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A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend 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, 19-108, 20-34, 20-109, 21-26 and 21-108, by amending section 2 thereof, to change the allottee and lapse date of certain funds previously appropriated therein, for the purpose of funding social programs and projects in Chuuk state, and for other purposes.

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

1           Section 1. Section 2 of Public Law No. 16-18, as amended  
2 by Public Laws Nos. 16-24, 17-14, 17-39, 18-27, 18-80, 19-13,  
3 19-108, 20-109 and 21-26, is hereby further amended to read as  
4 follows:

5           "Section 2. 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 laws, 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  
13 no obligations are incurred in excess of the sum  
14 appropriated. The allottee of the funds appropriated  
15 under subsections 1 and 2 of section 1 of this act shall  
16 be the President of the Federated States of Micronesia  
17 or his designee, EXCEPT THAT the allottee of funds

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1           appropriated under subsections 2(a), (b), (c), (d), (e),  
2           (f), (g), (j), (n(i)), (p), (q) and (r) of this act  
3           shall be the Mayor of Lelu Municipal Government; the  
4           allottee of funds appropriated under sections 1(4)(a)[~~7~~  
5           ~~1(4)(e)~~] and 1(4)(f) shall be the Governor of Chuuk  
6           State or his designee; the allottee of funds  
7           appropriated under section 1(4)(b) shall be the Mortlock  
8           Islands Development Authority; the allottee of funds  
9           appropriated under section 1(4)(c) of this act shall be  
10          the Mayor of Weno Municipal Government or his designee;  
11          the allottee of funds appropriated under section 1(4)(d)  
12          shall be the Faichuk Development Authority; the allottee  
13          of funds appropriated under section 1(4)(e) shall be the  
14          Southern Namoneas Development Authority. The allottee  
15          of funds appropriated under section 1(1) of this act  
16          shall be the Governor of the State of Yap. The  
17          authority of the allottee to obligate funds appropriated  
18          by this act shall lapse on September 30, [~~2020~~] 2022."

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1           Section 2. 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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5 Date: 5/20/20

Introduced by: /s/ Victor V. Gouland  
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