



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

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 22-133  
FSM CONGRESS

October 5, 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. 22-49 :

Congressional Act No. 22-45, entitled: "AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$775,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2022, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING THE SPECIAL ELECTION FOR THE FSM NATIONAL GOVERNMENT AND LEGAL AND ADVOCACY SERVICES IN WASHINGTON, D.C. ARNOLD AND PORTER (A&P), AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

I wish to thank the 22<sup>nd</sup> FSM Congress for the passage of this act.

Sincerely,

David W. Panuelo  
President

xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court





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September 28, 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. 22-45, "AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$775,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2022, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING THE SPECIAL ELECTION FOR THE FSM NATIONAL GOVERNMENT AND LEGAL AND ADVOCACY SERVICES IN WASHINGTON, D.C. ARNOLD AND PORTER (A&P), 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



PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 22-133  
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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 APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$775,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2022, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING THE SPECIAL ELECTION FOR THE FSM NATIONAL GOVERNMENT AND LEGAL AND ADVOCACY SERVICES IN WASHINGTON, D.C. ARNOLD AND PORTER (A&P), AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: FERNY S. PERMAN

DATE: SEPTEMBER 24, 2021

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REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS  
WITHDRAWN – SEPTEMBER 24, 2021

FIRST READING: – SEPTEMBER 24, 2021

SECOND READING: – SEPTEMBER 27, 2021

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Jessicalynn Reyes  
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress





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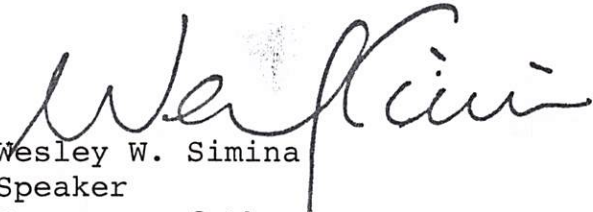
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**PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 22-133**  
**FSM CONGRESS**

ACT NO. 22-45

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 22-92, C.D.1, C.D.2)

We hereby certify that on September 27 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

AN ACT

To appropriate the sum of \$775,000 from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2022, for the purpose of funding the Special Election for the FSM National Government and Legal and Advocacy Services in Washington, D.C. Arnold and Porter (A&P), and for other purposes.

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

1           Section 1. The sum of \$775,000, or so much thereof as may be  
2 necessary, is hereby appropriated from the General Fund of the  
3 Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending  
4 September 30, 2022, for the purpose of funding the Special  
5 Election of the FSM National Government and Legal and Advocacy  
6 Services in Washington, D.C. Arnold and Porter (A&P). The funds  
7 appropriated under this section shall be apportioned as follows:

8           (1) Special Election for the FSM National	
9           Government .....	\$       100,000
10          (2) Legal and Advocacy Services in	
11          Washington, D.C. Arnold and Porter (A&P) .....	675,000

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

1 incurred in excess of the sum appropriated. The allottee of the  
2 funds appropriated under section 1(1) of this act shall be the  
3 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or his designee  
4 and the allottee of the funds appropriated under section 1(2) of  
5 this act shall be the Executive Director of the Joint Committee on  
6 Compact Review and Planning (JCRP). The authority of the allottee  
7 to obligate funds appropriated by this act shall lapse on  
8 September 30, 2022.

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

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David W. Panuelo  
President  
Federated States of Micronesia

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