



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

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 21-173  
FSM CONGRESS

December 23, 2019

The Honorable Wesley W. Simina  
Speaker  
Twenty-First Congress  
Federated States of Micronesia  
Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941

Dear Speaker Simina:

I am pleased to transmit the following Congressional Act, which I have signed into Public Law No. 21-66:

Congressional Act No. 21-71, entitled: "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-121, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 19-130, 19-142, 19-145, 19-158, 20-09, 20-22, 20-51, 20-59, 20-70, 20-123, 20-162, 20-170 AND 21-35, BY AMENDING SECTION 3 AND 6 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE AND ALLOTEE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF KOSRAE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

I wish to thank the 21<sup>st</sup> Congress for the passage of this Act.

Sincerely,

David. W. Panuelo  
President

Xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court





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His Excellency David W. Panuelo  
President  
Federated States of Micronesia  
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Dear President Panuelo:

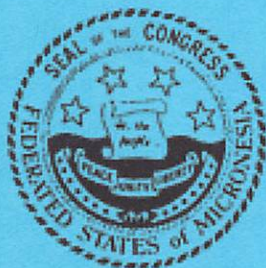
I have the honor to transmit herewith Congressional Act No. 21-71, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-121, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 19-130, 19-142, 19-145, 19-158, 20-09, 20-22, 20-51, 20-59, 20-70, 20-123, 20-162, 20-170 AND 21-35, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 3 AND 6 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE AND ALLOTTEE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF KOSRAE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.", which was passed by the Twenty-First Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Third Special Session, 2019, 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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TWENTY-FIRST CONGRESS OF THE  
FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA  
THIRD SPECIAL SESSION  
NOVEMBER 25 – DECEMBER 4, 2019

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## An Act

TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-121, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 19-130, 19-142, 19-145, 19-158, 20-09, 20-22, 20-51, 20-59, 20-70, 20-123, 20-162, 20-170 AND 21-35, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 3 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 THE STATE OF KOSRAE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: AREN B. PALIK

DATE: DECEMBER 2, 2019

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REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS  
WITHDRAWN – DECEMBER 3, 2019

FIRST READING: – DECEMBER 3, 2019

SECOND READING: – DECEMBER 4, 2019

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Liwiana Ramon Ioanis  
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PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 21-173  
FSM CONGRESS

ACT NO. 21-71

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 21-113)

We hereby certify that on December 4 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Twenty-First Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Third Special Session, 2019, 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 further amend Public Law No. 19-121, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 19-130, 19-142, 19-145, 19-158, 20-09, 20-22, 20-51, 20-59, 20-70, 20-123, 20-162, 20-170 and 21-35, by amending sections 3 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 the state of Kosrae, 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. 19-121, as amended by  
2 Public Laws Nos. 19-130, 19-142, 20-09 and 20-70, is hereby  
3 further amended to read as follows:

4 "Section 3. Of the sum of \$5,450,000 appropriated by this  
5 act, \$1,100,000 is apportioned to fund public projects and  
6 social programs for the people of the state of Kosrae.

7	state of Kosrae .....	\$ 1,100,000
8	(a) Okat farm road .....	29,500
9	(b) Kosrae Conservation and Safety	
10	Organization .....	15,000
11	(c) Kosrae mediation program .....	10,000
12	(d) Kosrae Congressional Delegation	
13	citizens outreach program .....	60,000
14	(e) Summer basketball tournament ..	5,000
15	(f) Kosrae Junior Tennis Association	17,000
16	(g) Isra, Utwe water system .....	30,000
17	(h) Finoing, Utwe farm road .....	40,000
18	(i) Malem Municipal Government subsidy	31,000

1	(j) Kosrae Housing Program subsidy .. \$	42,000
2	(k) Finkol, Utwe ball field improvement	5,000
3	(l) Finsrem, Utwe Farm Road .....	9,000
4	(m) Tofol Day Care Center renovation..	10,000
5	(n) Tafunsak Municipal Government subsidy	15,000
6	(o) YELA Conservation activities .....	20,000
7	(p) Kosrae Public Safety (Vehicle/POL)	19,000
8	(q) Agriculture projects/programs . .	-0-
9	(r) Community water projects .. ....	-0-
10	(s) Malem multipurpose	
11	building renovation .....	10,000
12	(t) Kosrae State Legislature subsidy	33,000
13	(u) Graduation Commencement at the	
14	University of South Pacific (Air fare,	
15	lodging, logistical needs, graduation	
16	fee, ground transportation) .....	5,000
17	(v) Mosral farm road .....	40,000
18	(w) Kosrae Supreme Court staff	
19	development .....	20,000
20	(x) Innem farm road .....	30,000
21	(y) Yesen farm road .....	14,000
22	(z) Contribution to Junior State of	
23	America Summer Program at Princeton University	5,500
24	(aa) Little League Field renovation	5,000
25	(ab) Little League travel to PNI and	

1	related costs .....	\$ 20,000
2	(ac) Kosrae survey and mapping subsidy	10,000
3	(ad) High school lunch program .....	43,000
4	(ae) Kosrae Xavier students tuitions	20,000
5	(af) Kosrae delegation B.A. program	30,000
6	(ag) SDA school subsidy .....	5,000
7	(ah) Tafunsak-Walung waterways/channels	
8	clearance/improvements .....	20,000
9	(ai) Pilyuul-Tenwak channel clearance	20,000
10	(aj) Purchase of outboat motors/POL	20,000
11	(ak) Farmroad improvement Inyaa, Utwe	10,000
12	(al) KSA Legislative staff training .	10,000
13	(am) Training for governor's office	
14	secretaries .....	10,000
15	(an) Purchase of cell phones, I-Pads,	
16	computers, printers .....	15,000
17	(ao) Lelu town government subsidy ..	30,000
18	(ap) Utwe municipal office subsidy .	30,000
19	(aq) Road improvements-Srungansralu	5,000
20	(ar) Payment for RMI Nursing School debt	2,000
21	(as) KSA delegation scholarship board	
22	meeting allowances/outreach .....	10,000
23	(at) Scholarships for KSA students .	40,000
24	(au) Contribution to Kosrae-Guam	
25	Association of Guam (KAG) .....	10,000

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1	(av) C.O.M Palikir KSA students debts \$	20,000
2	(aw) Malem Multi-purpose building ..	10,000
3	(ax) Salary for music teacher Walung	
4	elementary School .....	10,000
5	(ay) Salaries for local police .....	
6	officers in Walung community .....	20,000
7	(az) Contractual services for office	
8	staff and security guards .....	10,000
9	(a1) Walung bathrooms project .....	25,000
10	(a2) Tsunami shelter for Malem .....	20,000
11	(a3) Kosrae Christian Women Association	25,000
12	(a4) Utwe Elementary School travel	
13	and related costs .....	5,000
14	(a5) KSA students travel and	
15	related costs .....	10,000
16	(a6) Walung community activities,	
17	events need and program .....	42,000
18	(a7) Tafunsak 2016 Christmas event	
19	preparation/activities .....	5,000
20	(a8) Utwe Youth Endeavor activities .	3,000
21	(a9) Nipartak basketball team	
22	(airfare, meals and rental) .....	-0-
23	(a10) Pohnpei/Kosrae fast pitch team .	10,000
24	(a11) Guam/Kosrae fast pitch team	
25	(airfare, meals and rental) .....	5,000"

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1           Section 2. Section 6 of Public Law No. 19-121, as amended  
2 by Public Laws Nos. 19-130, 19-142, 20-09, 20-70, 20-123, 20-162,  
3 20-170 and 21-35, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

4           "Section 6. Allotment and management of funds and  
5 lapse date. All funds appropriated by this act shall  
6 be allotted, managed, administered and accounted for in  
7 accordance with applicable laws, including, but not  
8 limited to, the Financial Management Act of 1979. The  
9 allottee shall be responsible for ensuring that these  
10 funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are used  
11 solely for the purpose specified in this act, and that  
12 no obligations are incurred in excess of the sum  
13 appropriated. The allottee of the funds appropriated  
14 under section 2 of this act shall be the Governor of  
15 Yap State; PROVIDED THAT, the allottee of funds  
16 appropriated under section 2(k) shall be the President  
17 of the Federated States of Micronesia. The allottee of  
18 funds appropriated under sections 3 and 4 of this act  
19 shall be the President of the Federated States of  
20 Micronesia or his designee; PROVIDED THAT the allottee  
21 of funds appropriated under subsections 3(a) through  
22 3(z) shall be the Mayor of Tafunsak Municipal  
23 Government; the allottee of funds appropriated under  
24 subsections 3(aa) – 3(all) shall be the Mayor of Lelu  
25 Town Government, or his designee EXCEPT THAT the

1 allottee of fund appropriated under subsection 3(au) of  
2 this act shall be the Governor of Kosrae or his  
3 designee; the allottee of funds appropriated under  
4 subsection 4(1)(a) of this act shall be the Governor of  
5 Pohnpei State or his designee; the allottee of funds  
6 appropriated under subsections 4(1)(1), 4(3)(a),  
7 4(3)(f) and 4(3)(i) of this act shall be the Pohnpei  
8 Transportation Authority (PTA); the allottee of funds  
9 appropriated under subsections 4(2)(a), 4(2)(d),  
10 4(2)(e), 4(2)(f), 4(2)(g), 4(2)(h), 4(2)(i), 4(2)(j),  
11 4(2)(k), 4(2)(l) and 4(2)(m) shall be the Secretary of  
12 the Department of Transportation, Communications and  
13 Infrastructure or his designee; the allottee of funds  
14 appropriated under subsection 4(2)(b) shall be the  
15 Pohnpei Utility Corporation (PUC); the allottee of  
16 funds appropriated under subsection 4(2)(c) shall be  
17 the Office of Fisheries, Pohnpei State; the allottee of  
18 funds appropriated under subsection 4(2)(n) shall be  
19 the Secretary of the Department of Education or his  
20 designee; the allottee of funds appropriated under  
21 subsection 4(3)(b) shall be the Pohnpei State Public  
22 Safety; the allottee of funds appropriated under  
23 subsections 4(3)(c) and 4(3)(e) of this act shall be the  
24 Meninkeder of Madolenihmw; allottee of funds  
25 appropriated under subsections 4(3)(d) and 4(3)(m)

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1 shall be the Luhkenmoanlap of Kittu. The allottee of  
2 funds appropriated under subsections 5(1), 5(3) and  
3 5(6) of this act shall be the Governor of Chuuk State  
4 or his designee. The allottee of funds appropriated  
5 under subsection 5(2) of this act shall be the Mortlock  
6 Islands Development Authority. The allottee of funds  
7 appropriated under subsection 5(4) of this act shall be  
8 the Southern Namoneas Development Authority. The  
9 allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 5(5) of  
10 this act shall be the Faichuk Development Authority.  
11 The authority of the allottee to obligate funds  
12 appropriated by this act shall lapse on September 30,  
13 2020."

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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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Dec 23, 2019

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David W. Panuelo  
President  
Federated States of Micronesia

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