

The President

Palikir, Pohnpei Tederated States of Micronesia

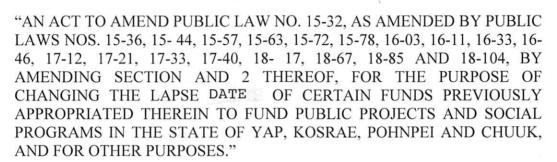
August 3, 2015

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 19-106
FSM CONGRESS

The Honorable Wesley W. Simina Speaker, Nineteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia Palikir, Pohnpei, FSM 96941

Dear Speaker Simina:

I reviewed Congressional Act No. 19-13 entitled:



The Congressional Act No. 19-13 is approved into law and is designated as Public Law No. 19-17.

I take this opportunity to thank you and members of Congress for the hard work that led to the swift passage of this Act.

Sincerely,

Peter M. Christian

President

Enclosure:

Xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court

Secretary, Department of Finance and Administration

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FSM CONGRESS

Office of the Chief Clerk

July 22 , 2015

His Excellency Peter M. Christian President Federated States of Micronesia Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941

Dear President Christian:

I have the honor to transmit herewith Congressional Act No. 19-13, "AN ACT TO AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 15-32, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 15-36, 15-44, 15-57, 15-63, 15-72, 15-78, 16-03, 16-11, 16-33, 16-46, 17-12, 17-21, 17-33, 17-40, 18-17, 18-67, 18-85 AND 18-104, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 1 AND 2 THEREOF, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CHANGING THE LAPSE DATE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN THE STATES OF YAP, KOSRAE, POHNPEI AND CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.", which was passed by the Nineteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, First Special Session, 2015, 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



PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 19-106 FSM CONGRESS

NINETEENTH CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FIRST SPECIAL SESSION JULY 07 - 19, 2015

PUBLIC LAW No. 1 9- 17

An Act

TO AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 15-32, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 15-36, 15-44, 15-57, 15-63, 15-72, 15-78, 16-03, 16-11, 16-33, 16-46, 17-12, 17-21, 17-33, 17-40, 18-17, 18-67, 18-85 AND 18-104, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 1 AND 2 THEREOF, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CHANGING THE LAPSE DATE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN THE STATES OF YAP, KOSRAE, POHNPEI AND CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: VICTOR V. GOULAND

DATE: JULY 02, 2015

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

WITHDRAWN - JULY 09, 2015

FIRST READING: JULY 09, 2015

SECOND READING: JULY 16, 2015

Liwiana Ramon Ioanis Chief Clerk, FSM Congress



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PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 19-106
FSM CONGRESS

ACT NO. 19-13

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 19-28, C.D.1)

We hereby certify that on July 16 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Nineteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, First Special Session, 2015, 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.

Wesley W. Simina

Speaker

Congress of the

Federated States of Micronesia

Liwiana Ramon Ioanis

Chief Clerk

Congress of the

Federated States of Micronesia

CONGRESSINAL BILL NO. 19-28, C.D.1

AN ACT

To amend Public Law No. 15-32, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 15-36, 15-44, 15-57, 15-63, 15-72, 15-78, 16-03, 16-11, 16-33, 16-46, 17-12, 17-21, 17-33, 17-40, 18-17, 18-67, 18-85 and 18-104, by amending sections 1 and 2 thereof, for the purpose of changing the lapse date of certain funds previously appropriated therein to fund public projects and social programs in the States of Yap, Kosrae, Pohnpei and Chuuk, and for other purposes.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MI	CRONESIA:
1 Section 1. Section 1 of Public Law No. 15-32, as	amended
2 by Public Laws Nos. 15-36, 15-44, 15-57, 15-63, 15-72,	15-78,
3 16-03, 16-11, 16-33, 16-46, 17-12, 17-21, 17-33, 17-40	,
4 18-67 and 18-104, is hereby further amended to read as	i e
5 follows:	
6 "Section 1. The sum of \$3,780,000, or so mu	ch thereof,
7 is hereby appropriated from the General Fund	l of the
8 Federated States of Micronesia for the fisca	ıl year
ending September 30, 2008, for the purpose of	of funding
10 public projects and social programs in each	State of the
11 Federated States of Micronesia. The fund sh	nall be
apportioned on the basis of \$250,000 or less	per member
of Congress as follows, PROVIDED THAT an inc	rease of
14 \$300,000 is for Yap State.	
15 (1) State of Kosrae \$	500,000
16 (a) High School Lunch Program and	
17 past expenses incurred relating to the	

	PUBLIC LAW No. 1 9- 17		
1	implementation of the program \$ 48,000		
2	(b) Bachelor Degree Program 80,000		
3	(c) Lelu Community projects/programs 10,000		
4	(d) Malem Community projects/programs 10,000		
5	(e) Utwe Community projects/programs 10,000		
6	(f) Tafunsak Community projects/programs 10,000		
7	(g) Kosrae Women Association 10,000		
8	(h) Promotion and travel for		
9	Tourism Office		
10	(i) Kosrae State Government subsidy 100,000		
11	(j) Medical referrals for non-insured		
12	and non-employed Kosraeans; PROVIDED THAT,		
13	reprogramming of this funding is not		
14	allowed 20,000		
15	(k) Supplemental funding for fuel		
16	for Caroline Voyager0-		
17	(1) Tafunsak multipurpose		
18	building renovation 20,000		
19	(m) Laptop Computers for Schools:		
20	(i) Lelu Elementary School 1,100		
21	(ii) Tafunsak Elementary School 1,100		
22	(iii) Malem Elementary School 1,100		
23	(iv) Utwa Elementary School 1,100		
24	(v) Walung Elementary School 1,100		
25	(vi) Sansrik Elementary School . 1,100		

	PUBLIC LAW No. 1 9-	. 17
		1 100
1	(vii) SDA School \$	1,100
2	(viii) Kosrae High School	1,250
3	(n) Kosrae Senior Citizens Meeting Halls	
4	(i) Lelu Senior Citizen	30,000
5	(ii) Tafunsak Senior Citizen	30,000
6	(iii) Malem Senior Citizen	30,000
7	(iv) Utwa Senior Citizen	30,000
8	(o) Supplemental funding for a	
9	Master's Degree Program	8,000
10	(p) Tafunsak Youths' musical instruments	5,000
11	(q) KCSO's subsidy	5,000
12	(r) National Government debts to ABCOR	
13	Construction	12,000
14	(s) Kosrae Women Christian Associations	
15	(i) Lelu Women Christian	
16	Association	2,000
17	(ii) Tafunsak Women Christian	
18	Association	2,000
19	(iii) Malem Women Christian	
20	Association	2,000
21	(iv) Utwa Women Christian	
22	Association	2,000
23	(v) Walung Women Christian	
24	Association	2,000
25	(t) Kosrae Community in Pohnpei State	2,000

	PUBLIC LAW No. 1 9- 17
1	(u) Computer and computer assessories \$ 1,050
2	(2) State of Yap 800,000
3	(a) Chamber of Commerce (matching
4	fund) the funding shall not be expended
5	unless the Chamber of Commerce contributes
6	a 50% of either in kind and/or monetary
7	contribution as it's matching 50,000
8	(b) Ruu and Amun villages basketball courts -0-
9	(c) Lands' Acquisition
10	(Outer Island of Yap) 50,000
11	(d) Southern Yap water system
12	equipment purchase 25,000
13	(e) Tomil Road repair 25,000
14	(f) Amun bridge 20,000
15	(g) Water extension, Makiy village. 9,000
16	(h) Road improvements, Wanyan village 30,000
17	(i) Bugol women multipurpose building 45,000
18	(j) Travel needs to Asia Pacific Nurse
19	Leadership Conference in Honolulu, Hawaii . 18,000
20	(k) Falalus and Seliap community
21	centers repairs 23,000
22	(1) Qapluul village road repair 27,000
23	(m) Gachpar Men's House 50,000
24	(n) Wottegai Road Project 10,000
25	(o) Tugunbinau bridge, Maap 50,000

1	(p) Outer Islands' agriculture
2	programs and projects (concrete taro
3	patches, purchase of tools and equipment) \$ 15,800
4	(q) Pikelot Island watercatchment
5	and shelter 7,000
6	(r) Outer Islands' Transportation
7	needs (boats, two outboard motors for
8	Falalus and Faraulap Islands, POL and
9	charter and provisioning) 102,000
10	(s) YSPSC subsidy for POL 100,000
11	(t) Boats & motors for Seliap &
12	Tegailap, Woleai
13	(u) Meerur men's house repair 16,000
14	(v) Completion of Wottegai community
15	center in Qapluul village 20,000
16	(w) Mariyong Island Community
17	Piggery project 20,000
18	(x) Grant to Woleai Atoll
19	Community Account
20	(y) Woleai Airport equipments purchase 7,000
21	(z) Outboard motor for the Office of the
22	Yap State Governor
23	(aa) Yap Chamber of Commerce subsidy 31,200
24	(3) State of Pohnpei
25	(a) Pohnpei State At-Large

100,000

49,000

30,000

3,500

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1	(i) Construction and renovation of	
2	roads, bridges, culverts and road drainages	
3	from Palikir to Kolonia\$	-0-
4	(b) Election District No. 1	
5	(i) 2 nd Phase (Baptist School	
6	classroom construction)	99,695
7	(ii) EDI operation	25,249
8	(iii) Kolonia Town Ladies Training	
9	Center renovations	10,000
10	(iv) Tomara Road construction	59,752
11	(v) Sapwuafik Community	
12	Center Renovations	6,050
13	(vi) Peidie Road paving	70,000
14	(vii) Completion of Ipwal Road	18,000
15	(viii) Sekere retaining wall	9,000
16	(ix) Soledi Road construction	3,950
17	(x) Road improvement	8,304
18	(c) Election District No. 2	
19	(i) Water Delivery Services	40,000
20	(ii) Students' Financial Assistance	15,000

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(iii) Secondary Road Improvement

(iv) ED2 operation

(v) Civic Centers

(vi) Agriculture Fair

(vii) Enipein Elementary School

	PUBLIC LAW No. 1 9- 17
1	Teacher's Aide\$ 2,000
2	(viii) Kitti Fish Market0-
3	(ix) Sports facilities improvement 1,500
4	(x) Outboard Motor for Kitti Police 3,370
5	(xi) Madolenihmw Municipal
6	Government subsidy 10,000
7	(xii) Kitti/Madolenihmw
8	Outreach program
9	(xiii) Grant writer assistance 2,807
10	(xiv) Pohnpei Coconut Processing
11	Plant repair 6,675
12	(xv) Nanmand Lumber Milling (Pwihno) 3,500
13	(xvi) ED#2 Municipal management workshop 3,000
14	(xvii) Salapwuk Teacher's Aide 4,000
15	(xviii) NMS cook0-
16	(xix) Madolenihmw Cold Storage 4,000
17	(xx) Lukop/Wone ECE 4,552
18	(xxi) Temwen and Nanmadol
19	water system supply 60,000
20	(xxii) Mand Community Nahs 7,096
21	(d) Election District No. 3
22	(i) ED #3 Operation 68,566
23	(ii) Students and public
24	transportation services 28,000
25	(iii) Students' financial assistance 7,524

	PUBLIC LAW No. 1 9- 17
1	(iv) Youth sports activities \$ 6,056
2	(v) Agriculture Fair 3,000
3	(vi) ED #3 Working Group supplemental 7,526
4	(vii) ED #3 Water System 10,000
5	(viii) U public facilities
6	repairs and maintenance 49,917
7	(ix) Nett public facilities
8	repairs and maintenance 52,557
9	(x) Mwoakilloa public facilities
10	repairs and maintenance and transportation needs 20,000
11	(xi) Pingelap public facilities
12	repairs and maintenance and transportation needs 25,000
13	(xii) Mwoakilloa multipurpose
14	house renovation
15	(xiii) Pohnkeimw Secondary Road paving 50,000
16	(4) State of Chuuk 1,480,000
17	(a) Chuuk State At-Large
18	(i) Public Facilities repair
19	and improvement
20	(ii) Youth Activities'
21	programs and projects
22	(iii) Students' Financial Assistance 7,000
23	(iv) Low Income Housing subsidy 30,000
24	(v) Farmers and Students' land
25	transportations

1	1 (vi) Leadership exposure	s and travel \$ 15,000
2	2 (vii) Farmers planting to	ols and
3	3 seedling project	14,800
4	4 (viii) CSCIP operation	5,000
5	5 (ix) Offices Rental and	
6	6 Operations Commission	7,000
7	7 (x) POL and Charter	13,200
8	8 (xi) At-Large Office Ope	ration . 20,000
9	9 (xii) Sports facilities	
10	10 construction (basketball courts)	11,000
11	11 (xiii) Fishing gear and eq	uipment 25,000
12	12 (xiv) Seawall and Taro	
13	13 Patches Protection	10,000
14	14 (xv) Multipurpose buildi	.ng
15	15 repair and renovation	5,000
16	16 (xvi) Feeding program	10,000
17	17 (xvii) Medical referral an	ıd
18	18 repatriation of remains	10,000
19	19 (xviii) OCHAP Community Hal	l Construction 5,000
20	20 (xix) Tonoas Municipal Go	overnment
21	21 inauguration activities	1,000
22	22 (xx) Udot Municipal Gove	ernment
23	23 inauguration activities	1,000
24	24 (xxi) Kuttu Municipal Gov	vernment
25	25 inauguration activities	1,000

1	(b) Election District No. 1
2	(i) Students' Financial Assistance \$ -0-
3	(ii) Mortlock Development Commission
4	outstanding debts (past and present) 8,119
5	(iii) Municipal Governments' subsidy
6	a. Ta Municipality 3,000
7	(iv) Community Housing improvement/
8	freight or charter 45,000
9	(v) Leadership Conference 15,000
10	(vi) Leadership travel 10,000
11	(vii) Youth musical instruments0-
12	(viii) Housing Improvement 21,881
13	(ix) Transportation needs 5,851
14	(x) CSCIP 4,149
15	(xi) Sea transportation assistance 7,200
16	(xii) Mortlock Development
17	Community operation 22,800
18	(xiii) Pou (Weno) Community
19	Center Improvement0-
20	(xiv) Health and Sanitary project 11,000
21	(xv) ED #1 Operation 11,000
22	(xvi) Administrative Support
23	costs for Delegation0-
24	(xvii) Food Relief Assistance0-
25	(xviii) Solar System Project 85,000

	PUBLIC LAW No. 1 9- 17	· -
1	(c) Election District No. 2	
2	(i) Basketball court 7,000	I
3	(ii) Meeting Halls	
4	(a) Neoram, Nepukos 10,000	l
5	(b) Faichu, Eor 6,000)
6	(c) Faramas, Sapuk 4,000	j
7	(d) Neinifach, Mwan 5,000)
8	(iii) Public school/bus operation 35,000)
9	(iv) Road construction0-	-
10	(v) Repatriation of human remains 6,000)
11	(vi) Kokumy cultural celebration 4,000)
12	(vii) CSCIP 10,000)
13	(viii) NNDA operation 25,000)
14	(ix) Housing assistance 15,000)
15	(x) Fishing projects 20,000)
16	(xi) Medical supplies & equipment -0-	-
17	(xii) Leadership travel & exposure 10,000)
18	(xiii) Public facilities	
19	repair and improvement 33,000	0
20	(xiv) Purchase of Heavy equipment	
21	and heavy equipment parts 40,00	0
22	(d) Election District No. 3	
23	(i) Election District No. 3 Operation 25,00	0
24	(ii) Housing and Community Halls 45,50	0
25	(iii) Fishing projects 15,00	0

1	(iv)	Fiberglass boats repair \$	5,000
2	(V)	Municipal inauguration activities	4,500
3	(vi)	Sport Tournaments	
4	facilities/suppl	.ies	3,000
5	(vii)	Feeding Program	10,000
6	(viii)	Crafting and sewing projects	7,000
7	(ix)	Market/local produce	10,000
8	(x)	Project Management	12,500
9	(xi)	CSCIP operation	5,000
10	(xii)	Subsidy for entrepreneurships	
11	and business sta	art up	10,000
12	(xiii)	Nukuno Christian School	
13	solar panels/com	nputers	10,000
14	(xiv)	Leadership Travel	15,000
15	(xv)	Youth rehabilitation programs	9,000
16	(xvi)	Mayors Leadership Conference	5,000
17	(xvii)	Land transportation	12,500
18	(xviii)	Municipal Governments' subsidies	46,000
19	(e) Elec	tion District No. 4	
20	(i)	Students' Financial Assistance	10,000
21	(ii)	Youth activities and programs	10,000
22	(iii)	Leadership exposure and travel	15,000
23	(iv)	FDA operations	20,000
24	(v)	CSCIP operation	5,000
25	(vi)	Udot Municipal subsidy	10,000

		PUBLIC LAW No.	19-17
1	(vii)	Low income housing grant . \$	40,000
2	(viii)	Iongkumi fishing project	40,000
3	(ix)	Fiberglass boats repair	10,000
4	(x)	Food relief	10,000
5	(xi)	Land transportation	20,000
6	(xii)	Polle Municipal subsidy	10,000
7	(xiii)	ED #4 office operation	30,000
8	(xiv)	Famachaw farming project	10,000
9	(xv)	Medical referrals &	
10	repatriation of	remains	10,000
11	(f) Elect	cion District No. 5	
12	(i)	POL & Charter	59,000
13	(ii)	Food Relief	13,846
14	(iii)	Rental office space, office	
15	supplies and equ	ipment, communication and	
16	utilities	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	5,000
17	(iv)	Students' Financial	
18	Assistance		-0-
19	(v)	Medical referral,	
20	pharmaceuticals	and repatriation of	
21	remains		14,426
22	(vi)	CSCIP	5,000
23	(vii)	Operations (ED #5)	26,728
24	(viii)	Project Management	20,000
25	(ix)	On the job training subsidy	-0-

1	(x) Land Acquisition for the
2	people of Halls, Weito and Pattiw Islands \$ 71,000
3	PROVIDED THAT the allottee of this specific
4	funding shall deposit the funds into the
5	Special Funds within the General Fund of
6	the Federated States of Micronesia for
7	Chuuk Election District No. 5 established
8	pursuant to Public Law No. 13-83.
9	(xi) Land filling in Weno0-
10	(xii) Transportation needs 15,000"
11	Section 2. Section 2 of Public Law No. 15-32, as amended
12	by Public Laws Nos. 15-36, 15-57, 15-63, 17-21, 17-33, 17-40,
13	18-17 and 18-85, is hereby further amended to read as follows:
14	"Section 2. Allotment and management of funds and
15	lapse date. All funds appropriated by this act shall
16	be allotted, managed, administered and accounted for
17	in accordance with applicable laws, including, but
18	not limited to the Financial Management Acts of each
19	of the States, the Financial Management Act of 1979
20	and the amended Compact of Free Association between
21	the United States Government and the Government of
22	the Federated States of Micronesia and its related
23	agreements. The allottee shall be responsible for
24	ensuring that these funds, or so much thereof as may
25	be necessary, are used solely for the purpose

specified in this act, and that no obligations are
incurred in excess of the sum appropriated. The
allottee of the funds appropriated under subsection
(4)(a) of section 1 of this act shall be the Governor
of Chuuk State or his designee. The allottee of
funds appropriated under subsection 4(b) shall be the
Mortlock Islands Development Authority (MIDA). The
allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 4(d)
of this act shall be the Southern Namoneas
Development Authority. The allottee of fund
appropriated under subsection 4(e) of this act shall
be the Faichuk Development Authority. The allottee
of funds appropriated under subsections 1 and 3 of
section 1 of this act shall be the President of the
Federated States of Micronesia or his designee,
EXCEPT THAT the allottee of the funds appropriated
under subsections (1)(a), (b), (c), (d), (h), (j),
(1) and (m) of section 1 of this act shall be the
Mayor of Lelu Municipal Government. The allottee of
funds appropriated under subsection 4(c) of section 1
of this act shall be the Governor of the Chuuk State.
The allottee of funds appropriated under subsection
4(f) of section 1 of this act shall be the Northwest
Islands Development Authority (NIDA). The allottee
of funds appropriated under subsection (2) of section

1	1 of this act shall be the Governor of the State of
2	Yap. The funds appropriated by this act shall lapse
3	on September 30, 2016."
4	Section 3. This act shall become law upon approval by the
5	President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its
6	becoming law without such approval.
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14	Peter M. Christian
15	President Federated States of Micronesia
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