



The President
Palikir, Pohnpei
Federated States of Micronesia



PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 23-560
FSM CONGRESS

February 13, 2025

The Honorable Esmond B. Moses
Speaker
Twenty-Third Congress
Federated States of Micronesia
Palikir, Pohnpei, FM 96941

Dear Speaker Moses:

I am transmitting the following Congressional Act, which I have signed into Public Law No. 23-147:

Congressional Act No. 23-155, entitled: "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-64, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 19-81, 19-97, 19-120, 19-137, 20-29, 20-86, 20-119, 21-31, 21-160, 22-18, 22-72, 22-122, 22-174, 22-200, AND 23-101, BY AMENDING SECTION 2 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE ALLOTTEE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR KOSRAE STATE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

This Congressional Act is amending by changing the Allottee for section 1(1) (i) project titled "PA system for Pentecostal Youth" from "President" to "Governor of Kosrae".

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Wesley W. Simina
President

cc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court



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January 28, 2025

His Excellency Wesley W. Simina
President
Federated States of Micronesia
Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941



Dear President Simina:

I have the honor to transmit herewith Congressional Act No. 23-155, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-64, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 19-81, 19-97, 19-120, 19-137, 20-29, 20-86, 20-119, 21-31, 21-160, 22-18, 22-72, 22-122, 22-174, 22-200 AND 23-101, BY AMENDING SECTION 2 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE ALLOTTEE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR KOSRAE STATE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES, which was passed by the Twenty-Third Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Sixth Regular Session, 2025, by a two-thirds vote of all the State delegations as required and as duly certified.

Sincerely yours,

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Jessicalynn Reyes
Chief Clerk, Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia

Enclosures



PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 23-560
FSM CONGRESS

TWENTY-THIRD CONGRESS OF THE
FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA
SIXTH REGULAR SESSION
JANUARY 10 – 29, 2025

An Act

TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-64, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 19-81, 19-97, 19-120, 19-137, 20-29, 20-86, 20-119, 21-31, 21-160, 22-18, 22-72, 22-122, 22-174, 22-200 AND 23-101, BY AMENDING SECTION 2 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE ALLOTTEE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR KOSRAE STATE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: YOSLYN G. SIGRAH

DATE: JANUARY 24, 2025

REFERRED TO: WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE
WITHDRAWN – JANUARY 27, 2025

FIRST READING: JANUARY 27, 2025

SECOND READING: JANUARY 28, 2025

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Jessicalynn Reyes
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress



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PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 23-206
FSM CONGRESS

ACT NO. 23-155

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 23-233)

We hereby certify that on January 28 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Twenty-Third Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Sixth Regular Session, 2025, 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.

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Esmond B. Moses
Speaker
Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia

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Jessicalynn Reyes
Chief Clerk
Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia

AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 19-64, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 19-81, 19-97, 19-120, 19-137, 20-29, 20-86, 20-119, 21-31, 21-160, 22-18, 22-72, 22-122, 22-174, 22-200 and 23-101, by amending section 2 thereof, to change the allottee of funds previously appropriated therein, for the purpose of funding public projects and social programs for Kosrae 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. 19-64, as amended
2 by Public Laws Nos. 19-81, 19-97, 20-86, 20-119, 21-31, 21-160,
3 22-18, 22-122 and 23-101, 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 section 1 of this act shall be the President of
16 the Federated States of Micronesia or his designee;
17 PROVIDED THAT, the funds appropriated under subsections

1 1(d) shall be the Mayor of Lelu Town Government or his
 2 designee; the allottee of funds appropriated under
 3 section 1(1)(i) of this act shall be the Governor of
 4 Kosrae State or his designee; the allottee of funds
 5 appropriated under subsections 1(2)(1)(a)-(o),
 6 1(2)(2)(a), 1(2)(2)(c), 1(2)(2)(o), 1(2)(4)(a)-(j) shall
 7 be the Pohnpei Transportation Authority (PTA); the
 8 allottee of funds appropriated under subsections
 9 1(2)(2)(b), 1(2)(2)(d), 1(2)(2)(e), 1(2)(2)(f) and
 10 1(2)(2)(n) shall be the Secretary of the Department of
 11 Transportation, Communications and Infrastructure or his
 12 designee; the allottee of funds appropriated under
 13 subsections 1(2)(2)(g), 1(2)(2)(h) and 1(2)(2)(l) shall
 14 be the Pohnpei Utility Corporation; the allottee of
 15 funds appropriated under subsection 1(2)(2)(m) shall be
 16 the Secretary of the Department of Education or his
 17 designee; the allottee of fund appropriated under
 18 subsections 1(2)(4)(k)-(s) shall be the Governor of the
 19 State of Pohnpei. The authority of the allottee to
 20 obligate funds appropriated by this act shall lapse on
 21 September 30, 2026."

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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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Feb. 13, 2025

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Wesley W. Simina
President
Federated States of Micronesia

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