AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 9-096, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 9-105, 9-122, and 9-142, by further amending section 13, as amended by Public Law No. 9-142, to rescind the amount appropriated therein for staff upgrading and to modify the use of certain funds appropriated therein for the State of Yap, and for other purposes.

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

Section 1. Section 13 of Public Law No. 9-096, as amended by Public Law No. 9-142, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

"Section 13. Development budget - Appropriation. The sum of $1,411,447, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997, for capital improvement and development programs and projects of the National Government of the Federated States of Micronesia during fiscal year 1997. Of the funds appropriated under this section, $1,111,447 shall be deemed to come from the capital account of the Compact of Free Association. The sum appropriated by this section shall be apportioned as follows:

(1) Business development loan fund .......$ -0-
(2) Nationwide Board on environmental and sustainable development ..................... 20,000
(3) Labor Consultant ..................... 45,000
(4) ADB Institutional Strengthening (TA) .. 92,000
(5) Host FSM-Promotion ................... 30,000
(6) Radio Frequency Reprogramming ...... 50,000
(7) Copra industry development and other agricultural and cultural activities
   (a) Ponape Coconut Products, Inc., plant expansion production and marketing........$ 150,000
   (b) Truk Copra Products, Inc., plant expansion production and marketing........ 150,000
   (c) Yap State, copra tree planting, cultural and agricultural activities............ 75,000
(d) Kosrae State, encouragement of coconut related industries .................. 50,000

(8) Completion of the FSM-Kosrae State Judiciary Courthouse project .......... 332,727

(9) FSM Supreme Court capital improvement projects ........................................ 86,720

(10) Pohnpei State Supreme Court building expansion ........................................ 30,000

(11) Third patrol boat ..................... 300,000"

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

July 21, 1997

/s/ Jacob Nena
Jacob Nena
President
Federated States of Micronesia