



The President
Palikir, Pohnpei
Federated States of Micronesia

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 19-450
FSM CONGRESS

September 29, 2016

The Honorable Wesley W. Simina
Speaker
Nineteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia
Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941

Dear Speaker Simina:

I am transmitting the following Congressional Act, which I have signed to become Public Law No. 19-109:

Congressional Act No. 19-110: AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 17-36, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 17-48, 17-78, 17-87, 18-36, 18-65, 18-84 AND 19-22, BY AMENDING SECTION 6 THEREOF, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CHANGING THE LAPSE DATE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR EACH OF THE STATES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Thank you.

Sincerely,



Peter M. Christian
President

Enclosures:

xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court
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September 23, 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. 19-110, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 17-36, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 17-48, 17-78, 17-87, 18-36, 18-65, 18-84 AND 19-22, BY AMENDING SECTION 6 THEREOF, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CHANGING THE LAPSE DATE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR EACH OF THE STATES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.", which was passed by the Nineteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fifth 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. 19-110

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 19-210)

We hereby certify that on September 22 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Nineteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fifth 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.

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

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

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

A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 17-36, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 17-48, 17-78, 17-87, 18-36, 18-65, 18-84 and 19-22, by amending section 6 thereof, for the purpose of changing the lapse date of certain funds previously appropriated therein, to fund public projects and social programs for each of the states, 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. 17-36, as amended
2 by Public Laws Nos. 17-48, 17-78, 17-87, 18-36, 18-65, 18-84 and
3 19-22, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

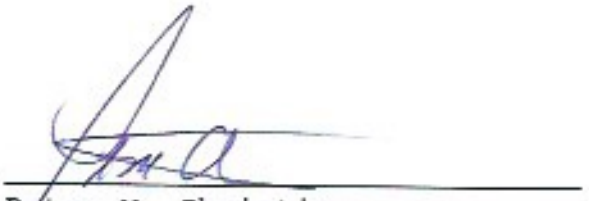
4 "Section 6. Allotment and management of funds and
5 lapse date. All funds appropriated by this act shall
6 be allotted, managed, administered and accounted for
7 in accordance with applicable laws, including, but not
8 limited to, the Financial Management Act of 1979. The
9 allottee shall be responsible for ensuring that these
10 funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are
11 used solely for the purpose specified in this act, and
12 that 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 State. The allottee of funds appropriated under
16 sections 3 and 4 of this act shall be the President of
17 the Federated States of Micronesia or his designee;
18 EXCEPT THAT, the allottee of funds appropriated under

1 subsection 4(1)(b), 4(3)(a) and (b) of section 4 of
2 this act shall be the Pohnpei Transportation
3 Authority. The allottee of funds appropriated under
4 subsection 4(2)(j) of section 4 shall be the Chief
5 Magistrate of Sokehs Municipal Government. The
6 allottee of funds appropriated under subsections 5(1),
7 5(3) and 5(6) of section 5 of this act shall be the
8 Governor of Chuuk State or his designee. The allottee
9 of funds appropriated under subsection 5(2) of section
10 5 of this act shall be the Mortlock Islands
11 Development Authority; the allottee of funds
12 appropriated under subsection 5(4) of section 5 of
13 this act shall be the Southern Namoneas Development
14 Authority. The allottee of funds appropriated under
15 subsection 5(5) of section 5 of this act shall be the
16 Faichuk Development Authority. The allottee of funds
17 appropriated under subsection 5(6)(f) shall be the
18 President of COM-FSM. The authority of the allottee
19 to obligate funds appropriated by this act shall lapse
20 on September 30, 2018.”

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Section 2. This act shall become law upon approval by the President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its becoming law without such approval.

9/29, 2016



Peter M. Christian
President
Federated States of Micronesia