



The President
Palikir, Pohnpei
Federated States of Micronesia

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 18-133
FSM CONGRESS

October 23, 2013

The Honorable Dohsis Halbert
Speaker
18th FSM Congress
Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941

Dear Speaker Halbert:

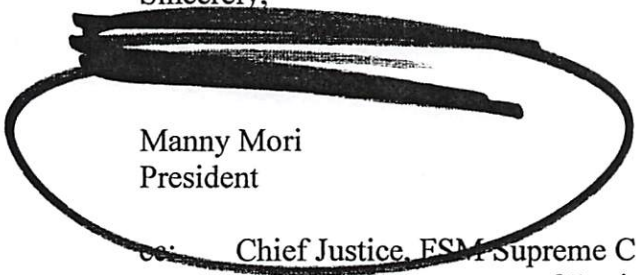
I transmit the following Congressional Act, which I grudgingly signed to become **Public Law No. 18-22:**

Congressional Act No. 18-22, entitled: "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 17-64, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 17-69, 17-72, 17-74, 17-88, 18-01 AND 18-04, BY AMENDING SECTION 9 THEREOF TO CHANGE THE USE OF FUNDS AS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

The Congressional Act changes the use of \$1,000,000 appropriated for capital project for the Outer Island Airport Upgrade in order to allow the Seaport Upgrade. Deep down in my heart I know this amount of money is too small to upgrade both the seaports and airports at the same time. We are actively seeking ODA funding to satisfy both of these very essential infrastructures. I urge Congress to continue its funding support for these kinds of projects in the subsequent budget allocation. I thank Congress for passing the Congressional Act.

With warm personal regards, I remain,

Sincerely,


Manny Mori
President

cc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court
Secretary, Department of Justice
Director, Office of SBOC
Legislative Counsel, CFSM
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Office of the Chief Clerk

October 03, 2013



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. 18-22, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 17-64, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 17-69, 17-72, 17-74, 17-88, 18-01 AND 18-04, BY AMENDING SECTION 9 OF THEREOF TO CHANGE THE USE OF FUNDS AS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.", which was passed by the Eighteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Second Regular Session, 2013, by a two-thirds vote of all the State delegations as required and as duly certified.

Sincerely yours,

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

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

Enclosures

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EIGHTEENTH CONGRESS OF THE
FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA
SECOND REGULAR SESSION
SEPTEMBER 11 – OCTOBER 01, 2013

PUBLIC LAW No. 18-22

An Act

TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 17-64, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 17-69, 17-72, 17-74, 17-88, 18-01 AND 18-04, BY AMENDING SECTION 9 OF THEREOF TO CHANGE THE USE OF FUNDS AS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: FLORENCIO S. HARPER (BY REQUEST)

DATE: SEPTEMBER 26, 2013

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

WITHDRAWN – SEPTEMBER 30, 2013

FIRST READING: SEPTEMBER 30, 2013

SECOND READING: OCTOBER 01, 2013

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Liwiana Ramon Ioanis
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress



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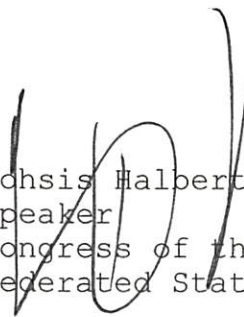
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ACT NO. 18-22

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 18-81)

We hereby certify that on October 01 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Eighteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Second Regular Session, 2013, 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.


Dohsis Halbert
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EIGHTEENTH CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

SECOND REGULAR SESSION, 2013

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 18-81

PUBLIC LAW No. 18-22

AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 17-64, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 17-69, 17-72, 17-74, 17-88, 18-01 and 18-04, by amending section 9 of thereof to change the use of funds as previously appropriated therein, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Section 9 of Public Law No. 17-64, as amended by
2 Public Laws Nos. 17-74 and 17-88 and 18-01, is hereby further
3 amended to read as follows:

4 "Section 9. Capital and Human Resources Development.
5 The sum of \$13,166,620, or so much thereof as may be
6 necessary, is hereby appropriated from the General Fund
7 of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal
8 year ending September 30, 2013, for the following
9 capital improvements, development programs and projects
10 and human resources development. Of the total amount of
11 funds appropriated herein, \$3,100,000 shall be deemed to
12 come from funds available under the amended Compact from
13 the education sector subject to the receipt of Grant
14 Awards under the amended Compact; \$689,948 shall be
15 deemed to come from funds available under the
16 Supplemental Education Grant; \$390,000 shall be deemed
17 to come from funds available under the amended Compact
18 from the health sector; \$-0- shall be deemed to come
19 from funds available under the amended Compact from the

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1 capacity building sector and \$65,000 shall be deemed to
 2 come from funds available under the amended Compact from
 3 the enhanced reporting and accountability sector. The
 4 sum appropriated by this section shall be apportioned as
 5 follows:

6 (1) College of Micronesia - FSM.

7 (a) College of Micronesia-FSM\$ 3,800,000

8 (b) FSM Fisheries and Maritime

9 Institute 655,110

10 (c) COM-FSM Supplemental Education

11 Grant (SEG) 689,948

12 (2) Department of Finance and Administration.

13 (a) Tax Reform..... 189,000

14 (b) FSMIS Project..... 253,700

15 (3) Department of Resources and Development.

16 (a) National Export Strategy..... -0-

17 (b) Promote FSM in appropriate

18 market segments to realize the sector's

19 potential 50,000

20 (c) Improving food security..... -0-

21 (d) Coconut Rehabilitation Program.. -0-

22 (e) FSM Chamber of Commerce..... 67,000

23 (f) Rainbownesia..... 25,000

24 (g) State Trade Fairs..... 100,000

25 (h) MTC..... 12,500

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1	(i) SNLC	\$ 50,000
2	(j) NTFC	50,000
3	(k) Tourism Promotion Development ...	50,000
4	(l) EEM Hosting Climate	
5	Change Roundtable	50,000
6	(m) Food Security and Coconut Rehab.	100,000
7	(n) Investors and Banking Symposium..	150,000
8	(4) Department of Transportation,	
9	Communication and Infrastructure.	
10	(a) Dry docking of MS Caroline Voyage	-0-
11	(b) President's Office Improvement..	-0-
12	(c) FSM Capital Complex Rehabilitation	-0-
13	(d) FSM Capital Official Residence Fencing	-0-
14	(e) FSM Capital Road/Bridge.....	-0-
15	(f) Purchase of Aircraft	-0-
16	(g) Backup generator	-0-
17	(h) Airline task force	59,821
18	(i) National Govt. Comp. Network....	-0-
19	(j) Contribution to Pohnpei Power...	-0-
20	(k) FSM Multipurpose building	-0-
21	(l) Airport Improvement in FSM	2,524,541
22	(5) Department of Justice.	
23	(a) FSS Independence - Lep	85,000
24	(b) FSS Micro - Slipping	250,000
25	(c) Aerial Surveillance	25,000

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1	(d) Immigration/Passport Facilitation \$	-0-
2	(6) Infrastructure Maintenance Fund.	
3	(a) Infrastructure Development.....	-0-
4	(b) Infrastructure Maintenance Fund (IMF)	-0-
5	(7) President's Office.	
6	(a) FSM Trust Fund.....	1,000,000
7	(b) Personnel Staff Upgrading.....	50,000
8	(c) Personnel Capacity Building Roadmap	115,000
9	(d) 2023 Planning Committee.....	150,000
10	(8) Line Item Vetoed	
11	(a) Line Item Vetoed.....	-0-
12	(9) National Election.	
13	(a) National election (Voter ID Card	
14	Project)	25,000
15	(10) Department of Health & Social Affairs.	
16	(a) Health Services (Pathologist) ...	100,000
17	(b) Environmental/Water/Food Lab Test	90,000
18	(c) Medical Specialized Team.....	200,000
19	(d) Sport Facility contribution.....	-0-
20	(11) FSM Development Bank.	
21	(a) Private Sector Capital.....	1,000,000
22	(12) Line Item Vetoed.	
23	(a) Line Item Vetoed	
24	(b) Line Item Vetoed	
25	(c) Line Item Vetoed	

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1	(d) Line Item Vetoed	
2	(13) Line Item Vetoed.	
3	(a) Line Item Vetoed	
4	(14) Pension Program.	
5	(a) National Government Workers	
6	Pension Plan	\$ -0-
7	(15) Outer Island Airport/Seaport.	
8	(a) Outer Island Airport/Seaport	
9	Upgrade	1,000,000
10	(16) Office of SBOC	
11	(a) Monitoring and Reconciliation/State	65,000
12	(17) Public Defender's Building in Kosrae.	35,000
13	(18) FSM Supreme Court upgrade of technological	
14	infrastructure	100,000"
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1 Section 6. 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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