

A BILL FOR AN ACT

To appropriate the sum of \$50,000 from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001, for relief assistance for Kapingamarangi for short-term food supplies and for a long-term agricultural recovery and rehabilitation program, and for other purposes.

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

1           Section 1. The sum of \$50,000, or so much thereof as may be  
2 necessary, is hereby appropriated from the General Fund of the  
3 Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30,  
4 2001, for relief assistance to eliminate the deprivation and hardship  
5 which continues on Kapingamarangi as a result of long-term crop damage,  
6 especially to breadfruit, coconut, and taro, as a result of El Nino and  
7 La Nina influences. The funds appropriated herein shall be apportioned  
8 as follows:

- 9           (1) Short-term food supplies.....\$           10,000  
10          (2) Agriculture recovery and rehabilitation...       40,000

11          Section 2. Allotment and management of funds and lapse date.

12          (1) All funds appropriated by this act shall be allotted,  
13 managed, administered, and accounted for in accordance with applicable  
14 law, including, but not limited to, the Financial Management Act of  
15 1979. The allottee of the funds appropriated by this act shall be the  
16 President of the Federated States of Micronesia, or his designee. The  
17 allottee shall be responsible for ensuring that these funds, or so much  
18 thereof as may be necessary, are used solely for the purpose specified

1 in this act, and that no obligations are incurred in excess of the sum  
2 appropriated.

3 (2) The authority of the allottee to obligate funds appropriated  
4 by this act shall not lapse.

5 Section 3. This act shall become law upon approval by the  
6 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its becoming  
7 law without such approval.

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10 Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Introduced by: \_\_\_\_\_  
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