



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

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 21-216  
FSM CONGRESS

February 21, 2020

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

Dear Speaker Simina:

I am pleased to transmit the following congressional act, which I have signed into Public Law No. 21-79:

Congressional Act No. 21-90, entitled: "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND TITLE 22 OF THE CODE OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA (ANNOTATED), AS AMENDED, BY REINSERTING SECTION 416 THEREOF, TO CORRECT TECHNICAL ERRORS IN THE 2014 F.S.M.C. (ANNOTATED), AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

I wish to thank the 21<sup>st</sup> FSM Congress for the passage of this act. I would further recommend that the language of section 416 as reinserted by this act be updated given that the Department of Economic Affairs had since been renamed into the Department of Resources and Development.

Sincerely,

David W. Panuelo  
President

xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court





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February 12, 2020

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

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Dear President Panuelo:

I have the honor to transmit herewith Congressional Act No. 21-90, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND TITLE 22 OF THE CODE OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA (ANNOTATED), AS AMENDED, BY REINSERTING SECTION 416 THEREOF, TO CORRECT TECHNICAL ERRORS IN THE 2014 F.S.M.C. (ANNOTATED), 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,

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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 REGULAR SESSION  
JANUARY 27 – FEBRUARY 15, 2020

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## An Act

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INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: WESLEY W. SIMINA

DATE: FEBRUARY 5, 2020

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REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION AND COMMUNICATION  
WITHDRAWN – FEBRUARY 10, 2020

FIRST READING: – FEBRUARY 10, 2020

SECOND READING: – FEBRUARY 11, 2020

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Liwiana Ramon Ioanis  
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress



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FSM CONGRESS

ACT NO. 21-90

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 21-138)

We hereby certify that on February 11 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.

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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

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AN ACT

To further amend title 22 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia (Annotated), as amended, by reinserting section 416 thereof, to correct technical errors in the 2014 F.S.M.C. (Annotated), and for other purposes.

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

1           Section 1. The purpose of this Act is to correct a  
2 technical error in the codification of title 22 of the Code of  
3 the Federated States of Micronesia (Annotated). Public Law No.  
4 11-41 enacted section 416 of title 22; however, that section  
5 was unintentionally omitted from the 2014 F.S.M.C. (Annotated).  
6 This Act amends title 22 to accurately reflect the provisions  
7 of Public Law No. 11-41.

8           Section 2. Title 22 of the Code of the Federated States  
9 of Micronesia (Annotated), as amended, is hereby amended by  
10 reinserting section 416 to read as follows:

11           "Section 416. Aircraft and sea vessel responsibilities  
12 for overtime. Any aircraft or sea vessel landing at  
13 any airport, or calling at any port in the Federated  
14 States of Micronesia, shall be responsible for paying  
15 to the Treasurer of the Federated States of Micronesia  
16 an amount equal to the actual costs to the National  
17 Government for overtime accrued by the officials  
18 responsible for carrying out the purpose of this title

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1           whenever such officials are required to carry out their  
2           official duties relating to the aircraft or sea vessel  
3           at a time outside of the officials' ordinary working  
4           hours. The Secretary of Economic Affairs shall  
5           determine the amount payable by the aircraft or sea  
6           vessel under this section and shall submit invoices to  
7           the aircraft or sea vessel for payment of such amounts  
8           on a monthly basis; provided, however, if an aircraft  
9           or sea vessel's arrival is for one time only or is  
10          likely to occur at infrequent intervals the invoice  
11          shall be made as soon as possible after the arrival of  
12          the vessel or aircraft, including at the time of the  
13          arrival itself as may be provided by the regulations.  
14          For purposes of this section, overtime means actual  
15          hours worked in excess of 40 actual hours per week  
16          worked by an official or employee of the National  
17          Government."

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 27, 2020



David W. Panuelo  
President  
Federated States of Micronesia