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A BILL FOR AN ACT

To appropriate the sum of \$23,000 from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997, for the purpose of funding the position of Chief of Staff in the Office of the President, and to amend section 14 of Public Law No. 9-096 to add to the employment ceiling for the Office of the President, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. The sum of \$23,000, or so much thereof as may be
2 necessary, is hereby appropriated from the General Fund of the Federated
3 States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997, for
4 the purpose of funding the position of Chief of Staff in the Office of
5 the President.

6 Section 2. Section 14 of Public Law No. 9-096 is hereby amended to
7 read as follows:

8 "Section 14. Employment ceilings. Subsection (1) sets forth the
9 maximum number of positions that may be hired by branches and
10 agencies of the National Government.

11 (1) Positions funded for fiscal year 1997.

12 Executive Branch

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25 Legislative Branch

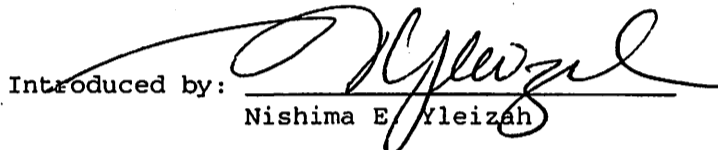
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13 (2) The number of positions authorized applies
14 individually to each of the departments and offices of the
15 executive and legislative branches, the National judiciary, the
16 Public Auditor, and to the agencies as provided in subsection (1)
17 of this section, except that the President may transfer up to 12
18 positions between the departments and offices of the executive
19 branch. This authorization of positions covers all permanent
20 employees and all contract personnel whose employment extends for
21 more than 90 days. No funds may be expended for unbudgeted
22 positions."

23 Section 3. All funds appropriated by this act shall be allotted,
24 managed, administered, and accounted for in accordance with applicable
25 law, including, but not limited to, the Financial Management Act of 1979.

1 The allottee of the funds appropriated herein shall be the President of
2 the Federated States of Micronesia or the President's designee. The
3 allottee shall be responsible for ensuring that these funds, or so much
4 thereof as may be necessary, are used solely for the purpose specified in
5 this act, and that no obligations are incurred in excess of the sum
6 appropriated, The authority of the allottee to obligate funds
7 appropriated by this act shall lapse as of September 30, 1997.

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

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12 Date: Nov 11, 1996 Introduced by: 
13 Nishima E. Yleizah

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