

AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 19-32, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 19-45, 19-61, 19-83, 19-95, 19-122 and 20-79, by amending sections 1, 9 and 12 thereof, to correct technical errors in Public Law No. 20-79, to change the use of funds previously appropriated therein, and for other purposes.

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

1           Section 1. Purpose. The purpose of this Act is to change  
2 the use of funds previously appropriated in Section 9 of Public  
3 Law No. 19-32 (the FY 2016 Budget Bill), as amended by Public Laws  
4 Nos. 19-45, 19-61, 19-83, 19-95, 19-122 and 20-79. This Act also  
5 corrects technical errors in Public Law No. 20-79; Public Law No.  
6 20-79 accidentally omitted many line items previously appropriated  
7 therein and this Act reinstates those line items. Most of these  
8 items had been fully expended before being omitted in Public Law  
9 20-79, the technical corrections herein are to correct the  
10 historical record. This Act appropriates no new funds.

11           Section 2. Section 1 of Public Law No. 19-32, as amended by  
12 Public Laws Nos. 19-45, 19-61, 19-83, 19-95 and 20-79, is hereby  
13 further amended to read as follows:

14                   "Section 1. Title. The title of this act is as  
15 follows: To appropriate the sum of \$80,290,899 from the  
16 General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for  
17 the fiscal year ending September 30, 2016, for the  
18 purpose of funding the operations of all branches of the  
19 National Government of the Federated States of

1           Micronesia, its agencies, various programs, grants,  
2           subsidies and contributions and Capital and Human  
3           Resources Development. The National Government's share  
4           of the Amended Compact funds has been reduced to zero  
5           except that the National Government will retain 10  
6           percent of the Supplemental Education Grant funds as is  
7           reflected in the budget for the Department of Education.  
8           The sum appropriated herein shall be apportioned as  
9           follows:"

10          Section 3. Section 9 of Public Law No. 19-32, as amended by  
11 Public Laws Nos. 19-61, 19-83, 19-95, 19-122 and 20-79, is hereby  
12 further amended to read as follows:

13           "Section 9. Capital and Human Resources Development.  
14           The sum of \$38,184,608, or so much thereof as may be  
15           necessary, is hereby appropriated from the General Fund  
16           of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal  
17           year ending September 30, 2016, for the following  
18           capital improvements, development programs, and projects  
19           and human resources development. Of the total amount of  
20           funds appropriated herein, \$689,598 shall be deemed to  
21           come from funds available under the Amended Compact from  
22           the Supplemental Education Grant. The sum appropriated  
23           by this section shall be apportioned as follows:

24           (1) College of Micronesia – FSM.

25                   (a) College of Micronesia–FSM..... \$       3,800,000

1	(b) FSM Fisheries and Maritime Institute	\$ 833,915
2	(c) COM-FSM SEG.....	683,948
3	(2) <u>Department of Finance &amp; Administration</u>	
4	(a) FSM Warehouse Lease & Maintenance	100,000
5	(b) PCD Awareness Initiative.....	15,000
6	(3) <u>Department of Resources &amp; Development</u>	
7	(a) FSM Assn. Chamber of Commerce..	67,000
8	(b) State Trade Fairs enhancing	
9	value addition.....	40,000
10	(c) SNLC.....	50,000
11	(d) FSM Agriculture Census.....	-0-
12	(e) SBDC Capacity Assessment.....	-0-
13	(f) National Trade Facilitation	
14	Conference (NTFC).....	75,000
15	(g) Food Security Production.....	100,000
16	(h) Secretariat/Hosting conference,	
17	equipment, materials.....	10,000
18	(i) Foreign Investment Review .....	-0-
19	(j) Implement National Tourism Policy	35,000
20	(k) Trade Advisory Service.....	-0-
21	(l) Tourism Advisory Service.....	-0-
22	(m) Assistance to States for Tourism	
23	Investment Plan Implementation.....	1,951,201
24	(n) Phase II Foreign Investment Review	18,278
25	(4) <u>Department of Transportation,</u>	

1	<u>Communications and Infrastructure.</u>	
2	(a) Outer Island Airport Improvement	\$ 1,500,000
3	(b) Capital Facilities Rehabilitation	500,000
4	(c) Sekere-Palikir Road, Bridge,	
5	and Pavement Drainage.....	300,000
6	(d) Operation & Drydocking Boats....	2,500,000
7	(e) Caroline Island Air.....	150,000
8	(f) Chuuk Air Service Agreement.....	-0-
9	(g) Equipment replacement for Voyager	211,100
10	(h) Radar Replacement.....	78,700
11	(i) AIP Matching Funds.....	3,360,075
12	(j) Installation of water maker	
13	on the Voyager.....	138,450
14	(k) Internet Pmt. For National	
15	Government Complex from April to September 2016	63,710
16	(5) <u>Department of Justice.</u>	
17	(a) Patrol boat major maintenance	
18	project.....	125,000
19	(b) Hosting of PILON Meeting.....	20,000
20	(c) Humanitarian assistance to	
21	detained foreign nationals in the states	
22	of Yap and Pohnpei:.....	45,000
23	(d) Anti-trafficking in persons	
24	& anti-human smuggling .....	30,000
25	(6) <u>Department of Environment, Climate Change &amp;</u>	

1	<u>Emergency Management</u>	
2	(a) Fostering Sustainable	
3	Solid Waste Mng .....	\$ 125,000
4	(7) <u>President's Office</u>	
5	(a) FSM Trust Fund to be distributed equally	
6	among the Sub-Accounts of the four FSM states	10,000,000
7	(b) Staff upgrading.....	100,000
8	(c) 2023 Investment Development Fund	-0-
9	(d) Implementation of ODA Policy ...	50,000
10	(e) 2016 Development Partners Meeting	75,000
11	(f) Compact Review Committee.....	50,000
12	(g) Purchase of land in Guam for	
13	relocation of the Consulate Office, moving	
14	expenses and relocation costs.....	2,000,000
15	(8) <u>National Election.</u>	
16	(a) National Election (voter ID)....	50,000
17	(9) <u>Department of Health and Social Affairs</u>	
18	(a) Health Services Specialty Pathologist	50,000
19	(b) Environmental/water/food/lab test	78,000
20	(c) Medical Specialized Team.....	195,000
21	(d) Health Network.....	-0-
22	(e) FSM Women Conference.....	60,000
23	(10) <u>Department of Education</u>	
24	(a) NDOE Projects.....	395,000
25	(11) <u>Insurance Board.</u>	

1                   (a) Improve and strengthen statutory  
2           and regulatory framework..... \$           29,409  
3                   (b) Consultant Site Evaluation.....           99,220  
4           (12) Other Capital and Human Resource Development.  
5                   (a) Chuuk State Priority Infrastructure Project  
6           apportioned as follows:  
7                   (i) 4G network upgrade for main island  
8           of Chuuk and mobile extension to the  
9           outer islands of Chuuk .....           1,500,000  
10                   (ii) Other Chuuk State Priority  
11           Infrastructure Projects.....           2,050,000  
12                   (iii) Public work/transportation  
13           office building .....           350,000  
14                   (iv) Road improvement.....           175,000  
15                   (v) Administrative costs for  
16           implementation of the priority projects....           100,000  
17                   (vi) Beautification/projects....           75,000  
18                   (vii) Low Income Household Assistance  
19           Program; PROVIDED, HOWEVER, that eligibility is  
20           limited to recipients who have not previously  
21           received any prior assistance; PROVIDED, FURTHER,  
22           that the allottee of these funds shall establish  
23           guidelines to ensure that such eligibility criteria  
24           are clearly set forth and implemented.....           250,000  
25                   (b) Pohnpei State Priority

1	Infrastructure Projects.....	\$	-0-
2	(c) Kosrae State Priority		
3	Infrastructure Projects.....		700,000
4	(d) Yap State Priority		
5	Infrastructure Projects; PROVIDED THAT, the		
6	allottee submits both a plan outlining the		
7	use of the funds and a report detailing the		
8	use of the Priority Infrastructure Project funds		
9	appropriated in FY15.....		1,750,000
10	(e) FSM Foreign Mission Repair		
11	and Maintenance .....		300,000
12	(f) Renovation of the Supreme Court in		
13	Kosrae & Chief Justice of Kosrae Travel to Samoa		75,000
14	(g) Renovation of Chuuk State		
15	Supreme Court.....		125,000
16	(h) Typhoon Shutters for FSM		
17	Supreme Court in Yap.....		40,000
18	(i) Renovation of the Chuuk		
19	Delegation Office.....		50,000
20	(j) Foreign Affairs-FSM Contribution		
21	forSPC Hosting.....		228,000
22	(k) NACH-Pacific Island Festival of		
23	Arts - Pohnpei .....		50,000
24	(l) NACH-Pacific Island Festival of		
25	Arts - Yap .....		50,000

1	(m) NACH-Pacific Island Festival of	
2	Arts - Kosrae .....	\$ 50,000
3	(n) NACH-Pacific Island Festival of	
4	Arts - Chuuk .....	50,000
5	(o) Postal Service prior-obligation.	8,302
6	(p) Upgrade FSM Congress Internet	
7	to Fiber Optic.....	25,000
8	(q) Pacific Assoc. of Supreme Audit	
9	Institutions Meeting.....	20,000
10	(r) Office of Public Defender	
11	expenses occurred in prior years.....	2,900
12	(s) Past obligations of Postal Service	2,400
13	(t) Foreign Affairs: Retainer Fee	-0-

14 Section 4. Section 12 of Public Law No. 19-32, as amended by  
15 Public Laws Nos. 19-45 and 19-61, is hereby further amended to read  
16 as follows:

17 "Section 12. Allotment and management of funds and lapse  
18 dates.

19 (1) General provisions.

20 (a) All funds appropriated by this act shall be  
21 allotted, managed, administered and accounted for in  
22 accordance with applicable law, including, but not limited  
23 to, the Financial Management Act of 1979.

24 (b) The allottees shall be responsible for  
25 ensuring that these funds, or so much thereof as may be



1 necessary, are used solely for the purposes specified in  
2 this act, and that no obligations are incurred in excess of  
3 the sums appropriated.

4 (2) Allottees. The allottees of the funds  
5 appropriated by this act are as follows:

6 (a) Section 2 - the allottee of these funds  
7 shall be the President of the Federated States of  
8 Micronesia;

9 (b) Section 3 - the allottee of these funds  
10 shall be the Speaker of the Congress of the Federated  
11 States of Micronesia;

12 (c) Section 4 - the allottee of these funds shall  
13 be the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the  
14 Federated States of Micronesia;

15 (d) Section 5 - the allottee of these funds shall  
16 be the Public Auditor of the Federated States of  
17 Micronesia;

18 (e) Sections 6 through 9 - the allottee of these  
19 funds shall be the President of the Federated States of  
20 Micronesia; PROVIDED HOWEVER, that for the following  
21 subsections of sections 8 through 9 of this act:

22 (i) Section 8(6)(g) - the allottee shall be  
23 the President of the College of Micronesia - FSM;

24 (ii) Section 8(6)(h) through (i) - the  
25 allottee of these funds shall be the Governor of the State

1 of Chuuk;

2 (iii) All subsections under Section 8(9) – the  
3 allottee of these funds shall be the Speaker of the  
4 Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia;

5 (iv) Section 8(12)(a) through (d) – the  
6 allottee of these funds shall be the Chief Justice of the  
7 respective State Supreme Court;

8 (v) Section 8(12)(n) – the allottee of these  
9 funds shall be the Speaker of Congress of the Federated  
10 States of Micronesia;

11 (vi) Section 9(1)(a) through (c) – the  
12 allottee of these funds shall be the President of the  
13 College of Micronesia-FSM;

14 (vii) Section 9(12)(a)(ii) and (vii) – the  
15 allottee of these funds shall be Governor of Chuuk State;

16 (viii) Section 9(12)(b)-(d) – the allottee of  
17 these funds shall be the Governor of the respective states.

18 (ix) Section 9(12)(f) – the allottee of these  
19 funds shall be the Chief Justice of the Kosrae State  
20 Supreme Court;

21 (x) Section 9(12)(g) – the allottee of these  
22 funds shall be the Chief Justice of the Chuuk State Supreme  
23 Court;

24 (xi) Section 9(12)(h) – the allottee of these  
25 funds shall be the Chief Justice of the Yap Supreme Court;

