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ELEVENTH CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

FIRST SPECIAL SESSION, 1999

C.B. NO. 11-43

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend title 55 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia, as amended, by further amending section 224A as renumbered by Public Law No. 9-074 and amended by Public Law No. 10-50, by amending 224B, as renumbered by Public Law No. 9-074, to provide for the accounting of delegation expenses and a definition therefor, and for other purposes.

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

- 1 Section 1. Section 224A of title 55 of the Code of the
- 2 Federated States of Micronesia, as renumbered by Public Law No.
- 3 9-074 and amended by Public Law No. 10-50, is hereby further amended
- 4 to read as follows:

5	"Section 224A. Representation expenses, delegation
6	<u>expenses</u> and official expense allowances - Accounting and
7	Advances. Representation expenses and official expense
8	allowance expenses shall be accounted for by affidavit,
9	written contract or written receipt. <u>Delegation expenses</u>
10	shall be accounted for by written contract or written
11	receipt. The Secretary of Finance, upon specific written
12	request containing specific justification satisfactory to
13	the Secretary of Finance, shall make advance payments of
14	representation expenses and advance payments of official
15	expense allowances if the recipient of such advance
16	payment agrees to submit affidavits or receipts for
17	actual expenditures and return to the Secretary of
18	Finance all amounts advanced but not accounted for by
19	affidavit, contract or receipt no later than one month
20	after the end of the fiscal year and, upon leaving
21	office, to return to the Secretary of Finance all amounts
22	advanced but not expended."

- 23 Section 2. Section 224B of title 55 of the Code of the
- 24 Federated States of Micronesia, as renumbered by Public Law No.
- 25 9-074, is hereby amended to read as follows:

1	"Section 224B. Representation expense, delegation
2	expense and official expense allowance - Definitions.
3	(1) For purposes of this chapter, 'official expense
4	allowance expense' means expenses incurred for goods or
5	services necessary to carry out the official duties of
6	the allottee or sub-allottee.
7	(2) For purpose of this chapter, 'representation
8	expense' means expenses incurred in the course of
9	official public relations, entertainment activities or
10	constituent services necessary to advance the purposes
11	and goals of the National Government.
12	(3) For purpose of this chapter, 'delegation expense'
13	means an expense incurred in the course of official
14	public relations, travel, entertainment activities or
15	constituent services necessary to carry out the functions
16	of a State delegation in the Congress of the Federated
17	States of Micronesia."
18	Section 3. This act shall become law upon approval by the
19	President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its becoming
20	law without such approval.
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22	Date: 1499 Introduced by: Nichiga E Vloizah
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## An Act

TO FURTHER AMEND TITLE 55 OF THE CODE OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA, AS AMENDED, BY FURTHER AMENDING SECTION 224A, AS RENUMBERED BY PUBLIC LAW NO. 9-074 AND AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAW NO. 10-50, BY AMENDING SECTION 224B, AS RENUMBERED BY PUBLIC LAW NO. 9-074, TO PROVIDE FOR THE ACCOUNTING OF DELEGATION EXPENSES AND A DEFINITION THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY: SENATOR NISHIMA E. YLEIZAH

DATE: JULY 14, 1999

REFERRED TO: WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE

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Liwiana K. Ramon Chief Clerk, FSM Congress