



The President
Palikir, Pohnpei
Federated States of Micronesia

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 19-205
FSM CONGRESS

October 29, 2015

The Honorable Wesley W. Simina
Speaker
19th FSM Congress
Palikir, Pohnpei, FM 96941

Dear Speaker Simina:

I am transmitting the following Congressional Act, which I have signed to become Public Law No. 19-38:

Congressional Act No. 19-37, entitled: "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 16-58, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 16-64, 16-72, 17-08, 17-11, 17-20, 17-35, 17-41 AND 18-77, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 5 AND 6 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE AND ALLOTTEE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN THE STATE OF CHUUK AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Thank you.

Sincerely,



Peter M. Christian
President



xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court
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October 05, 2015



His Excellency Peter M. Christian
President
Federated States of Micronesia
Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941

Dear President Christian:

I have the honor to transmit herewith Congressional Act No. 19-37, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 16-58, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 16-64, 16-72, 17-08, 17-11, 17-20, 17-35, 17-41 AND 18-77, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 5 AND 6 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE AND ALLOTTEE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN THE STATE OF CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.", which was passed by the Nineteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Second Regular Session, 2015, 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



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PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 19-205
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ACT NO. 19-37

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 19-84)

We hereby certify that on September 29 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Nineteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Second Regular Session, 2015, 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

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

Liwiana Ramon Ioanis
Chief Clerk
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AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 16-58, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 16-64, 16-72, 17-08, 17-11, 17-20, 17-35, 17-41 and 18-77, by amending sections 5 and 6 thereof, to change the use and allottee of certain funds previously appropriated therein, to fund public projects and social programs in the State of Chuuk, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Section 5 of Public Law No. 16-58, as amended by
2 Public Laws Nos. 17-08 and 17-41, is hereby further amended to
3 read as follows:

4 "Section 5. Of the sum of \$1,005,000 appropriated by
5 this act, \$300,000 is apportioned for Chuuk State for
6 public projects and social programs.

7 State of Chuuk\$ 300,000

8 (1) Chuuk at Large 50,000

9 (a) Leadership travel (municipal,
10 state, traditional, and youth leaders) 10,000

11 (b) Food relief assistance 15,000

12 (c) Contractual services for
13 project coordinators 5,000

14 (d) Fishing project 10,000

15 (e) Land transportation 10,000

16 (2) Election District No. 1 35,000

17 (a) Leadership travel (municipal,
18 state, traditional leaders) 18,007

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1	(b) Student land transportation....\$	-0-
2	(c) Food relief assistance.....	16,993
3	(3) Election District No. 2.....	40,000
4	(a) All in one business start up....	40,000
5	(4) Election District No. 3.....	45,000
6	(a) Food and water system	
7	relief assistance	14,288
8	(b) Election District No. 3	
9	operation	10,000
10	(c) Sewing project.....	5,000
11	(d) Southern Namoneas leadership conference	6,712
12	(e) Leadership travel (municipal,	
13	state, traditional leaders)	9,000
14	(5) Election District No. 4.....	65,000
15	(a) Food relief assistance.....	20,000
16	(b) Faichuk Development Authority	
17	Administration subsidy	10,000
18	(c) Purchase of vehicle for Tol	
19	municipal government	5,000
20	(d) Leadership travel (state and	
21	municipal leaders)	10,000
22	(e) Election District No. 4	
23	operation	20,000
24	(6) Election District No. 5.....	40,000
25	(a) Election District No. 5	

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1	operation	\$	10,000
2	(b) Transportation safety		
3	equipment/supplies		10,000
4	(c) Transportation needs		20,000
5	(7) Chuuk State Commission on Improvement		
6	Projects (CSCIP) Administrative support services		25,000"

7 Section 2. Section 6 of Public Law No. 16-58, as amended
 8 by Public Laws Nos. 16-64, and 17-11, is hereby further amended
 9 to read as follows:

10 "Section 6. Allotment and management of funds and lapse
 11 date. All funds appropriated by this act shall be
 12 allotted, managed, administered and accounted for in
 13 accordance with applicable law, including, but not
 14 limited to, the Financial Management Act of 1979. The
 15 allottee shall be responsible for ensuring that these
 16 funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are used
 17 solely for the purpose specified in this act, and that no
 18 obligations are incurred in excess of the sum
 19 appropriated. The allottee of funds appropriated under
 20 sections 2 and 4 of this act shall be the President of
 21 the Federated States of Micronesia or his designee
 22 PROVIDED THAT the allottee of funds appropriated under
 23 section 4(1)(f) shall be the Pohnpei Transportation
 24 Authority. The allottee of funds appropriated under
 25 section 3 of this act shall be the Governor of Yap State.

1 The allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 5(1),
2 5(3) and 5(6) shall be the Governor of Chuuk State. The
3 allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 5(2)
4 shall be the Mortlock Islands Development Authority. The
5 allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 5(4)
6 shall be the Southern Namoneas Development Authority.
7 The allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 5(5)
8 shall be the Faichuk Development Authority. The funds
9 appropriated by this act shall remain available until
10 fully expended."

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

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Oct 29, 2015



Peter M. Christian
President
Federated States of Micronesia