## A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 11-59, as amended, by amending section 1 to change the use of certain funds for Kosrae State, by amending section 7 to change the allottee <u>and lapse</u> date for certain funds appropriated for Kosrae State, and for other purposes.

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

1	Section 1. Section 1 of Public Law No. 11-59, as amended by
2	Public Laws Nos. 11-69, 11-79 and 12-33, is hereby further amended
3	to read as follows:
4	"Section 1. The sum of \$350,000, or so much thereof as
5	may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the
6	General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for
7	the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001, to provide
8	funds for infrastructure and other projects and programs
9	in the State of Kosrae. The funds appropriated under
10	this section shall be apportioned as follows:
11	[ <del>(1)</del> Youth conferences\$ 40,000]
12	(1)[(2)] Shipping subsidy $[15,000]$ \$ 6, 476
13	(2)[(3)] Kosrae Visitors Bureau, PROVIDED that
14	no more than \$10,000 of this appropriation
15	may be used for the purchase of a vehicle 17,000
16	(3) [ $(4)$ ] Medical School Scholarships for
17	Kosraen students studying in Fiji 10,000
18	(4)[(5)] Senior citizens social activities\$ 5,000

1	(5)[(6)] Lelu Town Government	
2	(a) Wuntan shoreline protection	
3	project	15,000
4	(b) Basketball court	15,000
5	(c) Equipment parts	10,000
6	(d) Beautification projects	12,000
7	(e) Other development projects	8,000
8	(f) Municipal Office operations	
9	grant to assist with the administrative	
10	cost of implementing projects within this	
11	subsection	4,000
12	(6)[ <del>(7)</del> ] Tafunsak Municipal Government	
13	(a) Water systems	22,000
14	(b) Construction and maintenance of	
15	access roads	20,000
16	(c) Beautification projects	8,000
17	(d) Other development	
18	projects	9,000
19	(e) Municipal Office operations	
20	grant to assist with the administrative	
21	cost of implementing projects within this	
22	subsection4,000	
23	(7)[ <del>(8)</del> ] Malem Municipal Government	
24	(a) Tennis Court	15,000
25	(b) Extension and upgrading of Malem	

1	inner roads\$	40,000
2	(c) Program for June 6 <sup>th</sup> festivities	
3	and celebration	4,000
4	(d) Municipal Office operations	
5	grant to assist with the administrative	
6	cost of implementing projects within this	
7	subsection	4,000
8	(8)[ <del>(9)</del> ] Utwe Municipal Government	
9	(a) Baseball field	
10	extension	12,000
11	(b) Upgrading or maintenance of farm	
12	roads	20,000
13	(c) Equipment maintenance and	
14	parts	7,000
15	(d) Farm assistance projects	4,000
16	(e) Project grant to Municipal	
17	Government for land acquisition or lease	
18	of land for existing Municipal Office	
19	Building	11,000
20	(f) Municipal Office operations	
21	grant to assist with the administrative	
22	cost of implementing projects within this	
23	subsection	4,000
24	(9)[(10)] Renovation of Kosrae Delegation Office	10,000
25	(10)[ <del>(11)</del> ] Shipping subsidy\$	5,000"

1 Section 2. Section 7 of Public Law No. 11-59, as amended by

2 Public Laws Nos. 11-69, 11-79, 12-7 and 12-33, 12-46, 12-64, 12-71

3 and 13-2, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

4 "Section 7. Allotment and management of funds and lapse

5 <u>date</u>.

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(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 under subsection (1) of section 1 of this act shall be the [Chairman of the Coordination Committee of the Kosrae State 2001 Summer Youth Conference] President of the Federated States of Micronesia. The allottee of the funds appropriated under subsections (2),  $[\frac{(4)}{(3)}, [\frac{(5)}{(4)}], [\frac{(10)}{(4)}]$ and  $[\frac{(11)}{(10)}]$  of section 1 of this act shall be the Secretary of the Department of Finance and Administration, or his designee. The allottee of the funds appropriated under subsection  $[\frac{(3)}{(3)}]$  (2) of section 1 and the funds appropriated under section 6 of this act shall be the Governor of the State of Kosrae, or his designee. The allottees of the funds appropriated under subsections  $\left[\frac{(6)}{(5)}\right]$  (5) through  $\left[\frac{(9)}{(8)}\right]$  of section 1 of this act shall be the Mayors of the respective towns or municipalities. The allottee of the funds appropriated

under sections 2 and 5 of this act shall be the President of the Federated States of Micronesia, or his designee. The allottee of the funds appropriated under section 3 of this act shall be the Chuuk State Commission on Improvement Projects, EXCEPT THAT the allottee of the funds appropriated under subsection (6) of section 3 of this act shall be the Northwest Project Coordinator and PROVIDED THAT, for funds appropriated under subsection (5) of section 3 of this act, the allottee shall follow the procedures set forth in subsection (3) of this section 7. The allottee of the funds appropriated under subsections (1) through (13) and subsection (15) of section 4 of this act shall be the Governor of the State of Yap, or his designee. allottee of the funds appropriated under subsection (14) of section 4 of this act shall be the Speaker of the Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, or his designee. The allottees shall be responsible for ensuring that the funds appropriated by this act, 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.

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(2) The authority of the allottees to obligate funds appropriated by this act shall lapse as of September 30,

2005; EXCEPT THAT the authority of the allottee to obligate funds appropriated under [subsection]

subsections (1) and [(10)] (9) of section 1 of this act shall not lapse.

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(3) Prior to any obligation or disbursement of funds appropriated under subsection (5) of section 3 of this act, the allottee shall, by written notice to the mayor of each municipality in Election District No. 4 of Chuuk State, inform each municipality of the amount of funds available for allotment in Election District No. 4 and invite requests for project funding from each municipality. Not less than thirty (30) days nor more than sixty (60) days after delivering such notice, the allottee shall convene and chair a panel consisting of all the Mayors of Election District No. 4 or their designees, who shall review the requests for project funding and determine, by majority vote, which project(s) shall be recommended to the allottee for funding. The allottee shall not have a vote except in the event of a tie. In the event of a tie, the Executive Director of the allottee, or his designee, shall cast the deciding vote. The allottee's designee shall not be a resident or former resident of Election District No. 4. Subject to relevant law and regulations, the allottee shall follow the

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recommendations of the panel."
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        Section 3. This act shall become law upon approval by the
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    President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its
    becoming law without such approval.
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    Date: 8/30/04 Introduced by: /s/ Claude H. Phillip
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