



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

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 21-215  
FSM CONGRESS

February 18, 2020

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. 21-78:

Congressional Act No. 21-83, entitled: "AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$100,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2020, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING RESPONSE EFFORTS IN CHINA DUE TO THE RECENT CORONA VIRUS (2019NCOV) OUTBREAK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

I take the opportunity to thank the 21<sup>st</sup> Congress for approving this act.

Sincerely,

David W. Panuelo  
President

xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court





Office of the Chief Clerk

CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

P.O. Box PS 3  
Palikir, Sokehs Pohnpei State, FM 96941  
Tel: (691) 320-2324 / 2338 Fax: (691) 320-5122

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 21-215  
FSM CONGRESS

February 10, 2020

RECEIVED  
FEB 10 2020  
Office of the  
President FSM

His Excellency David W. Panuelo  
President  
Federated States of Micronesia  
Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941

Dear President Panuelo:

I have the honor to transmit herewith Congressional Act No. 21-83, "AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$100,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2020, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING RESPONSE EFFORTS IN CHINA DUE TO THE RECENT CORONAVIRUS (2019NCOV) OUTBREAK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.", which was passed by the Twenty-First Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Third Regular Session, 2020, by a two-thirds vote of all the State delegations as required and as duly certified.

Sincerely yours,

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

Enclosures



PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. *21-215*  
FSM CONGRESS

TWENTY-FIRST CONGRESS OF THE  
FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA  
THIRD REGULAR SESSION  
JANUARY 27 – FEBRUARY 15, 2020

---

---

## An Act

TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$100,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2020, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING RESPONSE EFFORTS IN CHINA DUE TO THE RECENT CORONAVIRUS (2019NCOV) OUTBREAK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

---

---

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: WESLEY W. SIMINA

DATE: FEBRUARY 5, 2020

---

---

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS  
S.C.R. NO. 21-39 – FEBRUARY 5, 2020

FIRST READING: – FEBRUARY 5, 2020

SECOND READING: – FEBRUARY 6, 2020

---

---

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Liwiana Ramon Ioanis", is written over a horizontal line.

Liwiana Ramon Ioanis  
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress



Office of the Speaker

CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

P.O. Box PS 3 Palikir, Sokehs  
Pohnpei State, FM 96941  
Tel: (691) 320-2324 / 2338  
Fax: (691) 320-5122

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 21-215  
FSM CONGRESS

ACT NO. 21-83

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 21-139)

We hereby certify that on February 6 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Twenty-First Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Third Regular Session, 2020, 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.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Wesley W. Simina".

Wesley W. Simina  
Speaker  
Congress of the  
Federated States of Micronesia

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Liwiana Ramon Ioanis".

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

AN ACT

To appropriate the sum of \$100,000 from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2020, for the purpose of funding response efforts in China due to the recent coronavirus (2019nCoV) outbreak, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. The sum of \$100,000, or so much thereof as may  
2 be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the General Fund of  
3 the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending  
4 September 30, 2020, for the purpose of funding response efforts  
5 in China due to the recent coronavirus (2019nCoV) outbreak.

6 The funds appropriated under this section shall be apportioned  
7 as follows:

8	1 China coronavirus (2019nCoV) outbreak response	
9	efforts.....	\$ 100,000

10 Section 2. Allotment and management of funds and lapse  
11 date. All funds appropriated by this act shall be allotted,  
12 managed, administered and accounted for in accordance with  
13 applicable laws, including, but not limited to, the Financial  
14 Management Act of 1979. The allottee shall be responsible for  
15 ensuring that these funds, or so much thereof as may be  
16 necessary, are used solely for the purpose specified in this  
17 act, and that no obligations are incurred in excess of the sum  
18 appropriated. The allottee of the funds appropriated under

1 section 1 of this act shall be the President of the Federated  
2 States of Micronesia or his designee. The authority of the  
3 allottee to obligate such funds shall lapse on September 30,  
4 2020 and any unallotted funds will revert back to the General  
5 Fund.

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

9  
10  
11  
12  
13  
14  
15  
16  
17  
18  
19  
20  
21  
22  
23  
24  
25

February 18th, 2020



David W. Panuelo  
President  
Federated States of Micronesia