AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 11-27, as amended, by amending section 1 to apportion funds for the State of Chuuk, by further amending section 3, as amended by Public Law No. 11-55, to modify the use of funds appropriated therein for the State of Yap, and by further amending section 5, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 11-39 and 11-55, to provide allottees for the newly created uses of funds, and for other purposes.

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

Section 1. Section 1 of Public Law No. 11-27 is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 1. The sum of $3,000,000, 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, 2000, for the purpose of funding infrastructure projects, roads, and other economic and social projects and programs in the State of Chuuk. The funds appropriated under this section shall be apportioned as follows:

(1) Chuuk state-wide projects........... $ 100,000
(2) Election District No. 1..............  650,000
(3) Election District No. 2..............  650,000
(4) Election District No. 3..............  650,000
(5) Election District No. 4
   (a) Faichuk social and economic grants
      (i) Tolenson....................  100,000
      (ii) Polle......................  50,000
      (iii) Udot.......................  50,000
      (iv) Romalum....................  50,000
   (b) Operation Fund for FDA.........  18,300
   (c) Faichuk student and school
Section 2. Section 3 of Public Law No. 11-27, as amended by Public Law No. 11-55, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

"Section 3. The sum of $1,000,000, 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, 2000, for the purpose of funding infrastructure projects, roads, and other economic and social projects and programs in the State of Yap. The funds appropriated under this section shall be apportioned as follows:

1. Dugor/Bael road....................... $ 100,000
2. Gargey land development.............. -0-
3. Weloy municipal office construction.. 100,000"
(4) Deechmur, Tomil men’s house project. $ 50,000

(5) Outer island agriculture projects/cultural programs. $ 98,000

(6) Yap’s social development seminars. $ 25,000

(7) Molway, Fanif power & road extension. $ 25,000

(8) Atliw women’s community project. $ 20,000

(9) Rumuu lothog men’s house project. $ 50,000

(10) V6AI equipment purchase. $ 80,000

(11) Outer island infrastructure development projects including projects for outer island communities on Yap proper (matching funds). $ 270,000

(12) Yap Delegation Office including Delegation Office land lease. $ 132,000

(13) Beechial Cultural Center. $ 20,000

(14) Scholarship for Yapese for graduate school studies or studies in high-priority fields, including aviation. Funds may be used for transportation expenses of student to or from place of study. $ 30,000"

Section 3. Section 5 of Public Law No. 11-27, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 11-39 and 11-55, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

"Section 5. Allotment and management of funds and lapse date. (1) All funds appropriated by this act shall be
allotted, managed, administered, and accounted for in accordance with applicable law, including, but not limited to, the Financial Management Act of 1979. The allottee of the funds appropriated by section 1 of this act shall be the Executive Director of Chuuk State Commission on Improvement Projects, or his designee. The allottee of the funds appropriated by subsections 1, subsections 3 through 10, and subsection 13 of section 3 of this act shall be the Governor of the State of Yap. The allottee of the funds appropriated by subsections 2 and 11 of section 3 of this act shall be the Secretary of the Department of Transportation, Communication and Infrastructure. The allottee of the funds appropriated under subsection 12 of section 3 of this act shall be the Speaker of the Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia. The allottee of the funds appropriated by subsection 1 and subsection 3(a), 3(b) and 3(d) of section 4 of this act shall be the Governor of Kosrae State. The allottee of the funds appropriated by subsection 3(c) of section 4 of this act shall be the Secretary of the Department of Finance and Administration, or his designee. The allottee of the funds appropriated by subsection 2 of section 4 of this act shall be the mayors of the respective municipalities, PROVIDED that, the mayors shall consult with the Kosrae Congressional Delegation Members before obligating funds. The allottee of all other funds
appropriated by this act shall be the President of the Federated States of Micronesia or the President's designee. The allottees shall not obligate funds appropriated under this act without consultation on the most appropriate usage of said funds between allottee and the relevant Congressional Delegation. The allottees shall be responsible for ensuring that these funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are used solely for the purpose specified in this act, and that no obligations are incurred in excess of the sum appropriated.

(2) The authority of the allottees to obligate funds appropriated by this act shall not lapse."

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

12/13, 2000

veto override
Leo A. Falcam
President
Federated States of Micronesia