## A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend section 603 of title 1 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia, as amended, by amending section 603 to grant the President the discretion to allow employees of the National Government to observe holidays other than the five National holidays, and for other purposes.

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

- 1 Section 1. Section 603 of title 1 of the Code of the
- 2 Federated States of Micronesia is hereby amended to read as
- 3 follows:
- 4 "Section 603. Other holidays.
- 5 [No holidays other than those set forth in section
- 6 601 of this chapter shall be observed by any
- 7 employee or official of the National Government of
- 8 the Federated States of Micronesia. The President
- 9 may authorize employees or officials of the
- 10 National Government of the Federated States of
- 11 Micronesia to observe certain State holidays other
- than those specified in section 601; provided that
- 13 those State holidays to be observed shall be as
- 14 established by Presidential policy upon
- consultation with each State Governor and, where
- 16 applicable, the leadership of each respective State
- 17 community organization in Pohnpei."

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Section 2. This act shall become law upon approval by the
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 2 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its
 3 becoming law without such approval.
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                          Introduced by: /s/ Henry C. Asugar____
 5 Date: <u>10/13/03</u>
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