



*The President*  
*Palikir, Pohnpei*  
*Federated States of Micronesia*

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 20-30  
FSM CONGRESS

May 27, 2017

The Honorable Wesley W. Simina  
Speaker  
Twentieth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia  
Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941

Dear Speaker Simina:

I am pleased to transmit the following Congressional Act, which I have approved to become Public Law No. 20-06:

Congressional Act No. 20-01: "TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-89, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 19-94, 19-127 19-151 AND 19-159, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 3, 4 AND 6 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE AND ALLOTTEE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF KOSRAE, POHNPEI AND CHUUK STATES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Sincerely,

  
Peter M. Christian  
President

Enclosures:

xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court





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His Excellency Peter M. Christian  
President  
Federated States of Micronesia  
Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941

Dear President Christian:

I have the honor to transmit herewith Congressional Act No. 20-01, "AN ACT TO AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-89, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 19-94, 19-127, 19-151 AND 19-159, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 3, 4 AND 6 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE AND ALLOTTEE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN THE STATES OF KOSRAE, POHNPEI AND CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.", which was passed by the Twentieth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, First Regular Session, 2017, by a two-thirds vote of all the State delegations as required and as duly certified.

Sincerely yours,

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Liwiana Ramon Ioanis  
Chief Clerk, Congress of the  
Federated States of Micronesia

Enclosures



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TWENTIETH CONGRESS OF THE  
FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA  
FIRST REGULAR SESSION  
MAY 11 -30, 2017

PUBLIC LAW No. 20- 06

## An Act

TO AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-89, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 19-94, 19-127, 19-151 AND 19-159, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 3, 4 AND 6 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE AND ALLOTTEE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN THE STATES OF KOSRAE, POHNPEI AND CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: VICTOR V. GOULAND

DATE: MAY 11, 2017

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

WITHDRAWN – MAY 12, 2017

FIRST READING: MAY 12, 2017

SECOND READING: MAY 17, 2017

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Liwiana Ramon Ioanis  
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress



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PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 20-30  
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ACT NO. 20-01

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 20-01, C.D.1)

We hereby certify that on May 17 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Twentieth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, First Regular Session, 2017, 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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Wesley W. Simina  
Speaker  
Congress of the  
Federated States of Micronesia

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Liwiana Ramon Ioanis  
Chief Clerk  
Congress of the  
Federated States of Micronesia

AN ACT

To amend Public Law No. 19-89, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 19-94, 19-127, 19-151 and 19-159, by amending sections 3, 4 and 6 thereof, to change the use and allottee of funds previously appropriated therein, for the purpose of funding public projects and social programs in the states of Kosrae, Pohnpei and Chuuk, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Section 3 of Public Law No. 19-89, as  
2 amended by Public Law No. 19-159, is hereby further amended  
3 to read as follows:

4 "Section 3. Of the sum of \$1,400,000 appropriated  
5 by this act, \$200,000 is appropriated for public  
6 projects and social programs in the state of  
7 Kosrae.

8	state of Kosrae .....	\$	200,000
9	(a) Tafunsak Youth Tolu musical instrument		5,000
10	(b) Kosrae Housing Authority subsidy		25,000
11	(c) Kalo, Tafunsak farm road improvement		5,000
12	(d) Utwa channels cleanup .....		5,000
13	(e) Purchase of vehicle/POL		
14	for Kosrae High School .....		5,000
15	(f) Scholarship- Kosraean students		
16	at University of Guam .....		15,000
17	(g) POL for Kosrae Public Safety ...		5,000

1	(h) Scholarship – Kosraean students	
2	at Southern Utah University .....	\$ 5,000
3	(i) Contribution to Utwe choir .....	12,000
4	(j) Melo water dam upgrade .....	30,000
5	(k) Community Outreach	
6	and Advocacy Program .....	40,000
7	(l) Kosraean students tuition, debts,	
8	other school related costs at Xavier	
9	High school .....	20,000
10	(m) U.S. Marines Veterans	
11	Association in Kosrae .....	-0-
12	(n) Payment for past due debts for	
13	Kosrae Islands Veterans Association (KIVA)	6,000
14	(o) Travels to and other costs	
15	associated with the May 2017 session .....	4,000
16	(p) Kosrae State Legislature subsidy	13,000
17	(q) Malem Gymnasium lighting/	
18	related costs .....	5,000"

19 Section 2. Section 4 of Public Law No. 19-89, as amended by  
 20 Public Laws Nos. 19-94 and 19-159, is hereby further amended to  
 21 read as follows:

22 "Section 4. Of the sum of \$1,400,000 appropriated by  
 23 this act, \$400,000 is apportioned for public projects  
 24 and social programs in the state of Pohnpei.  
 25 state of Pohnpei ..... \$ 400,000

1	(1) At Large .....	100,000
2	(a) Pohnpei Law Report Digest .....	\$ -0-
3	(b) Memorial Monument in Kitti .....	-0-
4	(c) Road maintenance/beautification	
5	equipment and supplies .....	20,000
6	(d) Community Outreach	
7	and Advocacy Program .....	20,000
8	(e) Pohnpei State Sport Commission	
9	(Liberation games, 2016) .....	15,000
10	(f) Liberation games related cost	
11	(Hawaii and Mainland) .....	15,000
12	(g) Pehleng Community Center .....	9,000
13	(h) St. Paul School subsidy .....	5,000
14	(i) Medical referral .....	6,000
15	(j) Contribution to Eastern Oregon	
16	University Endowment Fund .....	10,000
17	(2) Election District No. 1. ....	100,000
18	(a) Mapwusi new road .....	35,000
19	(b) LED lights .....	45,000
20	(c) General Education	
21	Development (GED) .....	7,500
22	(d) Kolonia Town Government	
23	Judiciary branch subsidy .....	6,000
24	(e) FSMTC ADSL (Wifi) .....	1,500
25	(f) Purchase of computers .....	5,000

1	(3) Election District No. 2 .....	100,000
2	(a) Pohnalap Secondary road .....	\$ 35,000
3	(b) Salapuk school road paving .....	40,000
4	(c) Community Outreach and	
5	Advocacy Program .....	20,000
6	(d) Construction materials (Tanks) .	5,000
7	(4) Election District No. 3 .....	100,000
8	(a) Kurumw Saladak road coral capping	17,500
9	(b) Otohi Awak road coral capping ..	15,500
10	(c) Pahn Takai (Camacho Side)	
11	road coral capping .....	12,500
12	(d) Pohn Pwet Rohi U road coral capping	12,000
13	(e) Pahn Takai (Penias Side) road	
14	coral capping .....	7,500
15	(f) Street lighting Nett and U .....	-0-
16	(g) Travel needs for conference	
17	and training .....	15,000
18	(h) Communication line extension	
19	Kepin Souna, Nett .....	10,000
20	(i) Coral filing, Nett School .....	5,000
21	(j) Kurumu, U road improvement .....	5,000"

22 Section 3. Section 6 of Public Law No. 19-89, as amended by  
 23 Public Laws Nos. 19-94 and 19-127, is hereby further amended to  
 24 read as follows:

25 "Allotment and management of funds and lapse date.

1 All funds appropriated by this act shall be allotted,  
2 managed, administered and accounted for in accordance  
3 with applicable laws, including, but not limited to,  
4 the Financial Management Act of 1979. The allottee  
5 shall be responsible for ensuring that these funds, or  
6 so much thereof as may be necessary, are used solely  
7 for the purpose specified in this act, and that no  
8 obligations are incurred in excess of the sum  
9 appropriated. The allottee of the funds appropriated  
10 under section 2 of this act shall be the Governor of  
11 Yap State; PROVIDED THAT, the allottee of funds  
12 appropriated under subsection 2(b) of this act shall  
13 be the President of the COM-FSM. The allottee of  
14 funds appropriated under sections 3 and 4 of this act  
15 shall be the President of the Federated States of  
16 Micronesia or his designee; PROVIDED THAT, the  
17 allottee of funds appropriated under subsections 3(a),  
18 3(b), 3(c), 3(d), 3(e) 3(f), 3(g), 3(h), 3(l) and 3(m)  
19 shall be the Mayor of Utwe Municipal Government or his  
20 designee; the allottee of funds appropriated under  
21 subsections 3(i), 3(j), 3(k), 3(p) and 3(q) shall be  
22 the Mayor of Tafunsak Municipal Government; the  
23 allottee of funds appropriated under subsection  
24 4(2)(c) shall be the Secretary of the FSM Department  
25 of Education or her designee; the allottee of funds

1           appropriated under subsections 4(2)(a), 4(2)(b),  
2           4(2)(d), 4(2)(e), 4(2)(f), 4(4)(a), 4(4)(b), 4(4)(c),  
3           4(4)(d) and 4(4)(e) shall be the Secretary of the  
4           Department of Transportation, Communications and  
5           Infrastructure or his designee; the allottee of funds  
6           appropriated under subsections 4(3)(a) and 4(3)(b)  
7           shall be the Pohnpei Transportation Authority; the  
8           allottee of funds appropriated under subsection  
9           4(4)(f) shall be the Pohnpei Utility Corporation. The  
10          allottee of funds appropriated under subsections 5(1),  
11          5(3), 5(4)(e) and 5(6) of this act shall be the  
12          Governor of Chuuk State or his designee. The allottee  
13          of funds appropriated under subsection 5(2) of this  
14          act shall be the Mortlock Islands Development  
15          Authority. The allottee of funds appropriated under  
16          subsection 5(4) of this act shall be the Southern  
17          Namoneas Development Authority. The allottee of funds  
18          appropriated under subsection 5(5) of this act shall  
19          be the Faichuk Development Authority. The authority  
20          of the allottee to obligate funds appropriated by this  
21          act shall lapse on September 30, 2018."

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

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May 27<sup>th</sup>, 2017

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Peter M. Christian  
President  
Federated States of Micronesia

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