
A BILL FOR AN ACT

To amend sections 1, 8 and 9 of Public Law No. 20-131, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 20-154, 20-159, 20-172, 20-187 and 21-10, in order to appropriate \$868,058 of additional funds from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2019, to provide additional funding for the operations of the National Government of the Federated States of Micronesia, various grants, subsidies and contributions and capital improvement projects, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Section 1 of Public Law No. 20-131, as amended
2 by Public Laws Nos. 20-154, 20-159, 20-172, 20-187, 21-03 and
3 21-10, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

4 "Purpose. The purpose of this act is to appropriate the
5 sum of [~~\$99,791,399~~] \$100,659,457 from the General Fund
6 of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal
7 year ending September 30, 2019, for the purpose of
8 funding the operations of all branches of the National
9 Government of the Federated States of Micronesia, its
10 agencies, various programs, grants, subsidies and
11 contributions and Capital and Human Resources
12 Development. The National Government's share of the
13 Amended Compact funds has been reduced to zero; EXCEPT
14 THAT; the National Government will retain the Compact
15 Sector Grant amount form COM-FSM and 10 percent of the
16 Supplemental Education Grant funds as is reflected in
17 the budget from the Department of Education. The sum

1 appropriated herein shall be apportioned as follows:"

2 Section 2. Section 8 of Public Law No. 20-131, as amended
 3 by Public Laws Nos. 20-154, 20-159, 20-174 and 20-187, is
 4 hereby further amended to read as follows:

5 "Section 8. Grants, Subsidies and Contributions. The
 6 sum of [~~\$21,179,960~~] \$21,451,018, or so much thereof as
 7 may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the
 8 General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for
 9 the fiscal year ending September 30, 2019, for the
 10 following grants, subsidies and contributions during
 11 fiscal year 2019. The sum appropriated by this section
 12 shall be apportioned as follows:

13 (1) Office of the President.

14	(a) Asia-Pacific Institute for Broadcasting	
15	Development (AIBD).....	4,500
16	(b) Asia-Pacific Broadcasting Union.	800
17	(c) Pacific Island News Association.	350
18	(d) Asia Pacific Investment.....	250
19	(e) Former Presidents' Allowance....	50,000
20	(f) Joint Committee on Compact Review	
21	and Planning (JCRP).....	825,000
22	(g) Presidential inauguration.....	400,000
23	(h) Settlement efforts of Foreign	
24	Labor Claims in Chuuk.....	65,000

25 (2) Department of Foreign Affairs.

1	(a) The Forum Secretariat.....	\$ 57,000
2	(b) Secretariat for Pacific Community	65,000
3	(c) ESCAP.....	5,000
4	(d) UN Membership Fee.....	50,000
5	(e) East-West Center.....	5,000
6	(f) ACP Cotonou Membership Fees.....	17,000
7	(g) SPC Office Rental.....	30,950
8	(h) Pacific Island Forum.....	-0-
9	(i) SIS Program.....	10,000
10	(j) IOM Membership Fee.....	600
11	(k) SPC Host Grant.....	20,000
12	(l) First Regular Session of the	
13	Twenty-First Congress – Travel for Honorary	
14	Consuls	50,000
15	(m) FSM Consulate Guam – Early termination	
16	of lease fees	34,343
17	(3) <u>Department of Finance and Administration.</u>	
18	(a) CTA-OCO Membership fee.....	14,024
19	(b) Maintenance Fee for Financial Management	
20	Information System (FMIS)	55,000
21	(c) PITTA – CTA	9,000
22	(d) ADB, IMF & Budget, Finance Policy	
23	Consultations	25,000
24	(e) Macro Economist Advisor.....	200,000
25	(f) Global Forum Membership Fee.....	26,000

1	(g) PFTAC Membership Fee.....	\$ 20,000
2	(h) CTA Conference	35,000
3	(i) FSM Trust Fund board member travel	
4	to initiate investment dialogue	26,000
5	(j) Finance Conference, including	
6	replenishment	
7	of past expenditure – Pohnpei	15,000
8	(4) <u>Department of Resources and Development.</u>	
9	(a) Pacific Islands Development	
10	Program (PIDF).....	15,000
11	(b) Forum Fisheries Agency (FFA) Fee	62,638
12	(c) Pacific Asian Travel Association	
13	(PATA)	6,000
14	(d) United Nations Development Program	
15	(UNDP)	30,000
16	(e) Micronesian Challenge Endowment	
17	Fund	100,000
18	(f) Food Agriculture Organization FAO	4,800
19	(g) Western Forestry Leadership Coalition	530
20	(h) Matching to SPC Projects.....	60,000
21	(i) Micronesian Challenge.....	10,000
22	(j) Micronesian Cruise Association..	2,500
23	(k) South Pacific Tourism Organization	8,000
24	(l) International Animal Health	
25	Organization (OIE)	23,000

1	(m) IRENA.....	\$ 250
2	(n) Micronesia Trade Committee.....	30,000
3	(o) Convention on Biological Diversity	
4	(CBD)	1,000
5	(p) IFAD.....	500
6	(q) Micronesian Island Forum (MIF).	15,000
7	(r) UNIDO Membership Dues.....	1,000
8	(s) MIF Membership and Contribution	15,000
9	(5) <u>Department of Health and Social Affairs.</u>	
10	(a) UNFPA.....	3,000
11	(b) WHO.....	4,650
12	(c) FSM Sport Association.....	-0-
13	(d) PIHOA.....	20,000
14	(e) Territorial Health.....	4,000
15	(f) National Board of Nursing and Medical	
16	Licensing	45,000
17	(g) Red Cross.....	70,000
18	(h) Vaccine Purchase.....	50,000
19	(i) UN Women.....	1,000
20	(j) Drug Quality Testing Project...	4,000
21	(k) National Therapeutics & Standards	
22	Committee	17,000
23	(l) Anti-microbial resistance (AMR)	10,000
24	(m) FSM Vector Surveillance & Control	
25	Project	70,000

1	(n) Prior year obligations for maternal &	
2	child health program staff moved to state	
3	offices	\$ 4,766
4	(o) Supplemental Psychiatrist need to assist	
5	existing Department of HS&A activities and	
6	support	
7	DOJ activities under HT victims/witnesses	10,000
8	(p) 2019 Pacific Games.....	150,000
9	(6) <u>Department of Education.</u>	
10	(a) Aid for Non-Public Schools.....	600,000
11	(b) Aid to CMI Students.....	40,000
12	(c) Aid to PCC Students.....	150,000
13	(d) National Scholarship.....	2,500,000
14	(e) National Close-up.....	75,000
15	(f) Merit Scholarship.....	275,000
16	(g) Aid to FSM Students in Japan...	100,000
17	(h) Caroline College & Pastoral Institute	50,000
18	(i) Faithwalk Christian College....	50,000
19	(7) <u>Department of Transportation, Communication</u>	
20	<u>and Infrastructure.</u>	
21	(a) Asia Pacific Telecommunity.....	11,000
22	(b) International Telecommunication	
23	Union	20,867
24	(c) ICAO..... [28,050]	<u>299,108</u>
25	(d) FSM Capital Energy.....	600,000

1	(e) Micronesian Shipping Commission	
2	(MSC)	\$ 25,000
3	(f) Fuel and Provisions for Caroline	
4	Voyager and Navigator	1,345,830
5	(g) Shipping and prior years costs	
6	and obligations including for contractual	
7	services	98,465
8	(h) Ship crews: current and prior	
9	years overtime obligations	130,000
10	(8) <u>Department of Justice.</u>	
11	(a) State Joint Law Enforcement: Kosrae	30,000
12	(b) State Joint Law Enforcement: Pohnpei	50,000
13	(c) State Joint Law Enforcement: Chuuk	100,000
14	(d) State Joint Law Enforcement: Yap	30,000
15	(e) Police Academy.....	200,000
16	(f) Settlement of Civil Action Nos.	
17	2013-036, 2017-027, and 2017-029	21,198
18	(g) Fuel Subsidy.....	100,000
19	(h) Contract for Mr. Jim Stovall for	
20	legal support for JCRP	160,000
21	(i) National & State Anti Human	
22	Trafficking Conference	60,000
23	(j) National Police Contractual for NP	
24	Office Lease in Kosrae	15,000
25	(k) National Police furniture for NP	

1	Office – Kosrae	\$ 10,000
2	(l) National Police OCE for NP Office –	
3	Kosrae	7,000
4	(m) Immigration and Labor: current and	
5	prior years overtime obligations	60,000
6	(n) MIF Security.....	40,000
7	(o) Costs relating to litigation	
8	cases/settlement and litigation activities,	
9	including PII Litigation/	
10	Arbitration.	1,250,000
11	(p) FY16/FY17 Obligations for James	
12	Stovall	160,000
13	9. <u>Congress of the Federated States of</u>	
14	<u>Micronesia.</u>	
15	(a) IPU Conferences.....	250,000
16	(b) Climate Change Conferences.....	50,000
17	(c) ACP.....	30,000
18	(d) APPU.....	-0-
19	(e) APPF.....	50,000
20	(f) Staff Upgrade.....	25,000
21	(g) World Bank-IMF Annual Meeting...	50,000
22	(h) MRA Conference in Japan.....	30,000
23	(i) Fisheries Meetings.....	30,000
24	(j) IPU Annual Dues.....	12,500
25	(k) COFA Alliance National Network(CANN)	25,000

1	(l) Travel to Investment Advisor	
2	(Wilshire)	\$ 70,000
3	(m) Compact Historical Project.....	160,000
4	(n) Twenty-First Congress-Inauguration	50,000
5	(10) <u>Department of Environment, Climate Change</u>	
6	<u>and</u>	
7	<u>Emergency Management</u>	
8	(a) UNEP.....	835
9	(b) UNFCCC.....	325
10	(c) UNCCD.....	195
11	(d) SPREP Membership.....	10,768
12	(e) Waigani Convention.....	1,190
13	(f) SPREP-Noumea Convention.....	1,764
14	(g) Earth Day Activities.....	15,000
15	(h) 6 th Bi-Annual Environment Conference	20,000
16	(i) FSM FEMA Disaster Matching.....	-0-
17	(j) Basel Convention.....	197
18	(k) Kyoto Protocol.....	484
19	(l) WMO Membership.....	15,000
20	(m) FSM Disaster Fund Matching (DAEF)	200,000
21	(11) <u>Office of National Archive, Culture and</u>	
22	<u>Historic Preservation</u>	
23	(a) UNESCO.....	4,000
24	(b) NCSHPO.....	2,760
25	(c) PARBICA.....	100

1	(d) PIALA.....	\$	100
2	(e) WHC.....		54
3	(f) Library Fee.....		50
4	<u>(12) Other Grants, Subsidies and Contributions</u>		
5	(a) COM Board Meeting.....		5,000
6	(b) COM-FSM Treaty Obligation.....		25,000
7	(c) FSM Social Security		
8	Administration		1,000,000
9	(d) FSM National Government		
10	Employee's Health Insurance Plan		-0-
11	(e) State Judiciaries: Kosrae.....		40,000
12	(f) State Judiciaries: Pohnpei.....		60,000
13	(g) State Judiciaries: Chuuk.....		110,000
14	(h) State Judiciaries: Yap.....		40,000
15	(i) Micronesian Legal Services		
16	Corporation (MLSC)		250,000
17	(j) NORMA – WCPFC Tuna Commission Fee		257,284
18	(k) Independence Day Activities.....		50,000
19	(l) MLFC Loan Payment.....		260,000
20	(m) Single Audit Fee (FY 2018).....		460,000
21	(n) Staff Housing.....		635,000
22	(o) Recruitment and Repatriation....		223,218
23	(p) 2019 General Election.....		350,000
24	(q) Legal and Advocacy Services in		
25	Washington D.C. (A&P)		2,000,000

1	(r) MiCare arrears.....	\$ 650,000
2	(s) Caroline Island Air: Subsidy...	375,000
3	(t) Postal Services—prior year	
4	grievance for Mr. Ramirez	1,500
5	(u) NORMA—Contribution to FSM	
6	Transparency in Tuna Technology (T3) for	
7	electronic monitoring	50,000
8	(v) Micro Games – Outstanding	
9	obligations	50,000
10	(w) MiCare – Subsidy.....	500,000
11	(x) Clemson University Student	
12	Leadership Program – to be apportioned as	
13	follows:	200,000
14	(1) Kosrae	50,000
15	(2) Pohnpei	50,000
16	(3) Chuuk	50,000
17	(4) Yap	50,000
18	(y) MLSC Subsidy – to be apportioned	
19	as follows:	200,000
20	(1) Kosrae	50,000
21	(2) Pohnpei	50,000
22	(3) Chuuk	50,000
23	(4) Yap	50,000
24	(z) DOJ-outstanding payables, including	
25	prior years, to various vendors & payment	

1	of annual leaves	\$ 24,927
2	(z1) FY2019 Special Election.....	190,015
3	(z2) FSM Postal Services –	
4	outstanding prior years obligations	
5	lease for Chuuk Post Office (Deal Fair) ..	2,983
6	(z3) Replenishment of reprogrammed	
7	funds as a result of emergency declaration	180,000
8	(z4) President’s Office current	
9	and prior years outstanding obligations ..	50,994
10	(z5) Pacific Missionary Aviation-	
11	Subsidy	100,000
12	(z6) Department of Foreign Affairs	
13	(acting capacity for more than 90 days –	
14	Carl Apis)	32,390
15	(z7) Department of Finance (acting	
16	capacity for more than 90 days – Rose	
17	Nakanaga	6,841
18	(z8) Office of President – residential	
19	security and furnishing and related	
20	purposes	40,000
21	(z9) Office of President renovation....	30,000
22	(z10) Department of Finance (CTA &	
23	FSM Treasury Field Offices Prior year	
24	obligations – Yap Utilities	26,500
25	(z11) DOJ acting capacity for more than	

1	60 days – Johnson Asher	\$ 30,000
2	(z12) Department of TC&I prior year	
3	obligation for services rendered by PMU ..	46,500
4	(z13) NACH current and prior year	
5	obligation for UNESCO	20,500
6	(z14) Department of Health and Social	
7	Affairs prior year contractual	
8	obligations	44,000
9	(z15) FSM Country Review processes	
10	under UNCAC and related activities	6,000
11	(z16) Judiciary Medical Expenses.....	94,125"

12 Section 3. Section 9 of Public Law No. 20-131,
 13 as amended by Public Laws Nos. 20-154, 20-159, 20-174
 14 and 20-187, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

15 "Section 9. Capital and Human Resources Development.
 16 The sum of [~~\$39,286,837~~] \$39,883,837, or so much thereof
 17 as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the
 18 General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for
 19 the fiscal year ending September 30, 2019, for the
 20 following capital improvements, development programs, and
 21 projects and human resources development. Of the total
 22 amount of funds appropriated herein, \$1,256,025 shall be
 23 deemed to come from funds available under the
 24 Supplemental Education Grant and \$1,000,000 shall be
 25 deemed to come from funds available under the Compact

1 Sector Grants. The sum appropriated by this section
 2 shall be apportioned as follows:

3 (1) College of Micronesia – FSM.

4 (a) College of Micronesia–FSM.....\$ 4,050,000

5 (b) FSM Fisheries and Maritime

6 Institute (FMI) 875,611

7 (c) College of Micronesia–FSM SEG

8 Funding 689,948

9 (d) COM–FSM Building Infrastructure

10 Project -0-

11 (e) COM–FSM Endowment Fund..... 316,000

12 (f) Outstanding tuition of current

13 and former students with a balance of

14 over \$50 and minimum GPA of 2.0 300,000

15 (2) Department of Finance and Administration

16 (a) FSM Warehouse Lease and Maintenance 40,000

17 (b) PCD Awareness and Training..... 15,000

18 (c) Municipal Accounting System..... 50,000

19 (d) FSM Trust Fund Board Members &

20 Secretariat Operational Funding Support 50,000

21 (3) Department of Resources and Development

22 (a) FSM Association of Chamber of

23 Commerce/Support to COC 67,000

24 (b) R&D SNLC..... 60,000

25 (c) National Coastal Fisheries

1	Monitoring Team	\$ 16,325
2	(d) Strengthening Organizational	
3	Planning, Management & Accountability	
4	Capacity of National/State Private Sector	
5	Organizations in the FSM	42,319
6	(e) 2018/19 Household Income and	
7	Expenditure Survey	155,000
8	(f) 2020 CPH.....	1,516,315
9	(g) Enhancing Tourism: Kosrae –	
10	subsidy to the Office of the Governor	
11	of the State of Kosrae; PROVIDED THAT,	
12	no funds shall be used for travel expenses	500,000
13	(h) Enhancing Tourism: Pohnpei.....	750,000
14	(i) Enhancing Tourism: Chuuk – to be	
15	apportioned as follows:	750,000
16	(1) Chuuk Visitors Bureau.....	230,000
17	(2) Environmental Protection	
18	Agency –Solid Waste Program	200,000
19	(3) Department of Agriculture –	
20	Forestry & Conservation	100,000
21	(4) Department of Marine	
22	Resources – Watershed Protection & Invasive	
23	Species Plan	200,000
24	(5) CWC.....	20,000
25	(j) Enhancing Tourism: Yap – to be	

1	apportioned as follows:	\$ 500,000
2	(1) Yap Chamber of Commerce.....	50,000
3	(2) Airport Improvement – for the	
4	purchase and installation of X-ray	
5	screening equipment and baggage carousel at	
6	airport	450,000
7	(4) <u>Department of Transportation,</u>	
8	<u>Communications and Infrastructure</u>	
9	(a) Operation and Dry-Docking of	
10	Caroline Voyager and Navigator	1,500,000
11	(b) Outer Island Airports.....	-0-
12	(c) FSM National Government Computer	
13	Network	277,420
14	(d) New Warehouse Building.....	200,000
15	(e) Airport needs.....	230,000
16	(f) Chief Mailo Supplemental	
17	dry-docking & repair ... and other needs	600,000
18	(g) FSMTCC (OAE – IRU)	500,000
19	(h) Telin invoices.....	340,000
20	(i) FSM Contribution – China Aid	
21	Projects	500,000
22	(j) To supplement back-up generator.	244,000
23	(k) <u>Palikir Capital Complex Road</u>	
24	<u>Improvement</u>	<u>300,000</u>
25	(l) <u>Micronesian Navigator (damage</u>	

1	<u>repair & generator</u>	<u>\$ 157,000</u>
2	(5) <u>Department of Justice</u>	
3	(a) Anti-Human Trafficking Enforcement,	
4	Campaign, and Investigation	100,000
5	(b) Victim Shelter and Services.....	100,000
6	(6) <u>Department of Environment, Climate</u>	
7	<u>Change and Emergency Management</u>	
8	(a) Fourth Disaster Risk Management	
9	Environment Conference	30,000
10	(b) National & State Table Top	
11	Exercise	30,000
12	(c) Outer Island Trip Assessment –	
13	Climate Change & Disaster Risk Management	80,000
14	(d) DECCEM–Contract GIS Survey	
15	services–Kosrae, Chuuk & Yap	180,000
16	(7) <u>President’s Office</u>	
17	(a) FSM Trust Fund.....	10,000,000
18	(8) <u>National Election Commission Office</u>	
19	(a) Voter ID Card and New Voter	
20	Registration Project	242,322
21	(9) <u>Department of Health and Social Affairs</u>	
22	(a) Histo Pathologist.....	58,000
23	(b) Food/Water lab.....	58,000
24	(c) Medical Team.....	-0-
25	(d) Doctors: Foundation Project....	-0-

1	(e) MOE-BHWP Med.....	\$ 22,200
2	(f) Electronic Health Record	
3	System	150,000
4	(g) Rheumatic Heart Program.....	110,000
5	(h) Private Room Facilities at Pohpei	
6	Hospital	450,000
7	(i) <u>Support to Yap State for Dengue</u>	
8	<u>Outbreak</u>	<u>90,000</u>
9	(10) <u>Department of Education</u>	
10	(a) NDOE Year 3 Project (SEG).....	566,077
11	(b) School Accreditation.....	200,000
12	(c) Teacher Certification Project...	168,000
13	(d) Development Quality.....	82,650
14	(11) <u>Department of Foreign Affairs</u>	
15	(a) FSM Embassy in Suva, Fiji	
16	Residence	300,000
17	(b) Purchase of Ambassador's	
18	Residence Washington D.C.	1,500,000
19	(c) Down-payment for the purchase of	
20	facility to house FSM Embassy in Tokyo,	
21	Japan	3,000,000
22	(12) <u>NORMA</u>	
23	(a) Commemoration of World Tuna	
24	Day 2019	25,000
25	(b) FFC Meetings.....	80,000

1	(13) <u>National Postal Services</u>	
2	(a) Postal Management and Financial	
3	Services	\$ 210,000
4	(14) <u>Telecommunication Regulatory Authority</u>	
5	(a) Subsidy: Startup needs of TRA.	150,000
6	(15) <u>Other Capital and Human Resources</u>	
7	<u>Development</u>	
8	(a) Conservation Society in each state to be	
9	apportioned as follows:	200,000
10	(1) Kosrae.....	50,000
11	(2) Pohnpei.....	50,000
12	(3) Chuuk.....	50,000
13	(4) Yap.....	50,000
14	(b) Pohnpei State Supreme Court.....	100,000
15	(c) Capital Improvement Projects:	
16	Kosrae – for 3G coverage	300,000
17	(d) Capital Improvement Projects:	
18	Pohnpei	300,000
19	(e) Capital Improvement Projects:	
20	Chuuk – to be apportioned as follows: ..	300,000
21	(1) Mida’s Vessels.....	50,000
22	(2) Sea Haven Charter.....	50,000
23	(3) Weno Road & heavy Equipment	
24	purchase	200,000
25	(f) Capitol Improvement Projects: Yap – to	

1	fund construction of a library and science lab at	
2	Yap Catholic High School	\$ 300,000
3	(g) Land Acquisition – Guam.....	1,500,000
4	(h) Dialysis Machine – Pohnpei State	
5	Hospital	300,000
6	(i) FSM National Women’s Council....	50,000
7	(j) Palikir Water System project....	653,000
8	(k) TC&I Repair of Caroline Voyager.	500,000
9	(l) TC&I Dry-docking of Chief Mailo.	1,221,650
10	(m) Additional National Continental	
11	Shelf Claim formulation and negotiation	
12	Pursuant To UNCLOS	150,000
13	(n) Faichuk Post Office.....	100,000
14	(o) Paperless Trail, Inc.....	300,000
15	(p) FSM Youth Summits – Guam.....	35,000”

16 Section 4. This act shall become law upon approval by the
17 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its
18 becoming law without such approval.

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20 Date: 9/12/19

Introduces by: /s/ Florencio S. Harper
Florencio S. Harper
(by request)

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