



The President
Palikir, Pohnpei
Federated States of Micronesia

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 20-304
FSM CONGRESS

August 30th, 2018

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

Dear Speaker Simina:

I am pleased to transmit the following Congressional Act, which I have signed into Public Law No. 20-114:

Congressional Act No. 20-108, entitled: "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-141, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 19-147 AND 19-171, BY AMENDING SECTION 2 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE LAPSE DATE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING DEFUNDED PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE STATE OF KOSRAE AND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

This act is extending the lapse date, from September 30, 2018, to September 30, 2019, of funds for public projects and social programs appropriated by Congress in January 2017. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Peter M. Christian

Enclosure:

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. 20-108, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-141, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NO. 19-147 AND 19-171, BY AMENDING SECTION 2 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE LAPSE DATE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING DEFUNDED PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE STATE OF KOSRAE AND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.", which was passed by the Twentieth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fifth Special Session, 2018, by a two-thirds vote of all the State delegations as required and as duly certified.

Sincerely yours,

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

Enclosures



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TWENTIETH CONGRESS OF THE
FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA
FIFTH SPECIAL SESSION
AUGUST 2 - 7, 2018

An Act

TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-141, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NO. 19-147 AND 19-171, BY AMENDING SECTION 2 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE LAPSE DATE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING DEFUNDED PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE STATE OF KOSRAE AND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: FERNY S. PERMAN

DATE: MAY 1, 2018

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

WITHDRAWN – AUGUST 6, 2018

FIRST READING: – AUGUST 6, 2018

SECOND READING: – AUGUST 7, 2018

PUBLIC LAW No. 20-114

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Liwiana Ramon Ioanis
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ACT NO. 20-108

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 20-167)

We hereby certify that on August 07 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Twentieth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fifth Special Session, 2018, 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. 19-141, as amended by Public Laws No. 19-147 and 19-171, by amending section 2 thereof, to change the lapse date of funds previously appropriated therein, for the purpose of funding defunded programs and activities of the government of the state of Kosrae and public projects and social programs for the people of the state of Chuuk, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Section 2 of Public Law No. 19-141 is hereby
2 amended to read as follows:

3 "Section 2. Allotment and management of funds and lapse
4 dates.

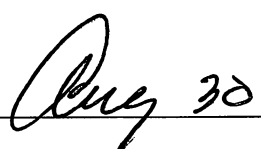
5 All funds appropriated by this act shall be
6 allotted, managed, administered and accounted for in
7 accordance with applicable law, including, but not limited
8 to, the Financial Management Act of 1979. The allottees
9 shall be responsible for ensuring that these funds, or so
10 much thereof as may be necessary, are used solely for the
11 purposes specified in this act, and that no obligations are
12 incurred in excess of the sums appropriated. The allottee of
13 the funds appropriated under subsection 1(1) of this act
14 shall be the Governor of the state of Kosrae or his designee.
15 The allottee of the funds appropriated under subsections
16 1(2)(a), 1(2)(c) and 1(2)(f) of this act shall be the
17 Governor of Chuuk State or his designee. The allottee of
18 funds appropriated under subsection 1(2)(b) of this act shall

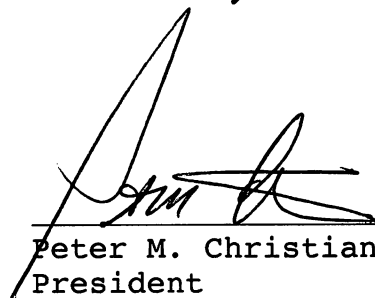
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1 be the Mortlock Island Development Authority (MIDA). The
2 allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 1(2)(d) of
3 this act shall be the Southern Namoneas Development Authority
4 (SNDA). The allottee of funds appropriated under subsection
5 1(2)(e) of this act shall be the Faichuk Development
6 Authority (FDA). The authority of the allottee to obligate
7 funds appropriated by this act shall lapse on September 30,
8 2019."

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

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Peter M. Christian
President
Federated States of Micronesia

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