



The President
Palikir, Pohnpei
Federated States of Micronesia

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 23-563
FSM CONGRESS



February 19, 2025

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

Dear Speaker Moses:

I am pleased to transmit the following act, which I have signed to become Public Law No. 23-150:

Congressional Act No. 23-152, entitled: "AN ACT AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-124, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 19-133, 19-140, 19-150, 20-05, 20-15, 20-33, 20-48, 20-63, 20-71, 20-156, 20-175, 21-22, 21-52, 21-146, 21-156, 21-195, 21-213, 21-244, 22-25, 22-62, 22-111, 23-38, 23-55, 23-62 AND 23-131, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 4 AND 5 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PRIORITY INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS AND OTHER PROGRAMS FOR POHNPEI AND CHUUK STATES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

I take this opportunity to thank the 23rd FSM Congress for the passage of this act.

Sincerely,


Wesley W. Singina
President

xc: 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. 23-152, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-124, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 19-133, 19-140, 19-150, 20-05, 20-15, 20-33, 20-48, 20-63, 20-71, 20-156, 20-175, 21-22, 21-52, 21-146, 21-156, 21-195, 21-213, 21-244, 22-25, 22-62, 22-111, 23-38, 23-55, 23-62 AND 23-131, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 4 AND 5 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PRIORITY INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS AND OTHER PROGRAMS FOR POHNPEI AND CHUUK STATES, 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,

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

Enclosures



PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 23-Ste3
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. 19-124, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 19-133, 19-140, 19-150, 20-05, 20-15, 20-33, 20-48, 20-63, 20-71, 20-156, 20-175, 21-22, 21-52, 21-146, 21-156, 21-195, 21-213, 21-244, 22-25, 22-62, 22-111, 23-38, 23-55, 23-62 AND 23-131, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 4 AND 5 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PRIORITY INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS AND OTHER PROGRAMS FOR POHNPEI AND CHUUK STATES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: VICTOR V. GOULAND

DATE: JANUARY 20, 2025

REFERRED TO: WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE
WITHDRAWN – JANUARY 21, 2025

FIRST READING: JANUARY 21, 2025

SECOND READING: JANUARY 24, 2025

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Jessicalynn Reyes
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress



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PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 23-J63
FSM CONGRESS

ACT NO. 23-152

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 23-225, C.D.1)

We hereby certify that on January 24 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

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AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 19-124, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 19-133, 19-140, 19-150, 20-05, 20-15, 20-33, 20-48, 20-63, 20-71, 20-156, 20-175, 21-22, 21-52, 21-146, 21-156, 21-195, 21-213, 21-244, 22-25, 22-62, 22-111, 23-38, 23-55, 23-62 and 23-131, by amending sections 4 and 5 thereof, to change the use of certain funds previously appropriated therein, to fund priority infrastructure projects and other programs for Pohnpei and Chuuk States, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Section 4 of Public Law No. 19-124, as amended by
2 Public Laws Nos. 19-133, 19-140, 20-05, 20-15, 20-33, 20-48, 20-
3 63, 20-71, 21-156, 21-195, 21-213, 21-244, 22-25 and 22-62, is
4 hereby further amended to read as follows:

5 "Section 4. Of the \$11,300,000 appropriated under this
6 act, \$3,000,000 shall be apportioned for priority
7 infrastructure projects and other programs in the state
8 of Pohnpei.

9 state of Pohnpei..... \$ 3,000,000

10 (1) At Large..... 787,500

11 (a) Pohnpei delegation office building -0-

12 (b) Kolonia Town tennis courts upgrade 148,883

13 (c) Kepin Souna, Nett road maintenance. 35,000

14 (d) Nanmwaht-Nanwel, road maintenance.. 50,000

15 (e) Sand and coral materials

16 for pavement..... 100,000

17 (f) Parem kep water system improvement

1	(water tanks, gutters, supplies).....	\$ 25,000
2	(g) Parem kep paving roadside improvement	
3	(coral, culverts, equipment, labor).....	25,000
4	(h) Lahkir Marina, Kitti	46,940
5	(i) Community power extensions	25,000
6	(j) Palikir Pah road improvement ...	50,000
7	(k) Kitti road paving	50,000
8	(l) Madolenihmw road paving	50,000
9	(m) Wone Catholic Church road paving	35,000
10	(n) Pohn Awak, Pahnpe, U road	
11	maintenance	10,000
12	(o) Madolenihmw road maintenance ...	37,181
13	(p) Seinwar road maintenance	20,000
14	(q) Matching fund for Kolonia-China	
15	Friendship Center	20,000
16	(r) Likinlong, Lehiak Madolenihmw	
17	bridge/culvert	9,385
18	(s) Kotouwar, Lehiak Madolenihmw	
19	bridge/culvert	10,000
20	(t) Pohnpei State Court of	
21	Land Tenure vehicle	14,947
22	(u) Pohnpei State Court of	
23	Land Tenure (Vault, computers, scanners)...	7,500
24	(v) Household water tanks purchase ..	17,664
25	(2) Election District No. 1	737,500

1	(a) Totopai road	\$ 30,000
2	(b) Road maintenance	50,000
3	(c) Kaselehlia Street sidewalk/drainage	120,000
4	(d) Pohnpei delegation loop	
5	(New road-pave/wall)	70,000
6	(e) Matching fund for	
7	Kolonia-China Friendship Center	60,000
8	(f) Sokehs Island circumferential road	
9	paving/materials/equipment	225,000
10	(g) Roofing, track and field bleachers	30,000
11	(h) Mercedes building supplemental funding	45,000
12	(i) Sekere to Nanpohnmal road improvement	25,000
13	(j) Airport terminal beautification project	20,000
14	(k) Nan Mohs road maintenance	15,000
15	(l) Airport beautification	5,000
16	(m) Heavy equipment/coral materials .	12,500
17	(n) Sekere gym maintenance	5,000
18	(o) COM-FSM Endowment Fund	25,000
19	(3) Election District No. 2	737,500
20	(a) Pohnlangas Dispensary repair	
21	and improvement	-0-
22	(b) Wone Dispensary repair	
23	and improvement	-0-
24	(c) Temwen School road paving	30,000
25	(d) Rohi School road paving	40,000

1	(e) Pehleing School road paving \$	40,000
2	(f) Peilik bridge (Enipein powe)	78,000
3	(g) Nankoaloau bridge overlay (Pehleing)	15,000
4	(h) ESDM secondary road	-0-
5	(i) Mwoakot Pah road improvement	15,000
6	(j) Kitti road cleaning/beautification	15,000
7	(k) Nan pworenais secondary road paving	50,000
8	(l) Nanketipar Bridge (Alohkapw) ...	-0-
9	(m) Nanmwet (Madolenihmw) erosion	
10	protection/drainage	-0-
11	(n) Ohwa Mission School subsidy	13,920
12	(o) E.D, 2 current & prior obligations	20,000
13	(p) Nankerpene Bridge repair	25,380
14	(q) Access road paving	
15	(Kaun en Wehi, Kitti)	25,000
16	(r) Kepine (Madolenihmw)	
17	power extension	-0-
18	(s) Ipwitik road upgrade/paving	25,000
19	(t) Purchase of coral materials	20,000
20	(u) Tanks/water catchments	10,000
21	(v) Community Outreach	
22	and Advocacy Program	30,000
23	(w) Nipai, Wone secondary road	15,000
24	(x) Nan mand secondary road and	
25	bridge improvement	20,000

1	(y) Pahnmeiti secondary road	\$ 20,000
2	(z) Lukop secondary road	5,000
3	(aa) Kitti municipal government inauguration	-0-
4	(ab) Travel needs	30,000
5	(ac) Peisou secondary road	-0-
6	(ad) Madolenihmw Municipal Court subsidy	10,000
7	(ae) Kitti Municipal Court subsidy ...	15,000
8	(af) Pohnalap secondary road paving ..	30,000
9	(ag) Kitti water systems improvement .	50,000
10	(ah) Kinakapw road	10,000
11	(ai) Pahnlong Eliolwi road	-0-
12	(aj) MMCM Youth Day activities	2,700
13	(ak) Pwohk Civic Center	20,000
14	(al) Ohwa safety wall	15,000
15	(am) Election District No. 2 inspectors/	
16	support services	15,500
17	(an) Youth for change	-0-
18	(ao) Medical referral	10,000
19	(ap) Madolenihm Municipal subsidy	17,000
20	(4) Election District No. 3	737,500
21	(a) Kepin Souna, Nett road maintenance	35,000
22	(b) Dien, U road paving/equipment ...	70,000
23	(c) Pahlap, U road paving	70,000
24	(d) Otohi, U road paving	70,000
25	(e) Nett Solar Street Lights	100,000

1	(f) Road paving (Palipahn Nett)	\$ 100,000
2	(g) Parem/Lenger water systems	
3	improvement/purchase of fiberglass water	
4	tanks/catchments	50,000
5	(h) Pingelap Infrastructure and public	
6	projects/current and prior years	
7	obligation/election/inauguration	65,000
8	(i) Mwokilloa Infrastructure and public	
9	projects/current and prior years	
10	obligation/election/inauguration	65,000
11	(j) Kamer-Eirke road improvement	42,500
12	(k) Matching fund for Kolonia-China	
13	Friendship Center	20,000
14	(l) Department of Transportation	
15	Communications and Infrastructure vehicle ..	15,000
16	(m) Lenger and Parem solar freezers .	35,000"
17	Section 2. Section 5 of Public Law No. 19-124, as amended by	
18	Public Laws Nos. 19-140, 19-150, 20-05, 20-15, 20-48, 20-175,	
19	21-52, 21-146, 23-62 and 23-131, is hereby further amended to read	
20	as follows:	
21	"Section 5. Of the \$11,300,000 appropriated under this	
22	act, \$5,650,000 shall be apportioned for priority	
23	infrastructure projects and other programs in the state	
24	of Chuuk.	
25	(1) State wide	\$ 4,232,057

1	(a) Land outright acquisition for	
2	Chuuk State and prior year obligations \$	1,646,186
3	(b) Road improvement, upgrade/	
4	equipment/municipal docks/bridges	870,341
5	(c) Ms. Chief Mailo repair.....	-0-
6	(d) Administration cost & management	150,000
7	(e) Public safety and jailhouse	
8	supplemental funding	400,000
9	(f) Second phase renovation of	
10	Chuuk House in Honolulu, Hawaii	400,000
11	(g) Chuuk State Health Insurance	
12	Plan subsidy	100,000
13	(h) Chuuk State Inaugurations	
14	including previous expenses	50,000
15	(i) Chuuk Leadership conference (2017)	50,000
16	(j) Chuuk Goodwill Games (2017).....	50,000
17	(k) Chuuk State special programs/travel	50,000
18	(l) Food Relief Fund.....	200,000
19	(m) Piss Paneu cell phone tower.....	60,000
20	(n) Nepukos bridge/road improvement .	135,500
21	(o) Municipal governments subsidies .	30,000
22	(p) Food security/humanitarian needs	10,030
23	(q) Administrative cost.....	20,000
24	(r) Repatriation of human remains ...	10,000
25	(2) At Large.....	324,658

1	(a) Uman Sopota Community Water Project \$	3,444
2	(b) Land Transportation.....	60,000
3	(c) House repairs/renovations/	
4	improvements	64,836
5	(d) Contributions to State, Municipal	
6	and Community activities, events and programs	36,658
7	(e) Fishing projects.....	68,000
8	(f) Women Home Economic Projects....	10,000
9	(g) Students financial assistance...	10,000
10	(h) Family water and sanitation Projects	20,000
11	(i) Allottee's administrative support	
12	Costs including prior obligations	10,000
13	(j) Fishing/Farming projects.....	41,720
14	(3) Election District No. 1.....	218,663
15	(a) Fishing Projects.....	108,000
16	(b) Communication system.....	8,663
17	(c) Solar and Electrical Power	
18	generators and equipment	49,500
19	(d) Water and sanitation projects...	30,000
20	(e) Municipal and community	
21	special occasions	22,500
22	(4) Election District No. 2.....	218,663
23	(a) Food Security.....	30,000
24	(b) Housing and Community Halls	
25	repair/renovation	100,000

1	(c) Water project.....\$	20,633
2	(d) Administrative support costs....	20,000
3	(e) Municipal subsidy.....	10,000
4	(f) Seawall/retaining wall.....	10,000
5	(g) Land transportation.....	10,000
6	(h) POL/Freights/Charters.....	10,000
7	(i) Leadership conference.....	8,000
8	(5) Election District No. 3.....	218,663
9	(a) Tonoas Election 2020.....	15,000
10	(b) SNDA Administrative costs.....	25,000
11	(c) Sewing Projects.....	10,000
12	(d) Fishing projects.....	105,000
13	(e) Purchase of medicine.....	10,000
14	(f) Land transportation.....	45,000
15	(g) POL/Freight/Charters.....	8,663
16	(6) Election District No. 4.....	218,663
17	(a) Fishing Projects.....	60,000
18	(b) Housing Renovation/Repair.....	40,000
19	(c) Food Relief Program.....	30,000
20	(d) Faichuk Development Authority	
21	Administrative cost.....	20,000
22	(e) Municipal Governments election..	10,000
23	(f) Filling materials.....	7,500
24	(g) Land transportation.....	30,000
25	(h) Office rental	10,000

1	(i) Water projects.....\$	11,163
2	(7) Election District No. 5.....	218,663
3	(a) Community, Municipal activities/	
4	events/programs.....	30,000
5	(b) Low Income/Community Housing	
6	Renovation/Rehabilitation.....	50,000
7	(c) Land transportation.....	18,000
8	(d) Administrative support costs....	10,000
9	(e) Fishing projects.....	30,000
10	(f) POL/Freight/Charters.....	10,663
11	(g) Northwest citizen outstanding	
12	balance at Genesis.....	5,000
13	(h) Food relief program.....	20,000
14	(i) Solar Freezers.....	40,000
15	(j) Northwest citizen retaining	
16	wall subsidy.....	5,000"

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1 Section 3. 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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February 19, 2025

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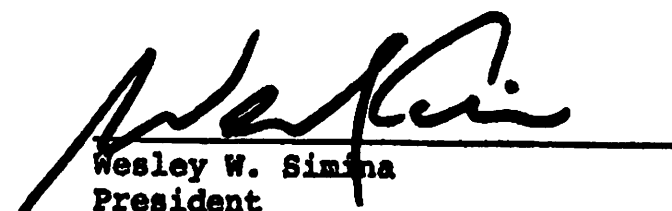
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Wesley W. Simina
President
Federated States of Micronesia

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