



June 14, 2012

The President
Palikir, Pohnpei
Federated States of Micronesia

The Honorable Isaac V. Figir
Speaker
17th FSM Congress
Palikir, Pohnpei State, FM 96941

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 17-263
FSM CONGRESS

Dear Speaker Figir:

I am pleased to inform you that I have approved and transmitted herewith Act No. 17-58, entitled:

"AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND SECTION 3 OF PUBLIC LAW NO.11-27, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 11-55, 11-65, 11-78, 12-3, 12-25, 12-72, 15-56 AND 15-68, TO CHANGE THE USE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN FOR THE STATE OF YAP, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

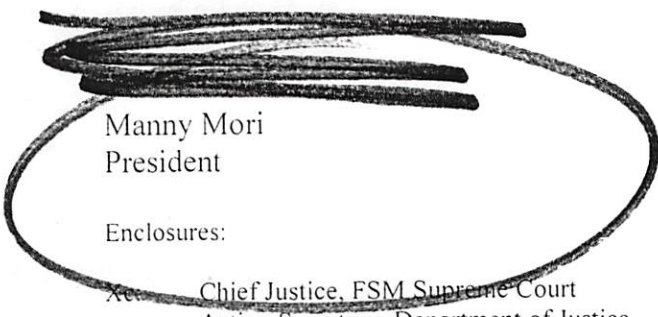
With the line item veto and designated the same as Public Law No. 17-58.

It is with regret that I find it compelling to item veto line items under Section 3 Subsection 20 of the Act. Specifically, I have item vetoed section 3(20)(a) to (e), which re-designate the use of remaining funds originally appropriated under Public Law 11-27, particularly for the State of Yap in the amount of \$31,000 to fund new projects for the outer island high school improvement projects on the ground that Section 3 subsection 20 under this Act carries an explicit defect that questions its validity.

As per the above concern, I respectfully request Congress' further review of the subject Act during its next session to address this defect so the implementation of these projects and programs could be carried out smoothly. My administration stands ready to further discuss and assist the members and staff of Congress in these matters.

With warm personal regards, I remain,

Sincerely,


Manny Mori
President

Enclosures:

Xcc Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court
Acting Secretary, Department of Justice
Director, Office of SBOC
Legislative Counsel, CFSM
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May 30, 2012



His Excellency Manny Mori
President
Federated States of Micronesia
Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941

Dear President Mori:

I have the honor to transmit herewith Congressional Act No. 17-58, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND SECTION 3 OF PUBLIC LAW NO. 11-27, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 11-55, 11-65, 11-78, 12-3, 12-25, 12-72, 15-56 AND 15-68, TO CHANGE THE USE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN FOR THE STATE OF YAP, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.", which was passed by the Seventeenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fourth Regular Session, 2012, 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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SEVENTEENTH CONGRESS OF THE
FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA
FOURTH REGULAR SESSION
MAY 7 - 26, 2012

PUBLIC LAW No. 17- 58

An Act

TO FURTHER AMEND SECTION 3 OF PUBLIC LAW NO. 11-27, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 11-55, 11-65, 11-78, 12-3, 12-25, 12-72, 15-56 AND 15-68, TO CHANGE THE USE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN FOR THE STATE OF YAP, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: JOSEPH J. URUSEMAL

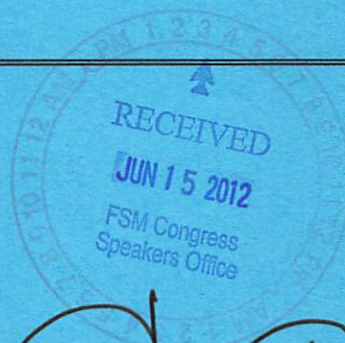
DATE: MARCH 31, 2012

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

WITHDRAWN – MAY 24, 2012

FIRST READING: MAY 24, 2012

SECOND READING: MAY 26, 2012



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Liwiana Ramon Ioanis
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress



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PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 17-263
FSM CONGRESS

ACT NO. 17-58

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 17-133, C.D.1)

We hereby certify that on May 26 the foregoing act passed
Second and Final Reading of the Seventeenth Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia, Fourth Regular Session,
2012, 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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Isaac V. Figir
Speaker
Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia

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

PUBLIC LAW No. 17- 58

AN ACT

To further amend section 3 of Public Law No. 11-27, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 11-55, 11-65, 11-78, 12-3, 12-25, 12-72, 15-56 and 15-68, to change the use of certain funds previously appropriated therein for the State of Yap, 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. 11-27, as amended by
2 Public Laws Nos. 11-55, 11-65, 11-78, 12-3, 12-25, 12-72, 15-56
3 AND 15-68, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

4 "Section 3. The sum of \$1,000,000, or so much thereof
5 as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the
6 General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for
7 the fiscal year ending September 30, 2000, for the
8 purpose of funding infrastructure projects, roads, and
9 other economic and social projects and programs in the
10 State of Yap. The funds appropriated under this section
11 shall be apportioned as follows:

12	(1) Dugor/Bael road	\$ 100,000
13	(2) Gargey land development	-0-
14	(3) Weloy municipal office construction .	100,000
15	(4) Deechmur, Tomil men's house project .	50,000
16	(5) Outer island agriculture	
17	development/cultural programs	117,250
18	(6) Yap's social development seminars ...	24,543
19	(7) Wulu Village, Fanif power	
20	and road extension.....	25,000

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1	(8) Atliw women's community project \$	20,000
2	(9) Rumuu lothog men's house project	50,000
3	(10) V6AI equipment purchase	77,413
4	(11) (a) Outer island infrastructure	
5	development projects including projects	
6	for outer island communities on Yap	
7	proper (matching funds) PROVIDED THAT	
8	the Department of Finance and Administration	
9	shall allot only \$50,000 of these funds	
10	until such time as the full amount is available	
11	through recovery of funds previously	
12	allotted in error.....	223,489
13	(b) For payment of outstanding	
14	debts for Yapese students enrolled at the	
15	COM-FSM Institution as of September 30,	
16	2008 and an eligible recipient shall	
17	receive funding if she or he meets two	
18	conditions: (1) the student is currently	
19	enrolled at the college and (2) the	
20	student is maintaining a 2.00 GPA.....	20,000
21	(12) Yap Delegation Office including	
22	Delegation Office land lease.....	17,351
23	(13) Beechial box-culvert bridge	30,000
24	(14) Scholarship for Yapese for graduate	
25	school studies or studies in high-priority	

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1	fields, including aviation and civil	
2	engineering. Funds may be used	
3	for transportation expenses of student	
4	to or from place of study.....	\$ 40,000
5	(15) Okau village water service extension	5,000
6	(16) Completion of Ngulu Women's House and	
7	dispensary buildings	4,451
8	(17) Training and participation of Outer	
9	Island athletes in regional games and Outer	
10	Island Youth Sports Programs.....	7,000
11	(18) Travel and meeting expenses for	
12	Delegation to visit the Outer Islands	
13	of Yap.	15,000
14	(19) funds shall be used for mitigation	
15	programs for the people living on the outer	
16	islands of Yap whose taro patches and small	
17	subsistent farms are affected by salt water	
18	intrusion or sea level rise.	35,750
19	(20) Outer Islands High School	
20	improvement projects	31,000
21	(a) Sports equipment and activities	5,000
22	(b) Classroom ceiling fans	5,000
23	(c) Computer lab equipment	6,000
24	(d) Roofing materials for OIHS library	8,000
25	(e) Staff office and conference room repair	7,000

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1 (21) Musical instruments (OCEAN-ONE Youth Choir,
2 and Mogmog Youth Club, and Tegailap Youth \$ 6,753"

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

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 June 15, 2012

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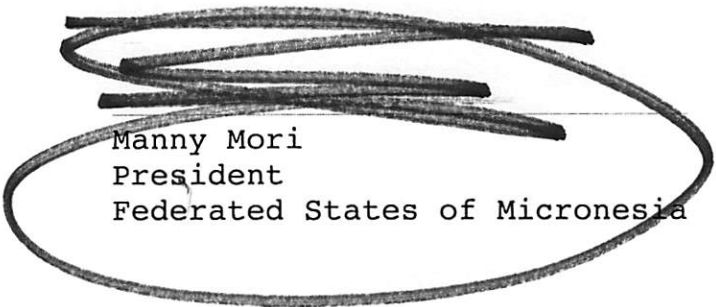
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Manny Mori
President
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