



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

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 21-310  
FSM CONGRESS

June 18<sup>th</sup>, 2020

The Honorable Wesley W. Simina  
Speaker  
Twenty-First Congress of the  
Federated States of Micronesia  
Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941

Dear Speaker Simina:

I am pleased to transmit the following Congressional Act, which I have signed to become Public Law No. 21-128:

Congressional Act No. 21-145, entitled: "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 20-160, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAW NO. 20-166, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 1 AND 2 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE AND ALLOTTEE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN THE STATE OF CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES".

Sincerely,

David W. Panuelo  
President

Xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court





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His Excellency David W. Panuelo  
President  
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President FSM

Dear President Panuelo:

I have the honor to transmit herewith Congressional Act No. 21-145, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 20-160, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAW NO. 20-166, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 1 AND 2 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE AND ALLOTTEE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN THE STATE OF CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES", which was passed by the Twenty-First Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fourth Regular Session, 2020, 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

Enclosures



ACT NO. 21-145  
(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 21-218, C.D.1)



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TWENTY-FIRST CONGRESS OF THE  
FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA  
FOURTH REGULAR SESSION  
MAY 11 - 30, 2020  
(EXTENDED BY C.R. NO. 21-157, ADOPTED 5/30/20)

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## An Act

TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 20-160, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAW NO. 20-166, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 1 AND 2 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE AND ALLOTTEE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN THE STATE OF CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: VICTOR V. GOULAND

DATE: MAY 20, 2020

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REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

WITHDRAWN – MAY 26, 2020

FIRST READING: – MAY 27, 2020

SECOND READING: – JUNE 02, 2020

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Liwiana Ramon Ioanis  
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress

PUBLIC LAW No. 21-128





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We hereby certify that on June 02 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Twenty-First Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fourth Regular Session, 2020, 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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Wesley W. Simina  
Speaker  
Congress of the  
Federated States of Micronesia

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

TWENTY-FIRST CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

FOURTH REGULAR SESSION, 2020

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 21-218, C.D.1

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AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 20-160, as amended by Public Law No. 20-166, by amending sections 1 and 2 thereof, to change the use and allottee of certain funds previously appropriated therein, to fund public projects and social programs in the state of Chuuk, and for other purposes.

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

1           Section 1. Section 1 of Public Law No. 20-160, as amended by  
2 Public Law No. 20-166, is hereby amended to read as follows:

3           "Section 1. The sum of \$600,000, or so much thereof as  
4 may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the  
5 General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for  
6 the fiscal year ending September 30, 2019, for the  
7 purpose of funding public projects and social programs  
8 in the state of Chuuk. The funds appropriated under this  
9 section shall be apportioned as follows:

10	state of Chuuk .....	\$	600,000
11	(1) At Large .....		100,000
12	(a) Chuuk-Hawaii Language and		
13	Arts School .....		25,000
14	(b) FAS Games/Guam .....		10,000
15	(c) Subsidy for Siis .....		5,000
16	(d) Eot Municipal subsidy and/or		
17	contributions .....		15,000
18	(e) Subsidy for Fananu .....		5,000

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1	(f) Land transportation .....	\$ 40,000
2	(2) Election District No. 1 .....	100,000
3	(a) Food Relief Fund .....	60,000
4	(b) Travel needs .....	40,000
5	(3) Election District No. 2. ....	100,000
6	(a) Land transportation .....	50,000
7	(b) Municipal governments' subsidies	30,000
8	(c) Travel needs .....	20,000
9	(4) Election District No. 3 .....	100,000
10	(a) Solar lights/equipment .....	10,000
11	(b) Youth activities/equipment .....	10,000
12	(c) Medical/Outreach program/travel needs	25,000
13	(d) Humanitarian assistance .....	20,000
14	(e) POL/Charter/Freight .....	20,000
15	(f) Housing/Meeting Halls renovation	15,000
16	(5) Election District No. 4 ...	100,000
17	(a) Outreach program/travel needs ..	50,000
18	(b) Housing/Community Halls	
19	repair and renovation .....	50,000
20	(6) Election District No. 5 .....	100,000
21	(a) Solar street lights .....	20,000
22	(b) Low Income Housing Renovation/	
23	Rehabilitation .....	20,000
24	(c) Food relief .....	20,000
25	(d) Municipal governments'	

1           motor boat/engine ..... \$           15,000  
2                           (e) Students' financial assistance .           25,000"

3           Section 2. Section 2 of Public Law No. 20-160 is hereby  
4 amended to read as follows:

5           "Section 2. Allotment and management of funds and lapse  
6 date. All funds appropriated by this act shall be  
7 allotted, managed, administered and accounted for in  
8 accordance with applicable laws, including, but not  
9 limited to, the Financial Management Act of 1979. The  
10 allottee shall be responsible for ensuring that these  
11 funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are used  
12 solely for the purpose specified in this act, and that  
13 no obligations are incurred in excess of the sum  
14 appropriated. The allottee of funds appropriated under  
15 sections 1(1) and 1(6) of this act shall be the Governor  
16 of Chuuk State or his designee. The allottee of funds  
17 appropriated under section 1(2) of this act shall be the  
18 Mortlock Islands Development Authority (MIDA). The  
19 allottee of funds appropriated under section 1(3) of  
20 this act shall be the Mayor of Weno Municipal Government  
21 or his designee. The allottee of funds appropriated  
22 under section 1(4) of this act shall be the Southern  
23 Namoneas Development Authority. The allottee of funds  
24 appropriated under section 1(5) of this act shall be the  
25 Faichuk Development Authority (FDA). The authority of

1 the allottee to obligate funds appropriated by this act  
2 shall lapse on September 30, 2021."

3 Section 3. 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 18<sup>th</sup>*

, 2020

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David W. Panuelo  
President  
Federated States of Micronesia

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