



The President
Palikir, Pohnpei
Federated States of Micronesia

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. **19-593**
FSM CONGRESS

April 17th, 2017

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

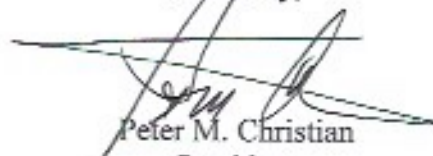
Dear Speaker Simina:

I am transmitting the following Congressional Act, which I have signed to become Public Law No. 19-163:

Congressional Act No. 19-172, entitled: "TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-10, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAW NOS. 19-26, 19-42, 19-51, 19-56, 19-72, 19-78, 19-96 AND 19-132, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 3 AND 5 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN THE STATES OF KOSRAE AND CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

I wish to express our appreciation to Congress for the passage of the Act.

Sincerely,



Peter M. Christian
President

xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court





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His Excellency Peter M. Christian
President
Federated States of Micronesia
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Dear President Christian:

I have the honor to transmit herewith Congressional Act No. 19-172, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-10, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 19-26, 19-42, 19-51, 19-56, 19-72, 19-78, 19-96 AND 19-132, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 3 AND 5 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN THE STATES OF KOSRAE AND CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.", which was passed by the Nineteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Eighth Special 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. 19-172

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 19-279, C.D.1)

We hereby certify that on April 4 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Nineteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Eighth Special 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

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

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

NINETEENTH CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

EIGHTH SPECIAL SESSION, 2017

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 19-279, C.D.1

AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 19-10, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 19-26, 19-42, 19-51, 19-56, 19-72, 19-78, 19-96 and 19-132, by amending sections 3 and 5 thereof, to change the use of funds previously appropriated therein, for the purpose of funding public projects and social programs in the states of Kosrae and Chuuk, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Section 3 of Public Law No. 19-10, as amended by
2 Public Laws Nos. 19-26, 19-42, 19-51 and 19-72, is hereby further
3 amended to read as follows:

4 "Section 3. Of the sum of \$2,100,000 appropriated by
5 this act, \$400,000 is apportioned for public projects
6 and social programs in the state of Kosrae.

7	state of Kosrae	\$	400,000
8	(a) COM-Poultry Pilot Project		20,000
9	(b) Ditch improvement		
10	(Srem to Infala, Malem)		2,000
11	(c) Outreach Program		30,000
12	(d) B.A. program		40,000
13	(e) Kosrae High School Lunch Program		40,000
14	(f) Contractual Service for		
15	special assistant and office trainees		10,000
16	(g) Malem multi purpose building ...		20,000
17	(h) Utwe multi purpose building		20,000

1	(i) Contributions to social activities,	
2	programs and events	\$ 10,000
3	(j) Contractual Service	
4	(Security guards)	5,000
5	(k) Reimbursement obligation to Kosrae	
6	Junior Tennis Program	3,000
7	(l) Road improvement	5,000
8	(m) Kosrae cultural activities	20,000
9	(n) Lelu Farmers Association	10,000
10	(o) Sronsrono farm road improvement	9,000
11	(p) Municipal/Town Governments' subsidies:	
12	(i) Lelu Town Government subsidy	15,000
13	(ii) Tafunsak Municipal subsidy	15,000
14	(iii) Malem Municipal subsidy ...	15,000
15	(iv) Utwe Municipal subsidy	15,000
16	(q) Kosrae State Legislature subsidy	8,000
17	(r) Kosrae Public Auditor's building	
18	renovation	11,000
19	(s) Tafunsak village river clearance	6,000
20	(t) Kosrae Broadcast vehicle	5,000
21	(u) Utwa Women Association	5,000
22	(v) Kosrae Village Resort subsidy ..	15,000
23	(w) Malem Farmers Association	
24	(equipment and gardening tools)	15,000
25	(x) Kosrae Junior Tennis Program ...	6,000

1 (y) Kemeun road improvement \$ 25,000"

2 Section 2. Section 5 of Public Law No. 19-10, as amended by
 3 Public Laws Nos. 19-26, 19-51, 19-56, 19-72 and 19-96, is hereby
 4 further amended to read as follows:

5 "Section 5. Of the sum of \$2,800,000 appropriated by
 6 his act, \$1,200,000 is apportioned for public projects
 7 and social programs in the state of Chuuk.

8 state of Chuuk \$ 1,200,000

9 (1) At-Large 200,000

10 (a) Allottee's administrative
 11 support costs 30,000

12 (b) Contributions to State, Municipal
 13 and Community activities, programs and events 24,000

14 (c) Community infrastructure and
 15 housing improvement/renovation/new construction 23,800

16 (d) Women home economic projects ... 15,000

17 (e) Municipal subsidies/obligations 10,000

18 (f) POL/freight/charters 20,000

19 (g) Leadership/patients/students travel 22,200

20 (h) Municipal office/facility
 21 construction/improvement 20,000

22 (i) Roads/Docks/Seawalls
 23 improvement and beautification 25,000

24 (j) Tonoas Goodwill Games (2016) ... 10,000

25 (2) Election District No. 1 200,000

1	(a) Mortlocks Leadership	
2	Conference	\$ 50,000
3	(b) Community, Traditional and	
4	Municipal events and travel	30,000
5	(c) Mortlock Islands Development	
6	Authority (MIDA)	80,000
7	(d) Youth musical instruments	
8	activities and programs	25,000
9	(e) Community transportation	15,000
10	(f) Solar and communication systems	-0-
11	(3) Election District No. 2	200,000
12	(a) Land transportation	15,000
13	(b) Outreach program	20,000
14	(c) Student's financial assistance/ outstanding debts payment	10,000
15	(d) Social Security Premium contribution	5,000
16	(e) Road improvement & equipment purchase	45,000
17	(f) Repatriation of human remains & funeral costs/travel	10,000
18	(g) Fishing Project	30,000
19	(h) Food relief assistance	20,000
20	(i) Housing and community halls construction	30,000
21	(j) Kokumi Inauguration and related costs	5,000
22	(k) Office of Governor subsidy	

1	(Chuuk State)	\$ 10,000
2	(4) Election District No. 3	200,000
3	(a) Home, housing and multipurpose	
4	building improvement and renovation	20,000
5	(b) Fishing Project	20,000
6	(c) Southern Namoneas Leadership	
7	Conference, travel and hosting	10,000
8	(d) Municipal Government operation/subsidy	
9	(i) Tonowas Municipal Government	10,000
10	(ii) Fefan Municipal Government	10,000
11	(iii) Uman Municipal Government .	10,000
12	(iv) Parem Municipal Government	5,000
13	(v) Tsis Municipal Government .	5,000
14	(e) Tonowas Ice Plant operational cost	5,000
15	(f) Seawalls improvement and repair	15,000
16	(g) Roads improvement/repair	
17	and beatification	10,000
18	(h) Administrative support	
19	services (SNDA)	15,000
20	(i) Students' financial assistance .	10,000
21	(j) Leaders/patients/students	
22	travel needs	10,000
23	(k) Youth activities/events/	
24	program/equipment	5,000
25	(l) Food relief assistance	

1	(aftermath of Typhoon Maysak)	\$ 30,000
2	(m) Water systems improvement	
3	and repair	5,000
4	(n) SNDA vessel operation/	
5	maintenance/provisioning	5,000
6	(5) Election District No. 4	200,000
7	(a) Youth activities, events &	
8	program subsidy	15,000
9	(b) Students' financial	
10	assistance subsidy	20,000
11	(c) Repatriation of human remain/	
12	funeral and travel expenses	15,000
13	(d) Administrative costs	
14	(Faichuk Development Authority)	20,000
15	(e) Land transportation need	15,000
16	(f) Humanitarian relief/	
17	assistance subsidy	30,000
18	(g) Fishing Project subsidy	30,000
19	(h) Sewing Project subsidy	20,000
20	(i) Capacity building/training	8,566
21	(j) Leadership/patients/	
22	students travel expenses	26,434
23	(6) Election District No. 5	200,000
24	(a) Pharmaceutical, patient	
25	referral and repatriation	50,000


1	(b) POL/freight/charters	\$ 40,000
2	(c) Outreach program	25,000
3	(d) Contractual Service for	
4	grant writer	-0-
5	(e) Administrative support	
6	services (Election District No. 5)	20,000
7	(f) Northwest Region Goodwill	
8	Games, events & activities	-0-
9	(g) Participants travel need	
10	to Pacific Art Festival	10,000
11	(h) Food Relief Program	20,000
12	(i) Protected Areas &	
13	Sanctuaries Project	-0-
14	(j) Allottee's administrative cost .	5,000
15	(k) Outstanding debt to YAMAS Co. Ltd	15,000
16	(l) Dispensary boat and motor	15,000"

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1 Section 3. 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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4/17, 2017


Peter M. Christian
President
Federated States of Micronesia

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