



*The President*  
*Palikir, Pohnpei*  
*Federated States of Micronesia*

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 18-417  
FSM CONGRESS

December 2, 2014

The Honorable Dohsis Halbert  
Speaker  
Eighteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia  
Palikir, Pohnpei, FSM 96941



Dear Speaker Halbert:

I am returning the following Congressional Act, which I have signed to become Public Law No. 18-101.

Congressional Act No. 18-105, entitled: "AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$25,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2015, FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROVIDING EMERGENCY SUPPORT TO DEFRAY HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE COSTS OF THE EMERGENT HUMANITARIAN SITUATION IN YAP STATE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

I thank Congress for passing this emergency support act for the State of Yap based upon the recent events leading to 91 persons, at least 36 of which are undocumented, needing humanitarian assistance including food, water, and medical attention, while their legal status is being determined. This experience, and how it is handled, will shape the methods in which similar situations are handled in the future of this Nation. Your recognition of the humanitarian aspect of these events is important and greatly appreciated by all.

Sincerely,

Manny Mori  
President

Enclosures:



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December 01, 2014



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. 18-105, "AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$25,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2015, FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROVIDING EMERGENCY SUPPORT TO DEFRAY HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE COSTS OF THE EMERGENT HUMANITARIAN SITUATION IN YAP STATE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.", which was passed by the Eighteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fifth Special Session, 2014, 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

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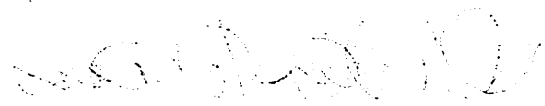
December 18, 2014

His Excellency Manny Mori  
President  
Federated States of Micronesia  
Palikir, Pohnpei, FM 96841

Dear President Mori:

I have the honor to transmit herewith Congressional Act No. 18-105, "AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$25,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2015, FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROVIDING EMERGENCY SUPPORT TO GREAT HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE COSTS OF THE EMERGENCY HUMANITARIAN SITUATION IN YAP STATE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES", which was passed by the Eighteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fifth Special Session, 2014, by a two-thirds vote of all the State delegations as required and as duly certified.

Sincerely yours,



Ramon Iosada  
Chief Clerk, Congress of the  
Federated States of Micronesia

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EIGHTEENTH CONGRESS OF THE  
FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA  
FIFTH SPECIAL SESSION  
NOVMEBER 17 - 29, 2014

PUBLIC LAW No. 18- 101

## An Act

TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$25,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2015, FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROVIDING EMERGENCY SUPPORT TO DEFRAY HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE COSTS OF THE EMERGENT HUMANITARIAN SITUATION IN YAP STATE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

DATE: NOVEMBER 24, 2014

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

S.C.R. NO. 18-254 – NOVEMBER 25, 2014

FIRST READING: NOVEMBER 25, 2014

SECOND READING: NOVEMBER 26, 2014

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Liwiana Ramon Ioanis", is written over a horizontal line.

Liwiana Ramon Ioanis  
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress



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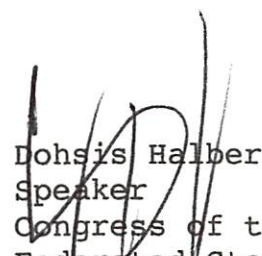
Office of the Speaker


PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 18-417  
FSM CONGRESS

ACT NO. 18-105

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 18-242, C.D.1)

We hereby certify that on November 26 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Eighteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fifth Special Session, 2014, 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  
Speaker  
Congress of the  
Federated States of Micronesia

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

EIGHTEENTH CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

FIFTH SPECIAL SESSION, 2014

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 18-242, C.D.1

~~PHRHC LAW No. 18-101~~

AN ACT

To appropriate the sum of \$25,000 from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2015, for the purpose of providing emergency support to defray humanitarian assistance costs of the emergent humanitarian situation in Yap State, and for other purposes.

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


1       Section 1. The sum of \$25,000 is hereby appropriated from  
2 the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for  
3 fiscal year ending September 30, 2015, to Yap State for the  
4 purpose of providing humanitarian support to defray costs of  
5 essential provisions for undocumented passengers and crew of  
6 foreign vessels docked in Colonia, Yap State, who are under  
7 investigation as possible refugees from foreign nations, for  
8 the period until their repatriation or onward travel may be  
9 authorized;

10       Section 2. These funds are to be used for the costs of  
11 food, water, shelter, clothing, personal hygiene, and essential  
12 medical care, and assistance for the passengers and crew  
13 members of the vessels who are without their own means;

14       Section 3. Allotment and management of funds and lapse  
15 date. All funds appropriated by this act shall be allotted,  
16 managed, administered and accounted for in accordance with  
17 applicable laws, including, but not limited to, the Financial  
18 Management Act of 1979. The allottee shall be responsible for

8           Section 4. This act shall become law upon approval by the  
9 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its  
10 becoming law without such approval.

December 2nd, 2014

  
Manny Mori  
President  
Federated States of Micronesia