



The President
Palikir, Pohnpei
Federated States of Micronesia

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 20-82
FSM CONGRESS

August 1st, 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. 20-34:

Congressional Act No. 20-37, entitled: "TO FURTHER AMEND SECTION 1 OF PUBLIC LAW NO. 16-18, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 16-24, 16-32, 16-39, 16-45, 16-54, 16-67, 17-04, 17-14, 17-26, 17-39, 17-65, 18-27, 18-47, 18-80, 19-13 AND 19-108 TO CHANGE THE USE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATE THEREIN TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECT AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN THE STATE OF CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Thank you.

Sincerely,


Peter M. Christian
President

Enclosure:

xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court





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His Excellency Peter M. Christian
President
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Dear President Christian:

I have the honor to transmit herewith Congressional Act No. 20-37, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND SECTION 1 OF PUBLIC LAW NO. 16-18, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 16-24, 16-32, 16-39, 16-45, 16-54, 16-67, 17-04, 17-14, 17-26, 17-39 17-65, 18-27, 18-47, 18-80, 19-13 AND 19-108 TO CHANGE THE USE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATE THEREIN TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECT AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN THE STATE OF CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.", which was passed by the Twentieth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, First Special 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

Enclosures



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ACT NO. 20-37

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 20-66, C.D.1)

We hereby certify that on July 15 the foregoing act passed
Second and Final Reading of the Twentieth Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia, First Special 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.

For 

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

FIRST SPECIAL SESSION, 2017

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 20-66, C.D.1

AN ACT

To further amend section 1 of Public Law No. 16-18, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 16-24, 16-32, 16-39, 16-45, 16-54, 16-67, 17-04, 17-14, 17-26, 17-39, 17-65, 18-27, 18-47, 18-80, 19-13 and 19-108 to change the use of certain funds previously appropriate therein to fund public project and social programs in the state of Chuuk, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Section 1. Section 1 of Public Law No. 16-18,
2 as amended by Public Laws Nos. 16-24, 16-32, 16-39, 16-45, 16-54,
3 16-67, 17-04, 17-14, 17-26, 17-39 and 17-65, 18-27 and 18-47, is
4 hereby further amended to read as follows:

5 "Section 1. The sum of \$3,301,000, or so much thereof
6 as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the
7 General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for
8 the fiscal year ending September 30, 2010, for the
9 purpose of funding Economic and Social Projects and
10 Programs in the States of Yap, Kosrae, Pohnpei and
11 Chuuk. The funds appropriated under this section shall
12 be apportioned as follows:

13	(1) state of Yap	\$	500,000
14	(a) Lanadabiy-Mabu water extension .		70,000
15	(b) Malay Beach Park & Recreation ..		75,000
16	(c) Maaq, Multipurpose community		
17	center construction		50,000

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1	(d) Gachpar, Gagil Site dredging .. \$	70,000
2	(e) Wottegai road project supplemental	10,000
3	(f) Falalus seawall project	
4	supplemental	10,000
5	(g) Seliap & Tegailap outboard motors	
6	supplemental	7,000
7	(h) Talngthith Village Basketball	
8	court repair	30,000
9	(i) Purchase of sail material	15,000
10	(j) Yap State Copra subsidy	30,000
11	(k) Matching fund for Fais Island	
12	reforestation program and alternate food	
13	source development	25,000
14	(l) Satawal Island Solar	
15	project equipment repair/purchase	28,000
16	(m) Lamotrek community	
17	center supplemental	10,000
18	(n) Meerur Village women center	50,000
19	PROVIDED THAT in-kind services/contributions	
20	or additional funds needed to complete these	
21	projects for the State of Yap shall be	
22	provided by the respective communities.	
23	(o) Yap State Summer Youth Program	
24	subsidy.....	20,000
25	(2) State of Kosrae	495,000

1	(a) B.A. Degree Scholarship Program	\$ 80,000
2	(b) KHS Lunch Program	35,000
3	(c) We-Care Referral Program	35,000
4	(d) Kosrae Visitors Bureau	
5	(travel and promotion)	10,000
6	(e) Kosrae Mediation Program	5,000
7	(f) Kosrae Women Association	5,000
8	(g) V6AJ Radio Station	
9	(Equipments/Operation)	3,000
10	(h) Municipal Governments'	
11	subsidies	40,000
12	(i) Project Management	-0-
13	(j) Walung community water system ..	10,000
14	(k) Kosrae State Government subsidy,	
15	PROVIDED THAT the funds shall be allocated	
16	during the January 2010 Regular Session ...	-0-
17	(l) Bridge Construction	
18	(Finkol, Utwa Municipality)	9,000
19	(m) Kosrae Export Council subsidy ..	15,000
20	(n) Secondary/Farm roads improvement	
21	(i) Lelu Municipality	30,000
22	(ii) Tafunsak Municipality	30,000
23	(iii) Malem Municipality	25,000
24	(iv) Utwa Municipality	25,000
25	(o) NAC operation/equipments	43,000

1	(p) Fwinyalu, Utwa Seawall	
2	improvement	\$ 12,000
3	(q) Kosrae special parents network .	5,000
4	(r) Puksrung, Utwa bridge/farm	
5	road improvement	15,000
6	(s) PIDB (Kosrae State equity	
7	contribution to Pacific Islands	
8	Development Bank)	38,000
9	(t) Yela Environment Landowners	
10	Authority	5,000
11	(u) Kosrae Women Association Meeting	
12	Hall	20,000
13	(3) State of Pohnpei	970,000
14	(a) At-Large	
15	(i) Purchase of Police	
16	Vehicles	63,565
17	(ii) Pohnpei Utilities Corporation,	
18	(funds shall be used to defray cost of	
19	purchase or repair of equipments and	
20	personal safety gears and tools used for	
21	power distribution services)	41,400
22	(iii) Pohnpei Housing Authority	
23	(cost related to the extension	
24	of the Authority's services)	49,980
25	(iv) Pohnpei Transportation	

1	Authority, (funds shall be used to defray	
2	the cost of repairs and parts for road	
3	construction equipments) \$	25,000
4	(v) Purchase of School buses	
5	and other related costs (freight and	
6	terminal handling charges, purchase of	
7	spare parts and repair and labor costs and	
8	POL and operation)	15,055
9	(vi) Water Well Drilling	10,000
10	(vii) Nett Elementary School	
11	improvement	9,319
12	(viii) Pohnpei Fish Market	
13	incentive grant	3,962
14	(ix) Poultry farm and crops	
15	development grant	16,719
16	(x) Pohnpei roads improvement,	
17	including clearing of trees on road sides, over	
18	hanging branches over Pohnpei main road ...	15,000
19	(b) Election District No. 1	220,000
20	(i) Lewetik Road	
21	(Paving or Concrete)	100,000
22	(ii) COM - Tomara Road	
23	(Paving or Concrete)	80,000
24	(iii) Graduate scholarship	20,000
25	(iv) Project Management	-0-

1	(v) Lewetik Road upgrade	\$ 14,000
2	(vi) Vehicle purchase	5,400
3	(vii) Soledi road construction ..	600
4	(c) Election District No. 2	250,000
5	(i) Pohn Al Lap Water Tank	-0-
6	(ii) Ohwa Water System	4,982
7	(iii) Madolenihmw Nahs roof	
8	renovation	8,000
9	(iv) Kitti Fisherman's Market ..	15,000
10	(v) Madolenihmw Nahs retaining	
11	wall	-0-
12	(vi) Salapuk Teacher Aid/	
13	Librarian	10,000
14	(vii) Madolenihmw Municipal	
15	Government subsidy	15,000
16	(viii) Civic Centers	6,924
17	(ix) Secondary/Farm	
18	Roads improvement	18,010
19	(x) NMS High School cook	5,000
20	(xi) BIBA conference	8,619
21	(xii) Micronesian Management	
22	Services	50,000
23	(xiii) Madolenihmw Municipal	
24	Court subsidy	8,000
25	(xiv) Madolenihmw Municipal	

1	Government Inauguration	\$	-0-
2	(xv) ED # 2 Office Renovation and		
3	vehicle purchase		6,513
4	(xvi) ED # 2 Water Delivery		
5	Services		36,964
6	(xvii) Mand Development		
7	Authority		5,000
8	(xviii) Madolenihmw Municipal		
9	Legislative branch subsidy		10,000
10	(xix) Sapwalap Spur line		
11	extension		-0-
12	(xx) ED #2 participation at the		
13	Kosrae Women Conference		2,000
14	(xxi) Youth & Senior Citizen		
15	Programs		10,000
16	(xxii) Election District No. 2		
17	Operation		7,000
18	(xxiii) Nintok/Peleng road maintenance		4,553
19	(xxiv) Other expended social projects		
20	and programs		18,435
21	(d) Election District No. 3		250,000
22	(i) U Municipal government's		
23	roads, bridges and channels improvement/		
24	beautification		65,000
25	(ii) Nett Municipal government's		

1	roads, bridges and channels improvement/	
2	beautification	\$ 40,000
3	(iii) Pingelap Community	
4	Road Improvement	11,000
5	(iv) Pingelap Community	
6	Beautification project	10,000
7	(v) Pingelap Community	
8	markers installation at channels and	
9	channel improvement	2,000
10	(vi) Development of	
11	administration manual and financial	
12	management system for Pingelap Municipal	
13	Government	3,000
14	(vii) Pingelap Municipal	
15	Government Training	3,892
16	(viii) Pingelap Municipal	
17	Government subsidy	4,108
18	(ix) Pingelap Municipal	
19	Government Office renovations	8,000
20	(x) Pingelap Municipal	
21	Government Constitution referendum	3,000
22	(xi) Pingelap Municipal Government	
23	youth and senior citizens program	4,000
24	(xii) Pingelap Municipal	
25	Government Woman's day activities	3,000

1	(xiii) Pingelap Municipal	
2	Government Project site monitoring	\$ 2,000
3	(xiv) Pingelap Municipal Government	
4	Trust Fund 10 percent contribution	6,000
5	(xv) Mokil Municipal government's	
6	roads, bridges and channels	
7	improvement/beautification	60,000
8	(xvi) Nett District Park Project	25,000
9	(4) State of Chuuk	1,336,000
10	(a) At-Large	201,000
11	(i) Public Facilities	
12	constructions, repair and renovation	-0-
13	(ii) Low Income Housing subsidy	
14	/repair/improvement	40,346
15	(iii) Students/Farmers	
16	land transportation	26,500
17	(iv) Financial contribution	
18	to Chuukese Associations in Hawaii/Guam ...	9,000
19	(v) Purchase of fishing	
20	equipments & gears	26,813
21	(vi) Youth Groups' activities	
22	and programs	14,790
23	(vii) Basketball courts	
24	construction	-0-
25	(viii) Rural roads and	

1	seawalls improvement	\$ 12,000
2	(ix) Patients referrals/	
3	Leadership travel	15,000
4	(x) Multipurpose Buildings	
5	repair and renovation	10,000
6	(xi) Women Sewing Project	10,000
7	(xii) Emergency Relief	
8	Assistance Fund	10,000
9	(xiii) Project Management	-0-
10	(xiv) Social Security	
11	Premium Contribution	2,171
12	(xv) Chuuk-Pohnpei - Sokehs	
13	community meeting hall construction	-0-
14	(xvi) Farming, Seedling and	
15	Farming tools	5,000
16	(xvii) Students' Financial	
17	Assistance	10,000
18	(xviii) Land Transportation	10,000
19	(b) Election District No. 1	236,000
20	(i) Public Facilities	7,000
21	(ii) Students' Transportation .	18,000
22	(iii) POL	15,000
23	(iv) Community Centers'	
24	Renovation/housing improvement	50,000
25	(v) Leadership Travel	3,942

1	(vi) Leadership conference \$	21,252
2	(vii) Associations' financial	
3	assistance/contributions	9,900
4	(viii) Project Management/	
5	Contractual Services	-0-
6	(ix) Roads Improvement	8,000
7	(x) Airport site clearance	4,500
8	(xi) Nema Municipal Government	
9	subsidy	6,000
10	(xii) Losap Municipal	
11	Government subsidy	5,000
12	(xiii) Pis-Emwar Municipal	
13	Government subsidy	5,000
14	(xiv) Namoluk Municipal	
15	Government subsidy	3,978
16	(xv) Ettal Municipal	
17	Ordination celebration	5,000
18	(xvi) Moch Municipal	
19	Government subsidy	-0-
20	(xvii) Kuttu Municipal	
21	Government subsidy	5,000
22	(xviii) Ta Municipal Government	
23	subsidy	5,000
24	(xix) Satowan Municipal	
25	Government subsidy	4,500

1	(viii) Disaster/Emergency	
2	Relief Assistance Fund	\$ 7,675
3	(ix) Farming Supplemental	
4	Funding	13,644
5	(x) Project Management	-0-
6	(xi) Weno Municipal Government	
7	Special Election	4,935
8	(xii) Fono Municipal Government	
9	subsidy	4,615
10	(xiii) Piis-Panau Municipal	
11	Government subsidy	5,000
12	(xiv) Road improvement and	
13	heavy equipment purchase	60,616
14	(xv) Food security program	18,167
15	(d) Election District No. 3	230,000
16	(i) Housing & Community Halls .	39,474
17	(ii) Fishing projects	47,242
18	(iii) Municipal governments'	
19	subsidies	34,591
20	(iv) Land purchase/acquisition .	10,000
21	(v) Public Facilities'	
22	repair/renovation	12,984
23	(vi) Youth Groups sports &	
24	program	9,143
25	(vii) Project Management/Travel .	4,000

1	(viii) Tourism promotions/	
2	Entrepreneurship subsidy	\$ 17,772
3	(ix) Land transportation	15,000
4	(x) Farming projects &	
5	Solar Power system	4,103
6	(xi) Social Relief Assistance ..	8,797
7	(xii) NGOs' funding assistance ..	6,271
8	(xiii) Sewing Project	4,830
9	(xiv) Southern Nomeneas Development	
10	Authority operation	5,000
11	(xv) Kuchu Parish community hall	4,693
12	(xvi) Travel needs	10,835
13	(e) Election District No. 4	225,000
14	(i) Fishing Project	35,000
15	(ii) Wonip Road	
16	improvement/beautification	10,000
17	(iii) Paata Road Improvement	10,000
18	(iv) Leadership Exposure &	
19	Travel	10,000
20	(v) Water System Project	10,000
21	(vi) Land Transportation	25,000
22	(vii) Disaster Relief Assistance	15,000
23	(viii) FDA Operation	-0-
24	(ix) Low Income Housing	30,000
25	(x) Polle Municipal	

1	government subsidy	\$ 10,000
2	(xi) Ramanum Municipal	
3	government subsidy	10,000
4	(xii) Udot Municipal	
5	government subsidy	10,000
6	(xiii) Youth Groups	
7	activities/programs	20,000
8	(xiv) Multipurpose Building	
9	repair/renovation	10,000
10	(xv) Students' financial	
11	assistance	10,000
12	(xvi) CSCIP	-0-
13	(xvii) Sewing project	10,000
14	(f) Election District No. 5	229,000
15	(i) Transportation expenses	
16	relating to human remains and related costs	15,000
17	(ii) Municipal projects/	
18	subsidies	81,000
19	(iii) Disaster Relief Assistance	26,000
20	(iv) Transportation needs	10,000
21	(v) Contractual Services for	
22	project coordinators	14,000
23	(vi) COM-FSM Students' Financial	
24	Assistance	23,000
25	(vii) Multipurpose building	

1	construction/renovation	\$	9,000
2	(viii) Ice Plant repair or		
3	purchase		7,000
4	(ix) Election District No. 5		
5	Association subsidies		9,000
6	(x) Contractual Services		
7	for Grant writers		-0-
8	(xi) Transportation needs		27,000
9	(xii) Contractual Services for		
10	Teachers at Halls Islands High School,		
11	Chuuk State		8,000"

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

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Peter M. Christian
 President
 Federated States of Micronesia

1	(xx) Lekinioch Municipal	
2	Government subsidy	\$ 4,350
3	(xxi) Oneop Municipal	
4	Government subsidy	5,500
5	(xxii) Youth Centers Renovation ..	7,012
6	(xxiii) Students' Financial	
7	Assistance	4,850
8	(xxiv) Youth Musical Instruments .	5,000
9	(xxv) CSCIP	-0-
10	(xxvi) Solar system project	32,216
11	(c) Election District No. 2	215,000
12	(i) Students' Financial	
13	Assistance	15,000
14	(ii) Housing Renovation	
15	Assistance	22,663
16	(iii) Water Sources Systems	
17	Development	4,603
18	(iv) Rural Roads Improvement	
19	Project	33,781
20	(v) Human Remains	
21	Repatriation	-0-
22	(vi) Community Buildings	
23	Rehabilitation Project	24,301
24	(vii) Youth Facilities	
25	Development Supplemental Funding	-0-