A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 13-36, as amended, by amending sections 2 and 5 thereof to change the use and allottee of certain funds appropriated therein, and for other purposes.

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

Section 1. Section 2 of Public Law No. 13-36, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 13-49 and 13-66, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

"Section 2. The sum of $400,000, 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, 2004, to provide funding for social and economic development projects in the State of Yap. The funds appropriated under this section shall be apportioned as follows:

(1) Post-secondary scholarships for Yapese students, subject to the following conditions:

(a) funds appropriated under this subsection may only be used for tuition, books, and on-campus room and board expenses;

(b) the maximum amount available to any individual student enrolled at an institution of higher education located outside the FSM is $7,000;

(c) the maximum amount available to any individual student enrolled at the College of Micronesia
is $1,500; and

(d) if the FSM Scholarship Board does not meet to award scholarship funds appropriated by this section, the Secretary of the FSM Department of Health, Education and Social Affairs (HESA), or his designee, and the Yap State member of the FSM Scholarship Board may determine the recipients of such funds ..............$ 180,000

(2) Fuel and other provisions for travel by FSM government officials to Yap State Outer Islands ...................... 28,000

(3) Yap State [Copra subsidies] [virgin oil and copra development .................. [50,000] 30,000

(4) Yap Network Newspaper equipment ...... 20,000

[(5) Yap Delegation office construction, renovation and operations and/or emergency/disaster relief] .................. [100,000]

[(6)] (5) Construction and renovation of Delegation Office ...................... 10,000

[(7)] (6) Yap Delegation office-new vehicle . . . 12,000

(7) Wanyan, Gagil women house ............ 10,000

(8) Amin village women project ............ 30,000

(9) Magachgil women project .............. 30,000

(10) Rang village women project ........... 30,000

(11) Gilman power extension .............. 20,000"

Section 2. Section 5 of Public Law No. 13-36, as amended by
Public Laws Nos. 13-49, 13-66, 13-80 and 13-83, 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, 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 sections 1, 2 and 3 of this act shall be the President of the Federated States of Micronesia or his designee, except that the allottee of the funds appropriated under subsections 1(1), 1(3) and 1(4) of this act shall be the Governor of the State of Kosrae; the allottee of the funds appropriated under sections 2(3), 2(4) and 2(7) through 2(11) of this act shall be the Governor of the State of Yap; the allottee of the funds appropriated under sections 2(5), 2(6), and 2(7) shall be the Speaker of Congress; the allottee of the funds appropriated under subsection 3(2)(a)(i) shall be the mayor of Kolonia Town; the allottee of the funds appropriated under subsections 3(2)(a)(ii), 3(2)(a)(iv) and 3(2)(a)(v) shall be the Sokehs magistrate; the allottee of the funds appropriated under subsection 3(2)(a)(iii) shall be the mayor of Nukuoro; and the allottee of funds appropriated under subsections 3(2)(c)(v) and 3(2)(c)(vi) shall be the Pohnpei Transportation Authority. The allottee of the funds appropriated under section 4 of this act shall be the Chuuk State Commission on Improvement Projects, except that the
funds appropriated under section 4(1)(c) of this act shall be allotted to the President of the Federated States of Micronesia.

(2) The allottees of the funds appropriated herein shall be responsible for ensuring that these funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are used solely for the purpose specified herein, and shall report back to the Congress on the status of these funds no later than September 30, 2005. The authority of the allottees to obligate such funds shall not lapse until fully expended.

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

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