

The President Palikir, Pohnpei Federaled States of Micronesia PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 15-2

FSM CONGRESS

June 26, 2008

The Honorable Isaac V. Figir Speaker 15th FSM Congress Palikir, Pohnpei, FM 96941

Re:

Congressional Act No. 15-48

Dear Speaker Figir:

I have designated the following Congressional Act as Public Law No. 15-44.

Congressional Act No. 15-48, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW 15-32, AS AMENDED, BY AMENDING SECTION 1 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED CERTAIN PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE STATES OF KOSRAE, YAP, CHUUK AND POHNPEI, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Note, however, that I have line item vetoed the following appropriations:

- 1. Section 1(4)(c)(iv) which proposed to zero-out the balance of this particular Section of Public Law 15-32, as amended. The fund balance under this Section is \$10,000 and is insufficient to fund the proposed uses; and
- 2. Congressional Act 15-48 proposes four (4) new projects under Section 1(4)(c) (xii-xv) and the funding for these new projects is insufficient as a result of the amendment to Section 1(4)(c)(iv).

Based on the Fund Balance Report indicating a balance of only \$10,000 in the account for Section 1(4)(c)(iv) and thus is insufficient to defray all purported uses, I regret to inform you of no other alternative but to line-item veto.

Sincerely,

Manny Mori President

Enclosure:

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Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court Secretary, Department of Justice Legislative Counsel, CFSM Library, CFSM Director, SBOC PIO, FSM





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His Excellency Manny Mori President Federated States of Micronesia Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941

Dear Mr. President:

I have the honor to transmit herewith Congressional Act No. 15-48, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 15-32, AS AMENDED, BY AMENDING SECTION 1 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED FOR PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE STATES OF KOSRAE, YAP, CHUUK AND POHNPEI, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.", which was passed by the Fifteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fourth Regular Session, 2008, by a two-thirds vote of all the State delegations as required and as duly certified.

Sincerely yours,

Liwiana K. Ramon

Chief Clerk, Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia

Enclosures





PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 15-221 FSM CONGRESS

FIFTEENTH CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOURTH REGULAR SESSION MAY 12 - 31, 2008

PUBLIC LAW No. 15 - 44

An Act

TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 15-32, AS AMENDED, BY AMENDING SECTION 1 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED FOR PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE STATES OF KOSRAE, YAP, CHUUK AND POHNPEI, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY: SENATOR PALIKNOA K. WELLY

DATE: MAY 19 2008

REFERRED TO: WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE

S.C.R. NO. 15-117 – MAY 27, 2008

FIRST READING: MAY 28, 2008

SECOND READING: MAY 30, 2008



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Liwiana K. Ramon Chief Clerk, FSM Congress



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ACT NO. 15-48

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 15-124, C.D.1, C.D.2, C.D.3, C.D.4)

We hereby certify that on May 30 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Fifteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fourth Regular Session, 2008, by a two-thirds vote of all the State delegations as required under article IX, section 20, of the Constitution of the Federated States of Micronesia.

POINTE:

Isaac V. Figir Speaker Congress of the

Federated States of Micronesia

Liwiana K. Ramon

Chief Clerk

Congress of the

Federated States of Micronesia

FOURTH REGULAR SESSION, 2008

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 15-124, C.D.1, C.D.2, C.D.3, C.D.4

PUBLIC LAW No. 15 - 44

AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 15-32, as amended, by amending Section 1 thereof, to change the use of certain funds previously appropriated for public projects and social programs for the States of Kosrae, Yap, Chuuk and Pohnpei, 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. 15-32, as amended by
2	Public Law No. 15-36, is hereby further amended to read as
3	follows:
4	"Section 1. The sum of \$3,780,000, or so much thereof
5	is hereby appropriated from the General Fund of the
6	Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year
7	ending September 30, 2008 for the purpose of funding
8	public projects and social programs in each State of the
9	Federated States of Micronesia. The fund shall be
10	apportioned on the basis of \$250,000 or less per member
11	of Congress as follows, PROVIDED THAT an increase of
12	\$300,000 is for Yap State.
13	(1) State of Kosrae \$ 500,000
14	(a) High School lunch program and past
15	expenses incurred relating to the
16	implementation of the program 40,000
17	(b) Bachelor degree program 80,000
18	(c) Lelu Community projects/programs 10,000
19	(d) Malem Community projects/

1	programs\$	10,000
2	(e) Utwe Community projects/	
3	programs	10,000
4	(f) Tafunsak Community projects/	
5	programs	10,000
6	(g) Kosrae Women Association	10,000
7	(h) Promotion and Travel for	
8	Tourism Office	10,000
9	(i) Kosrae State Government subsidy.	100,000
10	(j) Medical referrals for	
11	non-insured and non-employed Kosraeans	20,000
12	PROVIDED THAT reprogramming of this	
13	funding is not allowed	
14	(k) Supplemental funding for Fuel	
15	for Caroline Voyager	10,000
16	PROVIDED THAT the funding is used for	
17	an east-bound trip to, Kosrae State	
18	(1) Tafunsak Multipurpose	
19	Building Renovation	20,000
20	(m) Lap-top Computers for Schools:	
21	(i) Lelu Elementary School	1,250
22	(ii) Tafunsak Elementary School.	1,250
23	(iii) Malem Elementary School	1,250
24	(iv) Utwa Elementary School	1,250
25	(v) Walung Elementary School	1,250

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1	(vi) Sansrik Elementary School. \$	1,250
2	(vii) SDA school	1,250
3	(viii) Kosrae High School	1,250
4	(n) Kosrae Senior Citizens Meeting Halls	
5	(i) Lelu Senior citizen	30,000
6	(ii) Tafunsak Senior citizen	30,000
7	(iii) Malem Senior citizen	30,000
8	(iv) Utwa Senior citizen	30,000
9	(o) Office of International	
10	Epizoaties Annual Membership Fee	8,000
11	(p) Tafunsak Youths' musical instruments	5,000
12	(q) KCSO's subsidy	5,000
13	(r) National Government debts to	,
14	ABCOR Construction	12,000
15	(s) Kosrae Women Christian Associations	
16	(i) Lelu Women Christian	
17	Association	2,000
18	(ii) Tafunsak Women Christian	
19	Association	2,000
20	(iii) Malem Women Christian	
21	Association	2,000
22	(iv) Utwa Women Christian	
23	Association	2,000
24	(v) Walung Women Christian	
25	Association	2,000

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1	(2) State of Yap\$	800,000
2	(a) Chamber of Commerce (Matching	
3	fund) the funding shall not be expended unless	
4	the Chamber of Commerce contributes a 50% of	
5	either in kind and/or, monetary contribution as	
6	its matching	50,000
7	(b) Ruu and Amun villages	#3
8	basketball courts	7,000
9	(c) Lands' Acquisition (Outer	
10	Island of Yap	75,000
11	(d) Southern Yap water system	
12	equipment purchase	25,000
13	(e) Tomil Road repair	25,000
14	(f) Amun bridge	20,000
15	(g) Water extension, Makiy village	9,000
16	(h) Road Improvements, Wanyan village	30,000
17	(i) Bugol women multipurpose building	45,000
18	(j) Ngulu dispensary	18,000
19	(k) Falalus and Seliap community	140
20	centers repairs	23,000
21	(1) Qapluul village water, sewer,	
22	and power extension projects	27,000
23	(m) Gachpar Men's house	50,000
24	(n) Wottegai road project	10,000
25	(o) Tugunbinau bridge, Maap	50,000

1	(p) Outer Islands' agriculture	
2	programs and projects (concrete taro	
3	patches, purchase of tools and equipment). \$	40,000
4	(q) Pikelot Island water	
5	catchment and shelter	7,000
6	(r) Outer Islands' Transportation	4
7	needs (boats, outboard motors, POL)	90,000
8	(s) YSPSC subsidy for POL	100,000
9	(t) Woleai Airport Terminal Building	30,000
10	(u) Meerur men's house repair	16,000
11	(v) Completion of Wottegai	
12	community center in Qapluul village	20,000
13	(w) Mariyong Island Community	
14	Piggery project	20,000
15	(x) Reimbursement to Woleai Atoll	
16	Community Account	6,000
17	(y)Woleai Airport Equipments Purchase	7,000
18	(3) State of Pohnpei	1,000,000
19	(a) Pohnpei State At Large	
20	(i) Construction and renovation of	
21	road, bridges, culverts and road drainages	
22	from Palikir to Kolonia	120,000
23	(b) Election District No. 1	
24	(i) 2 nd Phase (Baptist School	-
25	Classroom Construction)	100,000

(ii) EDI operation.....\$ 10,000 1 (iii) Kolonia Town Ladies 2 Training Center Renovations..... 10,000 3 (iv) Tomara Road Construction... 60,000 4 (v) Sapwuafik Community 5 Center Renovations..... 10,000 6 (vi) Peidie Road construction... 90,000 7 (c) Election District No. 2 8 (i) Water Delivery Services.... 30,000 9 (ii) Students' Financial 10 11 Assistance..... 15,000 (iii) Secondary Road 12 130,000 13 Improvement..... (iv) ED2 operation..... 32,000 14 (v) Civic Centers..... 35,000 15 (vi) Agriculture Fair..... 3,500 16 (vii) Enipein Elementary 17 School Teacher Aid..... 2,000 18 (viii) Kitti Fish Market..... 15,000 19 (ix) Sports facilities 20 improvement...... 4,500 21 (x) Outboard Motor for 22 3,000 23 Kitti Police..... 24 (xi) Madolenihmw Municipal 10,000 Government subsidy..... 25

1	(xii) Kitti/Madolenihmw	
. 2	Outreach program\$	10,000
3	(xii) Grant writer assistance	10,000
4	(d) Election District No. 3	
5	(i) ED3 Operation	33,500
6	(ii) Students and public	
7	transportation services	28,000
8	(iii) Students' financial	
9	assistance	8,000
10	(iv) Youth sports activities	7,500
11	(v) Agriculture Fair	3,000
12	(vi) ED3 Working Group	
13	supplemental	8,000
14	(vii) ED3 Water System	10,000
15	(viii) U public facilities	
16	repairs and maintenance	50,000
17	(ix) Nett public facilities	_
18	repairs and maintenance	55,000
19	(x) Mwoakilloa public	
20	facilities repairs and maintenance and	
21	transportation needs	20,000
22	(xi) Pingelap public facilities	
23	repairs and maintenance and	21 70
24	transportation needs	25,000
25	(xii) Mwoakilloa multipurpose	

house renovation.....\$ 2,000 1 2 (xiii) Pohnkeimw Secondary Road Paving..... 50,000 3 (4) State of Chuuk..... 1,480,000 5 (a) Chuuk State At Large 6 (i) Public Facilities Repair and improvement..... 30,000 (ii) Youth Activities' 8 9 programs and projects..... 30,000 (iii) Students' Financial 10 Assistance 11 7,000 12 (iv) Low Income Housing subsidy..... 30,000 13 14 (v) Farmers and Students' Land transportations..... 20,000 15 16 (vi) Leadership exposures and travel..... 17 15,000 18 (vii) Farmers planting and seedling project..... 11,000 19 20 (viii) CSCIP operation..... 5,000 (ix) Offices Rental and 21 operations F. Commission..... 7,000 22 23 (x) POL and Charter..... 5,000 24 (xi) At-Large Office Operation.. 20,000

(xii) Sport facilities

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		PUBLIC LAW No. 15 -	44
1		constructions (Basketball courts)\$	15,000
2		(xiii) Fishing Gears and	
3		Equipments	15,000
4	*	(xiv) Seawall and Taro	
5		Patches Protection	10,000
6		(xv) Multipurpose building	
7		repair and renovation	5,000
8		(xvi) Feeding program	10,000
9		(xvii) Medical Referral and	
10		Repatriation of remains	10,000
11		(xviii) OCHAP Community '	
12		Hall Construction	5,000
13		(xix) Contribution and cost	
14		sharing with At-Large to ED#5 Operation	20,000
15	3	(b) Election District No. 1	
16		(i) Students' Financial	
17		Assistance	10,000
18		(ii) Mortlock Development	
19		Commission outstanding debts (past and	
20		present)	10,000
21		(iii) Municipal Governments'	,
22		subsidy	
23		a. Nema Municipality	7,000
24		b. Losap Municipality	5,500
25		c. Pis-emwar Municipality	5,000

1	d. Namoluk Municipality. \$	6,000
2	e. Ettal Municipality	5,000
3	f. Moch Municipality	7,000
4	g. Kuttu Municipality	6,000
5	h. Ta Municipality	5,000
6	i. Satowan Municipality	7,000
7	j. Lekinioch Municipality	7,000
8	k. Oneop Municipality	6,000
9	(iv) Community Housing improvement	45,000 .
10	(v) Leadership Conference	15,000
11	(vi) Leadership Travel	10,000
12	(vii) Youth Musical Instruments	8,000
13	(viii) Youth Centers Subsidies	20,000
14	(ix) Students' Land Transportation	5,000
15	(x) CSCIP	5,000
16	(xi) Sea Transportation Assistance	13,000
17	(xii) Contribution to	
18	ED #1 Associations	12,000
19	(xiii) Payment for Printing services	3,500
20	(xiv) ED #1 Multipurpose building	
21	Renovations Supplements	11,000
22	(xv) ED #1 Operation	11,000
23	(xvi) Administrative Supports	
24	costs for Delegation	5,000
25	(c) Election District No. 2	

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1	(i) Basketball Court\$	20,000
2	(ii) Meeting Halls	·
3	(a) Neoram, Nepukos	10,000
4	(b) Faichu, Eor	6,000
5	(c) Faramas, Sapuk	4,000
6	(d) Neinifach, Mwan	5,000
7	(iii) Public/School/Bus	
8	Operation	50,000
9	(iv) Road Construction	-0-
10	(v) Repatriation of human remains	6,000
11	(vi) Kokumy cultural celebration	4,000
12	(vii) CSCIP	10,000
13	(viii) NNDA operation	25,000
14	(ix) Housing Assistance	15,000
15	(x) Fishing Projects	20,000
16	(xi) Medical supplies & equipments	15,000
17	(xii) Weno Municipal Election	25,0003
18	(xiii) Weno Municipal Government	
19	subsidy	to 5,000
20	(xiv) Fonoton Municipal Government	1
21	subsidy	to 5,000
22	(xv) Pis-Paneu Municipal Government	
23	subsidy/e	₹ 5,000 ×
24	(d) Election District No. 3	
25	(i) Election District	

No. 3 Operation.....\$ 25,000 1 2 (ii) Housing and Community Halls 45,500 (iii) Fishing Projects:.... 15,000 3 (iv) Fiberglass Boats repair.... 5,000 4 5 (v) Medical Assistance and 6 supplies..... 2,500 (vi) Sport Tournaments Facilities/Supplies..... 10,000 8 (vii) Feeding Program..... 10,000 9 10 (viii) Crafting and Sewing projects..... 7,000 11 12 (ix) Market/Local Produces..... 10,000 13 (x) Project Management..... 12,500 14 (xi) CSCIP operation..... 5,000 (xii) Subsidy for Entrepreneurships 15 16 and business start up..... 10,000 (xiii) Nukuno Christian School 17 18 Solar panels/Computers..... 10,000 15,000 (xiv) Leadership Travel..... 19 (xv) Youth rehabilitation programs 9,000 20 21 (xvi) Mayors leadership conference 5,000 (xvii) Land Transportation..... 22 12,500 23 (xviii) Municipal Governments' subsidies..... 24 41,000 25 (e) Election District No. 4

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1		(i)	Students'	Financial	e e
2		Assistance		\$	10,000
3		(ii)	Youth acti	vities and	
4		programs			10,000
5		(iii)	Leadership	exposure	
6		and travel			15,000
7		(iv)	FDA operat	ions	20,000
8		(V)	CSCIP oper	ation.,	5,000
9		(vi)	Udot munic	cipal subsidy	10,000
10		(vii)	Low income	e housing grant	40,000
11		(viii)	Iongkumi F	ishing Project	40,000
12	r	(ix)	Fiber boat	s repair	10,000
13		(x)	Food relie	£	10,000
14		(xi)	Land Trans	portation	20,000
15		(xii)	Polle Muni	cipal subsidy	10,000
16		(xiii)	ED #4 Offi	ce operation	30,000
17		(xiv)	Famachaw f	arming project	10,000
18		(xv)	Medical Re	eferrals &	
19		Repatriation of	remains		10,000
20		(f) Elec	tion Distri	ct No. 5	
21		(i)	POL & Char	ter	35,000
22		(ii)	Food Relie	f	20,000
23		(iii)	Office Spa	ce Rental, Office	
24	•	supplies and equ	uipment, co	mmunication and	, •
25		utilities			-0-

1		(iv) Students' Financial	
2		Assistance\$	10,000
3		(v) Medical Referral,	
4		Pharmaceuticals and Repatriation	
5		of Remains	20,000
6	v	(vi) CSCIP	5,000.
7		(vii) Operations (ED5)	15,000
8		(viii) Project Management	20,000
9		(ix) On the job Training	
10		subsidy	5,000
11		(x) Land Acquisition for the	
12		people of Halls, Weito and Pattiw Islands	100,000
13		PROVIDED THAT the allottee of this specific	
14		funding shall deposit the funds into the	
15		Special Funds within the General Fund of the	
16		Federated States of Micronesia for Chuuk	
17		Election District No. 5 established pursuant	
18		to Public Law No. 13-83.	
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2	President of	the	Federat	ed State	es of	Micror	nesia	or	upon	its		
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