

A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 12-50, as amended by Public Law No. 12-53, by amending section 15 to allow reprogramming of funds by the President, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Section 15 of Public Law No. 12-50, as amended by
2 Public Law No. 12-53, is hereby further amended to read as
3 follows:

4 "Section 15. Reprogramming.

5 Reprogramming within a department or agency shall be
6 effected by the Head of such department or agency by
7 specifying in writing to the President the activities
8 for which funding is either increased or decreased.

9 Reprogramming to increase employees' salaries shall not
10 be permitted unless authorized by law. [~~Funds that are~~
11 ~~appropriated under section 2 of this act and apportioned~~
12 ~~to a department or office under subsections 2(1) through~~
13 ~~2(8) of this act shall not be reprogrammed to or from~~
14 ~~such department or office.] The President may reprogram
15 up to ten percent to and from the funds appropriated to
16 each department and office in section 2 (Operating
17 Expenses of the Executive Branch); PROVIDED THAT, he
18 first provide to the Head of the affected departments
19 and offices and to the Secretary of Finance and~~

1 Administration a written advisory specifying the amount
2 to be reprogrammed and the reason."

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

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8 Date: 5/16/03

Introduced by: /s/ Henry Asugar

Henry Asugar
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