A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend title 40 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia, as amended, deleting section 707 and amending section 708 of chapter 7 to limit the amount of time a board member may serve beyond the expiration date of their term to 90 days; and for other purposes.

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

- 1 Section 1. Title 40 of the Code of the Federated States of
- 2 Micronesia, as amended, is hereby further amended by deleting
- 3 section 707 of chapter 7.
- 4 Section 2. Title 40 of the Code of the Federated States of
- 5 Micronesia, as amended, is hereby further amended by amending
- 6 section 708 of chapter 7 to read as follows:
- 7 "Section 708. Board of Regents; Terms of office.
- 8 The terms of office for the members of the Board shall
- 9 be as follows:
- 10 (1) The member representing the National Government
- shall serve for a term of three years and shall not
- 12 serve more than two consecutive terms.
- 13 (2) The members representing their respective States
- shall serve for a term of three years and shall not
- serve for more than two consecutive terms.
- 16 (3) Members of the Board may serve beyond the
- 17 expiration date of their terms until their successors
- 18 have been appointed <u>or for a period of 90 days</u>,

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whichever is less. [The initial terms of members of the
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             Board shall be counted towards the aforementioned
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             limitation of terms.
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        Section 3. This act shall become law upon approval by the
 5 President of Federated States of Micronesia or upon its becoming
 6 law without such approval.
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8 Date: <u>2/12/08</u>
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