



The President
Palikir, Pohnpei
Federated States of Micronesia

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 18-479
FSM CONGRESS

April 14, 2015

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




Dear Speaker Halbert:

I am transmitting the following Congressional Act, which became Public Law No. 18-117 due to veto override by Congress:

Congressional Act No. 18-123, entitled: "AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$2,800,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FROM THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2015, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE IN EACH OF THE FOUR STATES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Thank you.

Sincerely,


Manny Mori
President

Enclosure:

Xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court
Secretary, Department of Justice
Director, SBOC
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April 11, 2015

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. 18-123, "AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$2,800,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2015, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE IN EACH OF THE FOUR STATES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.", which was repassed on April 10, by the Eighteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Sixth Special Session, 2015, by a three-fourths 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

ACT NO. 18-123
(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 18-249, C.D.1, C.D.2,
C.D.3, C.D.4, C.D.5)



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FSM CONGRESS
EIGHTEENTH CONGRESS OF THE
FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA
SIXTH SPECIAL SESSION
APRIL 10 – 11, 2015

PUBLIC LAW No. 18- 117

An Act

TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$2,800,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2015, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE IN EACH OF THE FOUR STATES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY: SENATOR TONY H. OTTO

DATE: JANUARY 23, 2015

REPASSED: APRIL 10, 2015

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Liwiana Ramon Ioanis
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress



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ACT NO. 18-123

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 18-249, C.D.1, C.D.2,
C.D.3, C.D.4, C.D.5)

I hereby certify that on April 10 the foregoing act was repassed by the Eighteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Sixth Special Session, 2015, by a three-fourths vote of all the State delegations as required under article IX, section 2(q), of the Constitution of the Federated States of Micronesia.


Dohsis Halbert
Speaker
Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia

EIGHTEENTH CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

SIXTH REGULAR SESSION, 2015

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 18-249, C.D.1,
C.D.2, C.D.3, C.D.4, C.D.5

PUBLIC LAW NO. 18-117

AN ACT

To appropriate the sum of \$2,800,000 from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2015, for the purpose of funding public projects and social programs for the people in each of the four states, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. The sum of \$2,800,000, or so much thereof as
2 may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the General Fund
3 of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year
4 ending September 30, 2015, for the purpose of funding public
5 projects and social programs in each of the four states. The
6 fund shall be apportioned as follows:

7 Section 2. Of the sum of \$2,800,000 appropriated by this
8 act, \$400,000 is apportioned for Yap State for public projects
9 and social programs.

10	(1) State of Yap	\$ 400,000
11	(a) Supplemental funding for	
12	Toruf road, Rumuu, village	50,000
13	(b) Purchase of vessel for Yap State	100,000
14	(c) Construction & furnishing of new	
15	office for Council of Tamol	100,000
16	(d) Citizen outreach and advocacy program	80,000
17	(e) Repair & maintenance of public roads	70,000"

18 Section 3. Of the sum of \$2,800,000 appropriated by

1 this act, \$400,000 is apportioned for Kosrae State for
2 public projects and social programs.

3	(1) State of Kosrae	\$ 400,000
4	(a) Concordia University scholarship	
5	for Master's degree	20,000
6	(b) Tsunami trail, Boro, Lelu	20,000
7	(c) Renovation of Sharon Inn building	20,000
8	(d) Vehicle and freight & related costs	
9	for youth group in Kaa, Lelu	10,000
10	(e) COM-FSM outstanding debts for	
11	dormitory students	40,000
12	(f) Kosrae High School lunch program	20,000
13	(g) Seawall project and related	
14	expenses at Lik, Lelu	10,000
15	(h) Contractual services for	
16	security guards	10,000
17	(i) Office of the Lt. Governor subsidy	10,000
18	(j) Fishing project (outboard motors,	
19	boats, fishing gears)	30,000
20	(k) Lelu Town government subsidy	10,000
21	(l) Tuition costs for Kosraean students	
22	at Xavier High School	10,000
23	(m) Tsunami trail, Fwinkol, Utwe	10,000
24	(n) Kosrae Housing Program (Escrow	
25	Account)	100,000

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1	(o) Water extension and farm road..\$	20,000
2	(p) Sialat farm road improvement....	20,000
3	(q) Utwa access road.....	10,000
4	(r) Channel clearing.....	20,000
5	(s) Public Work fuel subsidy.....	10,000"
6	"Section 4. Of the sum of \$2,800,000 appropriated	
7	by this act, \$800,000 is apportioned for Pohnpei State for	
8	public projects and social programs.	
9	State of Pohnpei	800,000
10	(1) Pohnpei at Large.....	200,000
11	(a) Road improvement project.....	200,000
12	(2) Election District No. 1.....	200,000
13	(a) Road improvement project.....	200,000
14	(3) Election District No. 2.....	200,000
15	(a) Poalkoaloau bridge improvement/	
16	paving matching	75,000
17	(b) Rohi school road improvement....	5,000
18	(c) Temwen school road improvement..	5,000
19	(d) Paahloang school road improvement	5,000
20	(e) Delewo (Madolenihmw) road improvement	10,000
21	(f) Pwudoï community center access	
22	road paving	25,000
23	(g) Administrative support -ED#2, Pohnpei	70,000
24	(h) Madolenihmw Constitutional day..	2,500
25	(i) Kitti Constitutional day.....	2,500

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1	(4) Election District No. 3.....\$	200,000
2	(a) Ohwa International Christian Academy	5,000
3	(b) Medical referral.....	10,000
4	(c) Roads improvement/paving.....	155,000
5	(d) Nett School landfill for	
6	multipurpose gym.....	30,000
7	"Section 5. Of the sum of \$2,800,000 appropriated by this	
8	act, \$1,200,000 is apportioned for Chuuk State for public	
9	projects and social programs.	
10	State of Chuuk.....	1,200,000
11	(1) Chuuk at Large.....	200,000
12	(a) Home Economic Projects.....	10,000
13	(b) Municipal facilities,	
14	construction/improvement and site	
15	acquisition.....	80,000
16	(c) Fishing projects.....	40,000
17	(d) Contributions to State, Municipal &	
18	Community activities/events/ Programs	20,000
19	(e) Municipal Governments'	
20	subsidies/prior obligations	40,000
21	(f) Youth activities/programs/equipments	10,000
22	(2) Election District No. 1.....	200,000
23	(a) MIDA operation.....	20,000
24	(b) Computer labs.....	90,000
25	(c) Mortlocks leadership conference.	25,000

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1	(d) Mortlocks leadership travel....\$	25,000
2	(d) Operation Lien Naufich	
3	and Chee Young	20,000
4	(e) Municipal, community events,	
5	activities, programs and projects	20,000
6	(3) Election District No. 2	200,000
7	(a) Students' financial assistance..	10,000
8	(b) Repatriation of human remain....	20,000
9	(c) Food security program.....	30,000
10	(d) Housing and community facilities	
11	repair and improvement	20,000
12	(e) POL/Charter.....	10,000
13	(f) Water system project.....	10,000
14	(g) Leadership, patients and	
15	students travel	30,000
16	(h) Chuuk Women Council subsidy.....	10,000
17	(i) Mizpha High School subsidy.....	10,000
18	(j) Fishing project.....	30,000
19	(k) The Office of the Chuuk State	
20	Governor's subsidy	10,000
21	(l) Contributions to Chuuk associations	
22	in Honolulu, Hawaii	10,000
23	(4) Election District No. 3	200,000
24	(a) Fishing project.....	35,000
25	(b) Housing & Community Halls	

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1	repair and renovation	\$ 35,000
2	(c) Constituents outreach and	
3	advocacy program	15,000
4	(d) Site acquisition	10,000
5	(e) Southern Namoneas Development	
6	Authority office rental	10,000
7	(f) Land transportation for Southern	
8	Namoneas Association in Guam	15,000
9	(g) Food security relief and poverty	
10	alleviation program	15,000
11	(h) Administrative support	
12	service for SNDA	10,000
13	(i) Municipal governments' subsidy..	15,000
14	(j) Human remain repatriation and	
15	medical referral subsidy	15,000
16	(k) Contribution to Southern Namoneas	
17	associations in Hawaii, U.S. Mainland,	
18	Guam and Saipan	15,000
19	(l) Social security premium contributions	10,000
20	(5) Election District No. 4	200,000
21	(a) Leadership, patients and	
22	students travel	50,000
23	(b) Students' financial assistance..	50,000
24	(c) Low income housing subsidy.....	50,000
25	(d) Fishing project.....	50,000

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1	(6) Election District No. 5.....\$	200,000
2	(a) Boat purchase, POL and	
3	operation costs	90,000
4	(b) Outboard motor engines	50,000
5	(c) Food relief program	10,000
6	(d) Houk municipal vehicle purchase and	
7	costs & freight	10,000
8	(e) Youth internship on Turtle farms	10,000
9	(f) Sewing project	10,000
10	(g) Northwest Island Development	
11	Authority travel needs	10,000
12	(h) Boat Charter and repatriation of	
13	human remains and related expenses	10,000"
14	Section 6. Allotment and management of funds and lapse date.	
15	All funds appropriated by this act shall be allotted, managed,	
16	administered and accounted for in accordance with applicable laws,	
17	including, but not limited to, the Financial Management Act of	
18	1979. The allottee shall be responsible for ensuring that these	
19	funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are used solely for	
20	the purpose specified in this act, and that no obligations are	
21	incurred in excess of the sum appropriated. The allottee of the	
22	funds appropriated under section 2 of this act shall be the	
23	Governor of Yap State. The allottee of funds appropriated under	
24	sections 3 and 4 of this act shall be the President of the	
25	Federated States of Micronesia or his designee, PROVIDED THAT, the	

1 allottee of funds appropriated under sections
2 3(a)(b)(c)(d)(e)(f)(g)(h)(i)(j)(k)(l) and (m) shall be the Mayor
3 of Lelu Town Government; the allottee of funds appropriation under
4 sections 4(3)(a) and 4(3)(f) of this act shall be the Pohnpei
5 Transportation Authority; the allottee of funds appropriated under
6 section 4(3)(h) of this act shall be the Meninkeden Lapalap of
7 Madolenimw and the allottee of funds appropriated under section
8 4(3)(i) of this act shall be the Luhkenmoanlap of Kittu. The
9 allottee of funds appropriated under subsections 5(1) and 5(3) of
10 section 5 of this act shall be the Governor of Chuuk State or his
11 designee. The allottee of funds appropriated under subsection
12 5(2) of section 5 of this act shall be the Mortlock Islands
13 Development Authority. The allottee of funds appropriated under
14 subsection 5(4) of section 5 of this act shall be the Southern
15 Namoneas Development Authority. The allottee of funds
16 appropriated under subsection 5(5) of section 5 of this act shall
17 be the Faichuk Development Authority. The allottee of funds
18 appropriated under subsection 5(6) of this act shall be the
19 Northwest Island Development Authority. The authority of the
20 allottee to obligate funds appropriated by this act to the States
21 of Chuuk, Kosrae and Pohnpei shall lapse on September 30, 2016.
22 All funds appropriated to Yap State that are not allotted by May
23 1, 2016, shall be deposited into the Yap State Trust Fund. The
24 allottee of the funds appropriated under section 2 of this act for
25 Yap State shall report proof of deposit to Congress of the

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1 Federated States of Micronesia within 30 days from depositing
2 funds into the Yap State Trust Fund.

3 Section 7. 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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10 _____, 2015

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Manny Mori
President
Federated States of Micronesia

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