed to become Public Law No. 20-48:

Congressional Act No. 20-48: "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-124, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 19-133, 19-140, 19-150, 20-05, 20-15 AND 20-33, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 4, 5 AND 6 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE AND ALLOTTEE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PRIORITY INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS AND OTHER PROGRAMS IN THE STATES OF POHNPEI AND CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Thank you.

Sincerely,



Peter M. Christian
President

Enclosures:

xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court



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His Excellency Peter M. Christian
President
Federated States of Micronesia
Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941

Dear President Christian:

I have the honor to transmit herewith Congressional Act No. 20-48, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-124, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 19-133, 19-140, 19-150, 20-05, 20-15 AND 20-33, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 4, 5 AND 6 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE AND ALLOTTEE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PRIORITY INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS AND OTHER PROGRAMS IN THE STATES OF POHNPEI AND CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.", which was passed by the Twentieth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Second Regular Session, 2017, by a two-thirds vote of all the State delegations as required and as duly certified.

Sincerely yours,

Liwiana Ramon Ioanis
Chief Clerk, Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia

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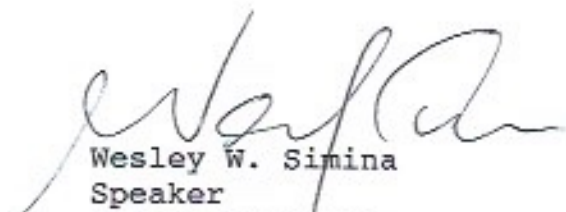
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ACT NO. 20-48

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 20-84, C.D.1)

We hereby certify that on September 27 the foregoing act passed
Second and Final Reading of the Twentieth Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia, Second Regular Session, 2017,
by a two-thirds vote of all the State delegations as required
under article IX, section 20, of the Constitution of the
Federated States of Micronesia.


Wesley W. Simina
Speaker
Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia



Liwiana Ramon Ioanis
Chief Clerk
Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia

TWENTIETH CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

SECOND REGULAR SESSION, 2017

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 20-84, C.D.1

AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 19-124, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 19-133, 19-140, 19-150, 20-05, 20-15 and 20-33, by amending sections 4, 5 and 6 thereof, to change the use and allottee of certain funds previously appropriated therein, to fund priority infrastructure projects and other programs in the states of Pohnpei and Chuuk, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Section 4. Section 4 of Public Law No. 19-124,
2 as amended by Public Laws Nos. 19-133, 19-140, 20-05, 20-15 and
3 20-33, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

4 "Section 4. Of the \$11,300,000 appropriated under this
5 act, \$3,000,000 shall be apportioned for priority
6 infrastructure projects and other programs in the state
7 of Pohnpei.

8 state of Pohnpei..... \$ 3,000,000

9 (1) At Large..... 787,500

10 (a) Pohnpei delegation
11 office building -0-

12 (b) Kolonia Town tennis
13 courts upgrade... 150,000

14 (c) Kepin Souna, Nett
15 road maintenance... 35,000

16 (d) Nanmwaht-Nanwel, road
17 maintenance..... 50,000

1	(e) Sand and coral materials	
2	for pavement	\$ 100,000
3	(f) Parem kep new road extension ..	50,000
4	(g) Lahkir Marina, Kitti	50,000
5	(h) Community power extensions	25,000
6	(i) Palikir Pah road improvement ..	50,000
7	(j) Kitti road paving	50,000
8	(k) Madolenihmw road paving	50,000
9	(l) Wone Catholic Church road paving	35,000
10	(m) Pohn Awak, Pahnpe, U road maintenance	10,000
11	(n) Madolenihmw road maintenance ..	50,000
12	(o) Seinwar road maintenance	20,000
13	(p) Matching fund for Kolonia-China	
14	Friendship center	20,000
15	(q) Likinlong, Lehiak Madolenihmw	
16	bridge/culvert	10,000
17	(r) Kotouwar, Lehiak Madolenihmw	
18	bridge/culvert	10,000
19	(s) Pohnpei State Court of	
20	Land Tenure Vehicle	15,000
21	(t) Pohnpei State Court of	
22	Land Tenure (Vault, computers, scanners) ..	7,500
23	(2) Election District No. 1	737,500
24	(a) Totopai road	30,000
25	(b) Road maintenance	50,000

1	(c) Kaselehlia Street sidewalk/	
2	drainage).....	\$ 120,000
3	(d) Pohnpei delegation loop	
4	(New road-pave/wall)	70,000
5	(e) Matching fund for	
6	Kolonia-China Friendship Center	60,000
7	(f) Sokehs Island circumferential road	
8	paving/materials/equipment	225,000
9	(g) Roofing, track and field bleachers	30,000
10	(h) Mercedes building	
11	supplemental funding	45,000
12	(i) Sekere to Nanpohnmal	
13	road improvement	25,000
14	(j) Airport terminal	
15	beautification project	20,000
16	(k) Nan Mohs road maintenance	15,000
17	(l) Pohnpei transportation/	
18	promotional activities	30,000
19	(m) Heavy equipment/coral materials	12,500
20	(n) Sekere gym maintenance	5,000
21	(3) Election District No. 2.....	737,500
22	(a) Pohnlangas Dispensary repair	
23	and improvement	-0-
24	(b) Wone Dispensary repair	
25	and improvement..	-0-

1	(c) Temwen School road paving \$	30,000
2	(d) Rohi School road paving	40,000
3	(e) Pehleng School road paving	40,000
4	(f) Peilik bridge (Enipein powe) ...	85,000
5	(g) Nankoaloau bridge overlay (Pehleng)	15,000
6	(h) ESDM secondary road	0
7	(i) Mwoakot Pah road improvement ...	15,000
8	(j) Kitti road cleaning/beautification	15,000
9	(k) Nan pworenais secondary road ...	20,000
10	(l) Nanketipar Bridge (Alohkapw) ..	-0-
11	(m) Nanmwet (Madolenihmw) erosion	
12	protection/drainage	0
13	(n) Ohwa Mission School building repair	13,920
14	(o) Pohnsauk (Madolenihmw)	
15	power extension	30,000
16	(p) Nankerpene Bridge repair	25,380
17	(q) Access road paving	
18	(Kaun en Wehi, Kitti)	25,000
19	(r) Kepine (Madolenihmw)	
20	power extension	25,000
21	(s) Ipwitik road upgrade	15,000
22	(t) Purchase of coral materials	20,000
23	(u) Tanks/water catchments	10,000
24	(v) Community Outreach	
25	and Advocacy Program	30,000

1	(w) Nipai, Wone secondary road \$	15,000
2	(x) Nan mand secondary road	8,000
3	(y) Pahnmeiti secondary road	20,000
4	(z) Lukop secondary road	5,000
5	(aa) Kitti municipal government inauguration	7,500
6	(ab) Travel needs	35,000
7	(ac) Peisou secondary road	15,000
8	(ad) Madolenihmw Municipal Court subsidy	10,000
9	(ae) Kitti Municipal Court subsidy ..	15,000
10	(af) Pohnalap secondary road	30,000
11	(ag) Kitti water systems improvement	50,000
12	(ah) Kinakapw road	20,000
13	(ai) Pahnlong Eliolwi road	20,000
14	(aj) MMCM Youth Day activities	2,700
15	(ak) Pohnsouk, Madolenihmw water system	15,000
16	(al) Lukop water tank	15,000
17	(4) Election District No. 3	737,500
18	(a) Kepin Souna, Nett road maintenance	35,000
19	(b) Dien, U road paving/equipment ..	70,000
20	(c) Pahlap, U road paving	70,000
21	(d) Otohi, U road paving	70,000
22	(e) Nett District Park	100,000
23	(f) Road paving (Palipahn Nett)	100,000
24	(g) Parem/Lenger water systems	
25	improvement/purchase of fiberglass water	

1	tanks/catchments	\$	100,000
2	(h) Pingelap Infrastructure projects		65,000
3	(i) Mwokilloa Infrastructure projects		65,000
4	(j) Kamer-Eirke road improvement		42,500
5	(k) Matching fund for Kolonia-China		
6	Friendship Center		20,000"
7	Section 2. Section 5 of Public Law No. 19-124, as amended by		
8	Public Laws Nos. 19-140, 19-150, 20-05 and 20-15 is hereby further		
9	amended to read as follows:		
10	"Section 5. Of the \$11,300,000 appropriated under this		
11	act, \$5,650,000 shall be apportioned for priority		
12	infrastructure projects and other programs in the state		
13	of Chuuk.		
14	(1) state of Chuuk.....	\$	5,650,000
15	(a) Land outright acquisition for		
16	Chuuk State and prior year obligations.....		3,400,000
17	(b) Road improvement, upgrade/		
18	equipment/municipal docks/bridges.....		1,000,000
19	(c) Ms. Chief Mailo repair		-0-
20	(d) Administration cost & management..		150,000
21	(e) Public safety and jailhouse		
22	supplemental funding		400,000
23	(f) Second phase renovation of		
24	Chuuk House in Honolulu, Hawaii		400,000
25	(g) Chuuk State Health Insurance		

1	Plan subsidy	\$	100,000
2	(h) Chuuk State Inaugurations		
3	including previous expenses		50,000
4	(i) Chuuk Leadership conference (2017)		50,000
5	(j) Chuuk Goodwill Games (2017)		50,000
6	(k) Chuuk State special		
7	programs/travel		50,000"

8 Section 3. Section 6 of Public Law No. 19-124, as amended by
9 Public Laws Nos. 19-133, 19-140, 20-05, 20-15 and 20-33, is hereby
10 further amended to read as follows:

11 "Section 6. Allotment and management of funds and lapse
12 date. All funds appropriated by this act shall be
13 allotted, managed, administered and accounted for in
14 accordance with applicable laws, including, but not
15 limited to, the Financial Management Act of 1979. The
16 allottee shall be responsible for ensuring that these
17 funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are used
18 solely for the purpose specified in this act, and that
19 no obligations are incurred in excess of the sum
20 appropriated. The allottee of the funds appropriated
21 under section 2 of this act shall be the Governor of the
22 State of Yap or his designee. The allottee of the funds
23 appropriated under sections 3 and 4 of this act shall be
24 the President of the Federated States of Micronesia or
25 his designee; PROVIDED THAT, the allottee of funds

1 appropriated under subsections 3(1)(a) and 3(1)(b) of
2 this act shall be the Governor of Kosrae State or his
3 designee, the allottee of funds appropriated under
4 subsections 4(1)(c) through 4(1)(o), 4(2)(f), 4(4)(b),
5 4(4)(d), 4(4)(f), shall be the Pohnpei Transportation
6 Authority (PTA); the allottee of funds appropriated
7 under subsections 4(1)(a), 4(1)(b), 4(2)(c), 4(2)(d),
8 4(2)(e), 4(2)(g), 4(2)(h), 4(2)(i) and 4(2)(j) shall be
9 the Secretary of the Department of Transportation,
10 Communications and Infrastructure or his designee; the
11 allottee of funds appropriated under subsections
12 4(3)(f), 4(3)(i), 4(3)(q) 4(3)(w), 4(3)(x) and 4(3)(aa)
13 of this act shall be the Luhk en Moanlap of Kitti, the
14 allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 4(3)(ad)
15 of this act shall be the Chief Justice of Madolenihmw or
16 his designee, the allottee of funds appropriated under
17 subsection 4(3)(ae) of this act shall be the Chief
18 Justice of Kitti or his designee. The allottee of the
19 funds appropriated under section 5 of this act shall be
20 the Governor of Chuuk State or his designee. The
21 authority of the allottee to obligate funds appropriated
22 by this act shall lapse on September 30, 2019."

1 Section 4. 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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President
Federated States of Micronesia