



The President
Palikir, Pohnpei
Federated States of Micronesia

February 17, 2016

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 19-274
FSM CONGRESS

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

Dear Speaker Simina:

I am pleased to transmit the following Congressional Act, which became Public Law No. 19-60 as follows:

Congressional Act No. 19-61, entitled "AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$1,600,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2016, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING ESSENTIAL GOVERNMENT FUNCTIONS, PROGRAMS, PROJECTS AND ACTIVITIES IN THE STATES OF YAP, KOSRAE, POHNPEI, AND CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

I take this opportunity to thank the 19th FSM Congress for the passage of this act on this 3rd Regular Session, February 2016.

Sincerely,



Peter M. Christian
President

xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court
Secretary, Department of Finance and Administration
Secretary, Department Justice
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February 08, 2016



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. 19-61, "AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$1,600,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2016, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING ESSENTIAL GOVERNMENT FUNCTIONS, PROGRAMS, PROJECTS AND ACTIVITIES IN THE STATES OF YAP, KOSRAE, POHNPEI AND CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.", which was passed by the Nineteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Third Regular Session, 2016, 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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ACT NO. 19-61

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 19-115, C.D.1,
C.D.2, C.D.3, C.D.4)

We hereby certify that on February 03 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Nineteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Third Regular Session, 2016, 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

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

NINETEENTH CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

THIRD REGULAR SESSION, 2016

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 19-115, C.D.1,
C.D.2, C.D.3, C.D.4

PUBLIC LAW No. 19-60

AN ACT

To appropriate the sum of \$1,600,000 from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2016, for the purpose of funding essential government functions, programs, projects and activities in the states of Yap, Kosrae, Pohnpei and Chuuk, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Purpose. The sum of \$1,600,000, or so much
2 thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the
3 General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal
4 year ending September 30, 2016, for the purpose funding essential
5 government functions, programs, projects and activities in the
6 states of Yap, Kosrae, Pohnpei and Chuuk. The funds appropriated
7 under this section shall be apportioned as follows:

8 Section 2. Of the sum of \$1,600,000 appropriated by this
9 act, \$300,000 is apportioned to fund essential government
10 functions, programs and activities in the State of Yap.
11 "state of Yap \$ 300,000
12 (a) Yap Medical Referral Revolving Fund
13 for Non-insured patients; PROVIDED THAT, the state of
14 Yap provide matching of \$100,000; which is a condition
15 to effectuate the implementation of the funding 300,000"

16 Section 3. Of the sum of \$1,600,000 appropriated by this
17 act, \$300,000 is apportioned to fund essential government
18 functions, programs and activities in the state of Kosrae.

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1 "state of Kosrae \$ 300,000"

2 Section 4. Of the sum of \$1,600,000 appropriated by this

3 act, \$500,000 is apportioned to fund essential government

4 functions, programs and activities in the state of Pohnpei.

5 "state of Pohnpei \$ 500,000

6 (1) At large

7 (i) Public projects and social programs 100,000

8 (ii) Nanponmal road improvement 100,000

9 (2) Election District No. 1 100,000

10 (a) Pohnpei Port Authority Marker Project 25,000

11 (b) Pohnpei fishing club rescue

12 system/fuel 10,000

13 (c) Solar lights/led/materials 50,000

14 (d) Saint Peter Church's sidewalk 10,000

15 (e) Youth musical instruments 5,000

16 (3) Election District No. 2 100,000

17 (4) Election District No. 3 Road

18 improvement/activities 100,000"

19 Section 5. Of the sum of \$1,600,000 appropriated by this

20 act, \$500,000 is apportioned to fund essential government

21 functions, programs and activities in the state of Chuuk.

22 "state of Chuuk \$ 500,000"

23 Section 6. "Allotment and management of funds and lapse

24 date. All funds appropriated by this act shall be allotted,

25 managed, administered and accounted for in accordance with

1 applicable laws, including, but not limited to, the Financial
2 Management Act of 1979. The allottee shall be responsible for
3 ensuring that these funds, or so much thereof as may be
4 necessary, are used solely for the purpose specified in this
5 act, and that no obligations are incurred in excess of the sum
6 appropriated. The allottee of the funds appropriated under
7 section 2 of this act shall be the Governor of the State of Yap
8 or his designee. The allottee of the funds appropriated under
9 section 3 of this act shall be the Governor of the State of
10 Kosrae or his designee. The allottee of the funds appropriated
11 under section 4 of this act shall be the Governor of the State
12 of Pohnpei or his designee. The allottee of the funds
13 appropriated under section 5 of this act shall be the Governor
14 of the State of Chuuk or his designee. The authority of the
15 allottee to obligate funds appropriated by this act shall lapse
16 on September 30, 2017."

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1 Section 7. 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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Feb. 17, 2016

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Peter M. Christian
President
Federated States of Micronesia

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