FIRST SPECIAL SESSION, 2007 CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 15-40, C.D.1, C.D.2

PC NO. 15-42

PUBLIC LAW NO. 15-04

AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 14-80, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 14-95, 14-99 and 14-104, and 15-01, the FY 2007 budget, by further amending sections 1, 2, 3, 5, 8 and 9 thereof, for the purpose of appropriating \$1,031,954 in supplemental funding from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2007, to provide for the operations of the Executive and Legislative Branch, National Agencies, various programs, grants, subsidies, and contributions, Capital and Human Resource Development, and for other purposes.

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

- 1 Section 1. The title of Public Law No. 14-80, as amended by
- 2 Public Laws Nos. 14-95, 14-99 14-104, and 15-01, is hereby further
- 3 amended to read as follows:
- To appropriate the sum of \$34,422,674.62 from the
- 5 General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for
- the fiscal year ending September 30, 2007 for the
- 7 purpose of funding the operations of all branches of the
- National Government of the Federated States of
- 9 Micronesia, its agencies, various programs, grants,
- subsidies and contributions and to establish a capital
- and human resources development budget for the fiscal
- 12 year 2007, and for other purposes."
- 13 Section 2. Section 1 of Public Law No. 14-80, as amended by
- 14 Public Laws Nos. 14-95, 14-99, 14-104, and 15-01, is hereby
- 15 further amended to read as follows:
- "Section 1. An annual budget in the amount of
- 17 \$34,422,674.62 from for the fiscal year ending September

1	30, 2007 is hereby approved. There is hereby
2	appropriated from the General Fund of the Federated
3	States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending
4	September 30, 2007 the sum of \$34,422,674.62 from for
5	the purpose of funding the operations of all branches of
6	the National Government of the Federated States of
7	Micronesia, its agencies, various programs, grants,
8	subsidies and contributions; and capital and human
9	resource development for the fiscal year ending
10	September 30, 2007. The sum appropriated herein shall
11	be apportioned as follows:"
12	Section 3. Section 2 of Public Law No. 14-80, as amended by
13	Public Laws Nos. 14-95, 14-99, 14-104, and 15-01, is hereby
14	further amended to read as follows:
15	"Section 2. Operating expenses of the Executive Branch
16	The sum of $$15,310,372$ or so much thereof as may be
17	necessary, is hereby appropriated from the General Fund
18	of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal
19	year ending September 30, 2007, for the purpose of
20	funding the operations of the Executive Branch of the
21	National Government for the fiscal year 2007. The sum
22	appropriated by this section shall be apportioned as
23	follows:
24	(1) Office of the President.
25	\$625,517, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for
26	the operations of the Office of the President for the

1	fiscal year 2007. The sum appropriated herein shall be
2	apportioned as follows:
3	Personnel\$ 267,341
4	Travel 98,176
5	Contractual Services
6	OCE, provided that \$10,000 is used exclusively
7	for the 2007 Inauguration 90,000
8	Fixed Assets
9	(2) Department of Foreign Affairs.
10	\$2,979,306, or so much thereof as may be
11	necessary, for the operations of the
12	Department of Foreign Affairs for the fiscal
13	year 2007. The sum appropriated herein shall
14	be apportioned as follows:
15	Personnel\$ 1,172,209
16	Travel 147,860
17	Contractual Services
18	OCE, provided that \$10,000 is used
19	exclusively for the 2007 Inauguration 282,850
20	Fixed Assets
21	(3) Department of Finance and Administration.
22	\$2,590,323 or so much thereof as may be
23	necessary, for the operations of the
24	Department of Finance and Administration for
25	the fiscal year 2007. The sum appropriated
26	herein shall be apportioned as follows:

1	Personnel\$	1,298,426
2	Travel provided that \$20,000 be used	
3	exclusively for recruitment and repatriation	266 , 775
4	Contractual Services	652 , 088
5	OCE	331,834
6	Fixed Assets	41,200
7	(4) <u>Department of Economic Affairs</u> .	
8	\$1,174,769, or so much thereof as may be	
9	necessary, for the operations of the	
10	Department of Economic Affairs for the fiscal	
11	year 2007. The sum appropriated herein shall	
12	be apportioned as follows:	
13	Personnel\$	833 , 325
14	Travel	69,169
15	Contractual Services	112,275
16	OCE	138,000
17	Fixed Assets	22,000
18	(5) Department of Transportation, Communication	on and
19	<u>Infrastructure</u> .	
20	\$1,635,990, or so much thereof as may be	
21	necessary, for the operations of the	
22	Department of Transportation, Communications	
23	and Infrastructure for the fiscal year	
24	2007. The sum appropriated herein shall be	
25	apportioned as follows:	
26	Personnel\$	436,846

1	Travel 103,000
2	Contractual Services, provided that \$193,096
3	will be used for POL for Caroline Voyager
4	and provided that \$50,000 be used to fund
5	POL for Caroline Voyager for a student
6	run in July or August 2007 1,018,144
7	OCE 70,000
8	Fixed Assets 8,000
9	(6) Department of Health, Education and Social
10	Affairs.
11	\$2,066,840, or so much thereof as may be
12	necessary, for the operations of the
13	Department of Health, Education and Social
14	Affairs for the fiscal year 2007. Of the
15	total funds appropriated herein, \$359,080
16	shall be deemed to come from funds available
17	under the amended Compact for the education
18	sector, \$767,164 from the health sector, and
19	\$643,843 from the supplemental education grant
20	(SEG) for fiscal year 2006, provided that,
21	these funds shall not be allotted or obligated
22	until such time as formal approval has been
23	obtained in accordance with the Amended
24	Compact of Free Association. The sum
25	appropriated herein shall be apportioned as
26	follows:

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1	Personnel\$	803,480
2	Travel	259,211
3	Contractual Services	186,387
4	OCE	813,062
5	Fixed Assets	4,700
6	(7) <u>Department of Justice</u> .	
7	\$2,779,589, or so much thereof as may be	
8	necessary, for the operations of the	
9	Department of Justice for the fiscal year	
10	2007. The sum appropriated herein shall be	
11	apportioned as follows:	
12	Personnel\$	1,844,130
13	Travel	104,000
14	Contractual Services, provided that \$50,000	
15	will be used as a contributions towards the	
16	Police Academy Training in 2007 and provided	
17	that \$40,000 to be used exclusively for POL	
18	for surveillance operations of the patrol boat	230,100
19	OCE	565 , 359
20	Fixed Assets\$	36,000
21	(8) Office of the Public Defender.	
22	\$635,991, or so much thereof as may be	
23	necessary, for the operations of the Office of	
24	the Public Defender for the fiscal year 2007.	
25	The sum appropriated herein shall be	
26	apportioned as follows:	

1	Personnel\$	458,244
2	Travel	69,503
3	Contractual Services	52,044
4	OCE	47,350
5	Fixed Assets	8,850
6	(9) Office of Compact Management.	
7	\$822,047, or so much thereof as may be	
8	necessary, for the operations of the Office of	
9	Compact Management for the fiscal year 2007.	
10	Of the total funds appropriated herein,	
11	\$300,000 shall be deemed to come from funds	
12	available under the amended Compact carryover	
13	from fiscal year 2005 and shall be used for	
14	foreign consultant fees, provided that, these	
15	funds shall not be allotted or obligated until	
16	such time as formal approval has been obtained	
17	in accordance with the amended Compact. The	
18	sum appropriated herein shall be apportioned	
19	as follows:	
20	Personnel\$	97,247
21	Travel	70,000
22	Contractual Services	602,800
23	OCE	34,000
24	Fixed Assets	18,000"
25	Section 4. Section 3 of Public Law No. 14-80, as amer	nded by
26	Public Laws Nos. 14-99, 14-104, and 15-01, is hereby further	er

1	amended to read as follows:	
2	"Section 3. Operating expenses of the	
3	<u>Legislative Branch</u> . The sum of \$3,412,164, or	
4	so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby	
5	appropriated from the General Fund of the	
6	Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal	
7	year ending September 30, 2007, for the	
8	operations of the Legislative Branch of the	
9	National Government for the fiscal year 2007.	
10	The sum appropriated by this section shall be	
11	apportioned as follows:	
12	(1) <u>Speaker and Members</u> .	
13	\$1,577,164, or so much thereof as may be	
14	necessary, for the operations of the Office of	
15	the Speaker and Members of the Congress of the	
16	Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal	
17	year 2007. The sum appropriated herein shall	
18	be apportioned as follows:	
19	Personnel\$ 415,290	
20	Travel 464,881	
21	Contractual Services 647,600	
22	OCE 50,000	
23	(2) <u>Staff Offices</u> .	
24	\$1,274,393, or so much thereof as may be	
25	necessary, for the operations of the Congress	
26	staff offices for the fiscal year 2007. The	

1	sum appropriated herein shall be apportioned
2	as follows:
3	Personnel\$ 822,962
4	Travel
5	Contractual Services 168,500
6	OCE 122,340
7	Fixed Assets 26,220
8	(3) <u>Congress Delegation Offices</u> .
9	\$560,000, or so much thereof as may be
10	necessary, for the operations of the Congress
11	delegation offices for the fiscal year 2007.
12	The sum appropriated herein shall be
13	apportioned as follows:
14	(a) Kosrae Delegation Office\$ 80,000
15	(b) Pohnpei Delegation Office 160,000
16	(c) Chuuk Delegation Office 240,000
17	(d) Yap Delegation Office\$ 80,000"
18	Section 5. Section 8 of Public Law No. 14-80, as amended by
19	Public Law No. 14-99, 14-104, and 15-01, is hereby amended to
20	read as follows:
21	"Section 8. Grants, Subsidies and Contributions. The
22	sum of $$5,461,704.62$ or so much thereof as may be
23	necessary, is hereby appropriated from the General Fund
24	of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal
25	year ending September 30, 2007, for the following
26	grants, subsidies and contributions during fiscal year

1	2007. The sum appropriated by this section shall be
2	apportioned as follows:
3	(1) Department of Foreign Affairs.
4	(a) Pacific Islands Forum Secretariat \$ 46,000
5	(b) Secretariat for the Pacific
6	Community (SPC) 56,000
7	(c) UN and Specialized Agencies (UN) 60,000
8	(d) UN Economic and Social Commission
9	for Asia and the Pacific (ESCAP) 5,000
10	(e) East-West Center 5,000
11	(f) United Nations Development
12	Program (UNDP) 23,500
13	(g) Activities in preparation for
14	the establishment of an FSM embassy in
15	Beijing 207,585
16	(h) Activities in honor of the
17	FSM's 20th Independence Anniversary\$
18	(2) Department of Finance and Administration.
19	(a) ACP Membership Fees 40,000
20	(b) OCO Membership Fee 2,000
21	(c) Maintenance fee for Financial
22	Management Information System 60,000
23	(d) FMIS Project 211,954
24	(provided that this amount shall be deemed to
25	come from funds available under the Amended
26	Compact for public sector capacity building

1	grant.)	
2	(3) <u>Department of Economic Affairs</u> .	
3	(a) Pacific Islands Development	
4	Program	15,000
5	(b) Forum Fisheries Agency (FFA)	21,000
6	(c) UN Development Program	3,000
7	(d) Coordinating Committee for	
8	Offshore Minerals Prospecting (SOPAC)	40,000
9	(e) Pacific Asia Travel Association.	5,000
10	(f) UN Environmental Program (UNEP) .	600
11	(g) Western Forestry Leadership	
12	Coalition	-0-
13	(h) Seaframe Program	-0-
14	(i) Food Agriculture Organization (FAO)	4,700
15	(j) UN Framework Convention\$	250
16	(k) National Association of State	
17	Foresters	-0-
18	(1) National Environmental	
19	Speech Contest	-0-
20	(m) FA/TCP Matching	34,500
21	(n) Matching for SPC Projects	60,000
22	(o) Tourism activities, provided that,	
23	no funds shall be allotted until such time as	
24	the Tourism Unit has submitted a plan for the	
25	use of the funds to the Standing Committee on	
26	Resources and Development and received written	

1	approval of the plan from the Chairman of the	
2	Committee	50,000
3	(4) Department of Health, Education and	
4	Social Affairs.	
5	(a) UN Fund for Population	
6	Activity (UNFPA)	3,000
7	(b) South Pacific Regional	
8	Environmental Program (SPREP)	7 , 375
9	(c) Aid to Non-Public Schools	300,000
10	(d) Financial Assistance to FSM	
11	Students attending College of Marshalls	
12	and Palau Community College	50,000
13	(e) World Health Organization (WHO) .	41,385
14	(f) National Board of Nursing\$	10,000
15	(g) Pacific Islands Health	
16	Officers Association	20,000
17	(h) National Close-Up Local Program .	64,000
18	(i) FSM Amateur Sports Association	20,000
19	(j) College of Micronesia Board (COM)	5,000
20	(k) Association of Territorial	
21	Health Organization	2,000
22	(1) FSM Red Cross	70,000
23	(m) UNESCO	4,000
24	(n) Independent professional evaluations,	
25	including but not limited to the evaluation of the	ne
26	national student testing systems and a personnel	audit

1	of the Chuuk State school system, provided that all
2	funds appropriated herein shall be deemed to come from
3	funds available under the amended Compact for the
4	Education Sector, and provided that, these funds shall
5	not be allotted or obligated until such time as formal
6	approval has been obtained in accordance with the
7	amended Compact 200,000
8	(o) Fuel, utilities, communication,
9	equipment and contractual services for the
10	Division of Education, provided that all funds
11	appropriated herein shall be deemed to come
12	from funds available under the amended Compact
13	for the Education Sector, and provided that,
14	these funds shall not be allotted or obligated
15	until such time as formal approval has been
16	obtained in accordance with the
17	amended Compact\$ 45,068
18	(p) \$57,000 for Division of Health
19	projects and programs, provided that, all
20	funds appropriated herein shall be deemed to
21	come from funds available under the amended
22	Compact for the Health Sector, and provided
23	that, these funds shall not be allotted or
24	obligated until such time as formal approval
25	has been obtained in accordance with the
26	amended Compact. The sum appropriated herein

1	shall be apportioned as follows:	
2	(i) Projected shortfalls in	
3	communications	2,000
4	(ii) Drugs and medical supplies	
5	for Mental Health & Substance Abuse Program	10,000
6	(iii) Contracting off-island	
7	visiting medical specialists	28,000
8	(iv) TB & STD clinic supplies	
9	for the State governments	3,000
10	(v) Travel for off-island	
11	visiting medical specialists	14,000
12	(q) National Scholarship Fund,	
13	provided that, all funds appropriated	
14	herein shall be deemed to come from funds	
15	available from the Supplemental Education	
16	Grant (SEG) for fiscal year 2006, and	
17	provided that, these funds shall not be	
18	allotted or obligated until such time as	
19	formal approval has been obtained in	
20	accordance with the amended Compact\$	141,777
21	(5) <u>Department of Transportation</u> ,	
22	Communications and Infrastructure.	
23	(a) Asia-Pacific Telecommunity (APT)	7,640
24	(b) International Telecommunications	
25	Union (ITU)	55,000
26	(c) International Civil Aviation	

1	Organization	28,050
2	(d) Micronesian Shipping Commission.	10,000
3	(e) FSM Capital	
4	Energy/Utilities	390,000
5	(f) Marine and Aviation fact-finding	
6	mission and student assistance	50,000
7	(6) <u>Coconut Development Authority (CDA)</u> .	
8	(a) Copra Subsidy	50,000
9	(b) Asia Pacific Coconut	
10	Community (APCC)	15,000
11	(c) Pilot Plant Project\$	49,300
12	(7) Other Grants, Subsidies and Contributions.	
13	(a) Kosrae Judiciary subsidy	30,000
14	(b) Pohnpei Judiciary subsidy	45,000
15	(c) Chuuk Judiciary subsidy	45,000
16	(d) Yap Judiciary subsidy	20,000
17	(e) COM Treaty Obligations	25,000
18	(f) Micronesian Legal Services	
19	Corporation	150,000
20	(g) States Joint Law Enforcement,	
21	provided that \$25,000 shall go to Kosrae	
22	State, \$50,000 shall go to Pohnpei State,	
23	\$50,000 shall go to Chuuk State and	
24	\$25,000 shall go to Yap State	150,000
25	(h) Tuna Commission Membership	16,000
26	(i) Disaster Assistance Emergency	

1	Fund (DAEF) Matching	200,000
2	(k) Maritime Boundary Delimitation	43,500
3	(l) Yap Judiciary subsidy to be used	
4	solely to fund scholarships for citizens of	
5	Yap who are studying law	10,000
6	(m) Passport Revolving Fund	233,607.62
7	(n) State of Kosrae, PROVIDED THAT	
8	the amount appropriated herein shall take	
9	the form of a loan, the terms of which have	
10	been agreed between the President and the	
11	Governor of Kosrae, to help the State	
12	recover from its current financial crisis .\$	1,500,000
13	(o) July 2007 Presidential	
14	Inauguration	74,000
15	(p) July 2007 Presidential	
16	Inauguration - Congress funding to be	
17	divided as follows:	
18	(i) Kosrae Delegation	5,000
19	(ii) Yap Delegation	7,000
20	(iii) Chuuk Delegation	13,000
21	(iv) Pohnpei Delegation	1,000
22	Total	26,000
23	(q) MiCare, to be used to cover	
24	10% increase in premiums for members of	
25	health plan	16,913
26	(r) Land Grant Treaty	25,000

1	(s) Funeral expenses for former
2	President Tosiwo Nakayama 55,000
3	(t) MLFC Loan Payment 90,000
4	(u) FSM Athletes to SP Games 60,000
5	Section 6. Section 9 of Public Law No. 14-80, as amended by
6	Public Laws Nos. $14-95$ and $14-104$, is hereby amended to read as
7	follows:
8	"Section 9. <u>Capital and Human Resource Development</u> .
9	The sum of $$9,055,333$, or so much thereof as may be
10	necessary, is hereby appropriated from the General Fund
11	of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal
12	year ending September 30, 2007, for the following
13	capital improvements, development programs and projects
14	and human resource development. The sum appropriated by
15	this section shall be apportioned as follows:
16	(1) <u>College of Micronesia-FSM</u> .
17	\$6,272,833, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for
18	the operations, programs and projects of the College
19	during fiscal year 2007. The sum appropriated herein
20	shall be apportioned as follows:
21	(a) COM-FSM operations, PROVIDED THAT all funds
22	appropriated herein shall be deemed to come from funds
23	available under the amended Compact for the Education
24	Sector, provided further that, \$52,833 of these funds
25	shall be used only for fuel, utilities, communication,
26	equipment and contractual services, and provided that,

1	these funds shall not be allotted or obligated until
2	such time as formal approval has been obtained in
3	accordance with the Amended Compact of Free
4	Association\$ 3,852,833
5	(b) Fisheries and Maritime Institute 650,000
6	(c) COM-FSM State Campus Facility
7	Improvement, PROVIDED THAT the sum
8	appropriated herein shall be deemed to come
9	from funds available under the amended Compact
10	for Infrastructure Development Sector and,
11	provided that, these funds shall not be
12	allotted or obligated until such time as
13	formal approval has been obtained in
14	accordance with the Amended
15	Compact of Free Association\$ 1,500,000
16	(d) COM-FSM Work Study Program, Student
17	Assistance and Summer Study Program, PROVIDED THAT the
18	General Fund shall be reimbursed for any expenditures
19	under this subsection from Supplemental Education Grant
20	(SEG) funds for fiscal year 2007 once
21	these funds are made available 270,000
22	(2) Department of Finance and Administration.
23	(a) National Staff Upgrading 50,000
24	(b) Asian Development Bank
25	MLFC Loan 0
26	(3) <u>Department of Economic Affairs</u> .

1	(a) FSM Tourism Promotion 100,000
2	(b) FSM Trade and FDI Project 75,000
3	(c) Diversification of Energy 125,000
4	(d) Crop Production Improvement 15,000
5	(4) Department of Transportation, Communication and
6	<u>Infrastructure</u> .
7	(a) Dry Docking of MS Voyager PROVIDED THAT of
8	the amount appropriated herein \$756,592 shall come from
9	funds available under the amended Compact for
10	Infrastructure Development Sector and, provided that,
11	these funds shall not be allotted or obligated until
12	such time as formal approval has been obtained in
13	accordance with the Amended Compact of
14	Free Association\$ 880,000
15	(b) Tuna Commission Headquarters
16	Supplement0-
17	(5) <u>Department of Justice</u> .
18	(a) FSM Patrol Boat Slipping 250,000
19	(b) Construction of 2 fuel tanks0-
20	(6) <u>FSM Postal Services</u> .
21	(a) Pohnpei Post Office renovation .\$ 50,000
22	(7) <u>Infrastructure Maintenance Fund (IMF)</u> .
23	(a) IMF PROVIDED THAT \$118,750 of the funds
24	appropriated herein shall be deemed to come from funds
25	available under the amended Compact for Infrastructure
26	Development Sector and, provided that, these funds shall

1	not be allotted or obligated until such time as formal
2	approval has been obtained in accordance with the
3	Amended Compact of Free Association 237,500
4	(8) <u>FSM Development Bank</u> .
5	(a) Escrow Account USDA Housing Program -0-
6	(9) <u>FSM Trust Fund</u> .
7	(a) FSM Trust Fund created under the Amended
8	Compact of Free Association
9	Section 7. This act shall become law upon approval by the
10	President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its
11	becoming law without such approval.
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21	President Federated States of Micronesia
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