



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

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 22-127  
FSM CONGRESS

September 28, 2021

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

Dear Speaker Simina:

I am pleased to transmit the following act, which I have signed to become Public Law No. 22-44 :

Congressional Act No. 22-36, entitled: "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 21-157, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 21-179, 21-216 AND 22-17, BY AMENDING SECTION 6 THEREOF, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CHANGING THE ALLOTTEE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF POHNPEI STATE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Thank you.

Sincerely,

David W. Panuelo  
President

xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court





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September 20, 2021

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. 22-36, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 21-157, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 21-179, 21-216 AND 22-17, BY AMENDING SECTION 6 THEREOF, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CHANGING THE ALLOTTEE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF POHNPEI STATE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES", which was passed by the Twenty-Second Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Second Regular Session, 2021, by a two-thirds vote of all the State delegations as required and as duly certified.

Sincerely yours,

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

Enclosures



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TWENTY-SECOND CONGRESS OF THE  
FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA  
SECOND REGULAR SESSION  
SEPTEMBER 13 – OCTOBER 02, 2021

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## An Act

TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 21-157, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 21-179, 21-216 AND 22-17, BY AMENDING SECTION 6 THEREOF, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CHANGING THE ALLOTTEE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF POHNPEI STATE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: PETER M. CHRISTIAN

DATE: SEPTEMBER 13, 2021

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REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS  
WITHDRAWN – SEPTEMBER 14, 2021

FIRST READING: – SEPTEMBER 14, 2021

SECOND READING: – SEPTEMBER 20, 2021

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Jessicalynn Reyes  
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress





Office of the Speaker

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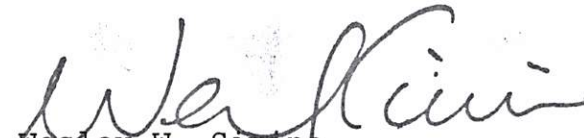
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ACT NO. 22-36

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 22-73)

We hereby certify that on September 20 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Twenty-Second Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Second Regular Session, 2021, 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.

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

  
Jessicalynn Reyes  
Chief Clerk  
Congress of the  
Federated States of Micronesia

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AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 21-157, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 21-179, 21-216 and 22-17, by amending section 6 thereof, for the purpose of changing the allottee of funds previously appropriated therein, to fund public projects and social programs for the people of Pohnpei State, and for other purposes.

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

1           Section 1. Section 6 of Public Law No. 21-157, as amended by  
2 Public Law No. 21-216, is hereby further amended to read as  
3 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 or his designee, PROVIDED THAT the allottee of  
16 funds appropriate under subsection 2(d) of this act  
17 shall be the President of COM-FSM. The allottee of the  
18 funds appropriated under subsection 3(1) of this act

1 shall be the Governor of Kosrae or his designee. The  
2 allottee of the funds appropriated under subsection  
3 3(2) of this act shall be the Mayor of Lelu Town  
4 Government or his designee. The allottee of the funds  
5 appropriated under section 4 of this act shall be the  
6 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or his  
7 designee; PROVIDED THAT, the allottee of funds  
8 appropriated under subsection 4(1)(a) of this act shall  
9 be the Pohnpei State Department of Land and Survey; the  
10 allottee of fund appropriated under subsections,  
11 4(1)(b), 4(2)(a), 4(2)(b), 4(2)(c), 4(2)(e), 4(2)(f),  
12 4(2)(g), 4(2)(h), and 4(2)(i) of this act shall be the  
13 Secretary of the Department of Transportation,  
14 Communications and Infrastructure or his designee;" the  
15 allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 4(2)(d)  
16 of this act shall be the Mayor of Kolonia Town  
17 Government or his designee; the allottee of funds  
18 appropriated under subsections 4(1)(c), 4(1)(d),  
19 4(3)(a), 4(3)(b) and 4(3)(c) of this act shall be the  
20 Pohnpei Transportation Authority; the allottee of funds  
21 appropriated under subsection 4(3)(d) of this act shall  
22 be the Chief Justice of Kitti or his designee. The  
23 allottee of the funds appropriated under subsections  
24 5(1) and 5(6) of this act shall be the Governor of  
25 Chuuk State or his designee; the allottee of the funds

