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A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 16-49, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 16-68, 16-76, 17-06, 17-10, 17-23, 17-30, 17-32, 17-45, 17-82, 17-85, 18-28, 18-45, 18-59, 18-86, 19-11, 19-106, 19-110, 20-108, 21-16, 21-122 and 22-124, by amending section 6 thereof, for the purpose of extending the lapse date of certain funds previously appropriated therein, to fund public projects and social programs in each of the states, and for other purposes.

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

1       Section 1. Section 6 of Public Law No. 16-49, as amended by  
2 Public Laws Nos. 17-10, 17-45, 17-85, 18-28, 18-86, 19-11, 19-106,  
3 19-110, 20-108, 21-16, 21-122 and 22-124, is further hereby  
4 amended to read as follows:

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

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1           section 4(1)(b) shall be the Pohnpei Transportation  
2           Authority and the allottee of the funds appropriated  
3           under section 4(1)(j) shall be the Mayor of Kolonia Town  
4           Government. The allottee of funds appropriated under  
5           section 3 of this act shall be the Governor of Yap State.  
6           The allottee of funds appropriated under subsections  
7           5(1), 5(6) and 5(7) of this act shall be the Governor of  
8           Chuuk State or his designee. The allottee of funds  
9           appropriated under subsection 5(2) of this act shall be  
10          the Mortlock Islands Development Authority (MIDA). The  
11          allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 5(3) of  
12          this act shall be the Mayor of Weno Municipal Government  
13          or his designee. The allottee of funds appropriated under  
14          subsection 5(4) of this act shall be the Southern  
15          Namoneas Development Authority. The allottee of funds  
16          appropriated under subsection 5(5) of this act shall be  
17          the Faichuk Development Authority. The funds  
18          appropriated by this act shall lapse on September 30,  
19          [~~2024~~] 2026."

20          Section 2. This act shall become law upon approval by the  
21 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its  
22 becoming law without such approval.

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24 Date: 5/14/24

Introduced by: /s/ Quincy Lawrence  
Quincy Lawrence

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