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A BILL FOR AN ACT

To amend Chapter 4 of title 55 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia for the purpose of adding a sole source exemption to the public bidding law, and for other purposes.

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

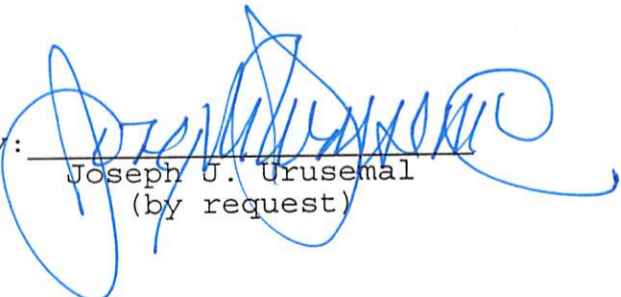
1 Section 1. Chapter 4 of title 55 of the Code of the
2 Federated States of Micronesia is hereby amended by adding a
3 new section 419 to read as follows:

4 "Section 419. Exemption - sole source. The
5 provisions of this chapter shall not apply if the goods or
6 services being contracted for are available only from a
7 single source. The absence of any practicable alternative
8 source shall first be declared in writing by the President
9 upon application by the head of the National Government
10 agency proposing to let the contract. The application
11 shall state the reasons why there is no practicable
12 alternative source except where such reasons are self-
13 evident."

14 Section 2. This act shall become law upon approval by the
15 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its
16 becoming law without such approval.

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