



The President
Palikir, Pohnpei
Federated States of Micronesia

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 19-552
FSM CONGRESS

February 6, 2017

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 I have signed to become Public Law No. 19-145:

Congressional Act No. 19-151, entitled: "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NOS. 19-121, 19-130, AND 19-142, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 4 AND 5 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE STATES OF POHNPEI AND CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Thank you.

Sincerely,


Peter M. Christian
President



xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court



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January 31, 2017

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. 19-151, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-121, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 19-130 AND 19-142, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 4 AND 5 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE STATES OF POHNPEI AND CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.", which was passed by the Nineteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Sixth Regular Session, 2017, 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. 19-151

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 19-252, C.D.1)

We hereby certify that on January 30 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Nineteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Sixth Regular Session, 2017, 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

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

AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 19-121, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 19-130 and 19-142, by amending sections 4 and 5 thereof, to change the use of funds previously appropriated therein, for the purpose of funding public projects and social programs for the people of the states of Pohnpei and Chuuk, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Section 4 of Public Law No. 19-121, as amended by
2 Public Laws Nos. 19-130 and 19-142, is hereby further amended to
3 read as follows:

4 "Section 4. Of the sum of \$5,450,000 appropriated by
5 this act, \$1,200,000 is apportioned to fund public
6 projects and social programs for the people of the state
7 of Pohnpei.

8	state of Pohnpei	\$ 1,200,000
9	(1) At-Large	300,000
10	(a) Medical referral	10,000
11	(b) Local farmers production/ 12 equipment	10,000
13	(c) Community water project	20,000
14	(d) Pohnpei Department of 15 Land -vehicle	15,000
16	(e) Dien youth organization center 17 renovation/musical equipment	15,000
18	(f) Nantaku/Tamworohi basketball court	40,000
19	(g) Tomwarahlong, Kitti basketball court	40,000

1	(h) Pohnpei solar lighting	\$ 20,000
2	(i) Pohnpei beautification/clean-up	
3	equipment	35,000
4	(j) Pohnpei support center for disable	
5	individuals	5,000
6	(k) Catholic church/youth	
7	multipurpose conference room	25,000
8	(l) Pohnpei community clean-up and	
9	road maintenance	65,000
10	(2) Election District No. 1	300,000
11	(a) Palikir Early Childhood Education	
12	school	7,000
13	(b) PUC water prepaid system	60,000
14	(c) Pohnpei State OFA	10,000
15	(d) Purchase of outboard motors	25,000
16	(e) Community cleanup project	20,000
17	(f) LED/Solar lights system	10,000
18	(g) Boat repair project	6,000
19	(h) Internet Services for	
20	Southern Islands	25,000
21	(i) Purchase of Desktops/Notebooks,	
22	ED#1 schools	90,000
23	(j) Outstanding debts	5,000
24	(k) Community outreach and	
25	advocacy program ..	10,000

1	(l) FSM NOC subsidy	\$ 10,000
2	(m) Tower installation	10,000
3	(n) GED Program for Sapwuhafik	12,000
4	(3) Election District No. 2	300,000
5	(a) Paies, Kitti (Nanmwaht road	
6	improvement)	50,000
7	(b) School lunch program, Pohnpei ..	50,000
8	(c) Madolenihmw Constitution Day	
9	(activities, events, sports, awards)	5,000
10	(d) Kitti Agriculture fair	
11	(activities and program)	5,000
12	(e) Liberation Day activities,	
13	Madolenihmw	5,000
14	(f) Pohnsou (Elielwi, Madolenihmw	
15	road paving	40,00
16	(g) Sapwalapw water system	15,000
17	(h) Diadi, Kitti water system	20,000
18	(i) Moailap paved road	
19	repair/upgrade	40,000
20	(j) Pohnpei Police foundation	45,000
21	(k) Pwoai pwoai power extension	10,000
22	(l) Administrative support for ED#2	10,000
23	(m) Kitti Constitution Day	5,000
24	(4) Election District No. 3	300,000
25	(a) Conservation Society of Pohnpei.	26,000

1	(b) ED#3 Rheumatic Heart screening for	
2	Elementary students	\$ 45,000
3	(c) ED#3 Teacher Certification	
4	for First Aid and CPR	15,000
5	(d) Chairs for Pohnpei State Hospital	10,000
6	(e) ED#3 Xavier first year	
7	students' tuition	15,000
8	(f) Nett Municipal government	
9	vehicle	20,000
10	(g) Nett School computers and equipment	15,000
11	(h) Meitik culvert replacement	25,000
12	(i) Eirke power extensions (secondary	
13	line to primary line)	25,000
14	(j) Saladak school computers and	
15	equipment	15,000
16	(k) Awak school Early Childhood	
17	Education building fencing	23,000
18	(l) Awak school septic tank	
19	construction	11,000
20	(m) Pingelap municipal	
21	government subsidy	10,000
22	(n) Mwokilloa municipal	
23	government subsidy	10,000
24	(o) Persons with Disabilities	
25	building construction	5,000

1	(p) Medical referral program	\$ 10,000
2	(q) Nan-Welin Rohi coral capping ...	15,000
3	(r) Community outreach and	
4	advocacy program	-0-
5	(s) Eco-Tourism Plan	5,000"

6 Section 2. Section 5 of Public Law No. 19-121, as amended by
 7 Public Laws Nos. 19-130 and 19-142, is hereby further amended to
 8 read as follows:

9 "Section 5. Of the sum of \$5,450,000 appropriated by
 10 this act, \$2,550,000 is apportioned to fund public
 11 projects and social programs for the people of the
 12 state of Chuuk.

13	state of Chuuk	\$ 2,550,000
14	(1) At-Large	450,000
15	(a) Berea Christian school	40,000
16	(b) Allottee's administrative	
17	support cost	49,000
18	(c) Leaders travel/community	
19	outreach and advocacy program	50,000
20	(d) Patients/students/travels.....	20,000
21	(e) Housing renovation/improvement/repair	50,000
22	(f) Fishing and sea transportation	
23	projects	80,000
24	(g) Contributions to state/municipal	
25	and community activities, events and	

1	programs	\$ 46,000
2	(h) Municipal Constitutional Conventions	10,000
3	(i) Municipal offices construction..	20,000
4	(j) Eot municipal subsidy/grants....	10,000
5	(k) NGOs/Civil Society	
6	organizations/foundations	10,000
7	(l) Land transportations.....	35,000
8	(m) Women Home economic project.....	15,000
9	(n) Students financial assistance...	15,000
10	(2) Election District No. 1.....	420,000
11	(a) Housing and multipurpose	
12	building renovation, improvement and	
13	construction	80,000
14	(b) Chuuk State Health insurance program	50,000
15	(c) Poverty alleviation program	
16	and/or projects	-0-
17	(d) Faith Walk Christian College	10,000
18	(e) Caroline Christian Pastoral Institute	10,000
19	(f) MIDA and vessels operation and	
20	maintenance	145,000
21	(g) Mortlock's delegation at Chuuk State	
22	Legislature subsidy and contributions	40,000
23	(h) Mortlock's Mayor Association	
24	subsidy	-0-
25	(i) Students financial assistance ..	35,000

1	(j) Mortlock Leadership conference..\$	50,000
2	(3) Election District No. 2.....	425,000
3	(a) Housing and Community Halls	
4	rehabilitation	110,000
5	(b) Fishing project	40,000
6	(c) Food security program	50,000
7	(d) Freight/POL, and/or charters ...	10,000
8	(e) Community events/activities	
9	(contractual services)	5,000
10	(f) Leaders/students/patients travel	50,000
11	(g) Administrative costs for allottee	30,000
12	(h) Municipal governments subsidy ..	45,000
13	(i) Land transportation	15,000
14	(j) Contribution to Associations	
15	in Honolulu, Hawaii	20,000
16	(k) Repatriation of human remains and	
17	associated costs	20,000
18	(l) Students financial assistance ..	10,000
19	(m) Payment for Social Security	
20	premium	10,000
21	(n) Chuuk Women Council	10,000
22	(4) Election District No. 3.....	420,000
23	(a) Fishing project.....	50,000
24	(b) Housing/Community Halls/Multi-	
25	purpose building project	55,000

1	(c) Administrative cost for SNDA		
2	office	\$	35,000
3	(d) Municipal governments subsidy		
4	(i) Uman municipal government		15,000
5	(ii) Tonowas municipal government		15,000
6	(iii) Fefen municipal government		15,000
7	(iv) Tsis municipal government		10,000
8	(v) Parem municipal government		10,000
9	(e) Community outreach & advocacy		
10	program		30,000
11	(f) Southern Namoneas roads		
12	improvement project		40,000
13	(g) Food security program		30,000
14	(h) Vessel operation - SNDA		10,000
15	(i) Vehicle purchase for Election		
16	District No. 3, Chuuk State		40,000
17	(j) Contributions (Senior citizens/ Disable people/medical referrals/non-insured patients/purchase of medicine)		10,000
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20	(k) Nukuno Sainowa Christian High		
21	School subsidy		10,000
22	(l) Youth/community/traditional		
23	programs, sports, activities/musical		
24	instruments		15,000
25	(m) Sewing project		10,000

1	(n) Chicken Poultry farm - Ununo,	
2	Pefen subsidy	\$ 5,000
3	(o) Water system project	10,000
4	(p) POL/Charters/Freights	5,000
5	(5) Election District No. 4	420,000
6	(a) Fishing project	40,000
7	(b) Farming project	-0-
8	(c) Humanitarian assistance	40,000
9	(d) Community advocacy and outreach	
10	program.....	40,000
11	(e) Youth activities/programs/	
12	equipment	20,000
13	(f) Low income housing	40,000
14	(g) Students financial assistance ..	20,000
15	(h) Medical referral and repatriation	
16	of human remains	15,000
17	(i) Social security premium payments	5,000
18	(j) Road improvement and	
19	beautification projects	20,000
20	(k) Sewing project	20,000
21	(l) Solar system project	20,000
22	(m) Contribution - Rekee Ramanum	
23	Association	10,000
24	(n) Administrative cost for Faichuk	
25	Development Authority	50,000


1	(o) Municipal governments subsidy..\$	40,000
2	(p) Farmers/students transportation	20,000
3	(q) Community Halls renovation	20,000
4	(6) Election District No. 5.....	415,000
5	(a) Election District No. 5 operation	30,000
6	(b) Northwest youth social programs/ musical instruments	10,000
7	(c) Northwest municipal health aid and physician	15,000
8	(d) Leaders/citizens/community outreach program	25,000
9	(e) POL/Charters/Freight	30,000
10	(f) Election District No. 5 vehicle purchase	30,000
11	(g) Food relief program	25,000
12	(h) Students financial assistance/ students exposure and other related programs	50,000
13	(i) Solar Freezer	35,000
14	(j) Solar Freezer installment project costs	5,000
15	(k) Low income & community housing renovation	40,000
16	(l) Patients referral/Human remains repatriation and related costs	15,000
17	(m) Onoun Municipal airport vehicle	

1	and equipment	\$ 8,000
2	(n) Berea Christian school renovation	7,000
3	(o) Dispensary boat and motor	40,000
4	(p) Pollap community housing and	
5	multipurpose gym renovation	-0-
6	(q) Second annual Northwest	
7	leadership conference	15,000
8	(r) Early bird Association subsidy .	-0-
9	(s) Vehicle purchase (municipal/	
10	state leaders)	15,000
11	(t) Outstanding salary for ED#5 staff	14,000
12	(u) ED#5 office space rental.....	6,000"

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

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8/7, 2017


 Peter M. Christian
 President
 Federated States of Micronesia