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CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 15-117, C.D.1

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AN ACT

To appropriate \$33,321,789 from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2009, to provide funding for the operations of all branches of the National Government of the Federated States of Micronesia, its agencies, various programs, grants, subsidies and contributions; to extend the lapse date for funds appropriated in fiscal year ending September 30, 2008 from supplementary education grant (SEG), and for other purposes.

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

- 1 Section 1. Shall read as follows: To appropriate the sum of
- 2 \$33,321,789 from the General Fund of the Federated States of
- 3 Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2009, for the
- 4 purpose of funding the operations of all branches of the National
- 5 Government of the Federated States of Micronesia, its agencies,
- 6 various programs, grants, subsidies and contributions; and for
- 7 other purposes. Of the total amount of funds appropriated herein,
- 8 \$789,832 shall be deemed to come from funds available under the
- 9 amended Compact from the health sector; \$4,149,567 shall be deemed
- 10 to come from funds available under the amended Compact from the
- 11 education sector (leaving \$253,673 unappropriated); \$100,000 shall
- 12 be deemed to come from funds available under the amended Compact
- 13 from the capacity building sector; \$-0- shall be deemed to come
- 14 from funds available under the amended Compact from the
- 15 infrastructure sector; and \$0 shall be deemed to come from funds
- 16 available under the supplemental education grant (SEG). The sum
- 17 appropriated herein shall be apportioned as follows:

1	Section 2. Operating expenses of the Executive Branch. The
2	sum of \$14,752,877 or so much thereof as may be necessary, is
3	hereby appropriated from the General Fund of the Federated States
4	of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2009, for
5	the purpose of funding the operations of the Executive Branch of
6	the National Government during the fiscal year 2009. Of the total
7	amount of funds appropriated herein, \$789,832 shall be deemed to
8	come from funds available under the amended Compact from the
9	health sector; \$349,567 shall be deemed to come from funds
10	available under the amended Compact from the education sector; and
11	\$0 shall be deemed to come from funds available under the
12	supplemental education grant (SEG). The sum appropriated by this
13	section shall be apportioned as follows:
14	(1) Office of the President.
15	\$585,866 or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the
16	operations of the Office of the President during the
17	fiscal year 2009. The sum appropriated herein shall be
18	apportioned as follows:
19	Personnel\$ 260,016
20	Travel 115,250
21	Contractual Services
22	OCE 68,100
23	Fixed Assets 5,500
24	(2) <u>Department of Foreign Affairs</u> .
25	\$3,515,314 or so much thereof as may be necessary, for

1	the operations of the Department of Foreign Affairs
2	during the fiscal year 2009. The sum appropriated
3	herein shall be apportioned as follows:
4	Personnel\$ 1,315,059
5	Travel
6	Contractual Services
7	OCE 327,400
8	Fixed Assets
9	(3) Department of Finance and Administration.
10	\$1,686,615 or so much thereof as may be necessary, for
11	the operations of the Department of Finance and
12	Administration during the fiscal year 2009. The sum
13	appropriated herein shall be apportioned as follows:
14	Personnel\$ 1,162,860
15	Travel 154,669
16	Contractual Services 140,748
17	OCE
18	Fixed Assets
19	(4) <u>Department of Resources and Development</u> .
20	\$633,970 or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the
21	operations of the Department of Resources and
22	Development during the fiscal year 2009. The sum
23	appropriated herein shall be apportioned as follows:
24	Personnel\$ 459,360
25	Travel\$ 66,252

1	Contractual Services 275
2	OCE 101,083
3	Fixed Assets 7,000
4	(5) Department of Transportation, Communication and
5	<u>Infrastructure</u> .
6	\$1,771,347 or so much thereof as may be necessary, for
7	the operations of the Department of Transportation,
8	Communications and Infrastructure during the fiscal year
9	2009. The sum appropriated herein shall be apportioned
10	as follows:
11	Personnel\$ 446,963
12	Travel 108,097
13	Contractual Services
14	OCE
15	Fixed Assets
16	(6) Department of Health and Social Affairs.
17	\$990,750 or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the
18	operations of the Department of Health and Social
19	Affairs during the fiscal year 2009. Of the total funds
20	appropriated herein, \$789,832 shall be deemed to come
21	from funds available under the amended Compact from the
22	health sector. The sum appropriated herein shall be
23	apportioned as follows:
24	Personnel\$ 426,496
25	Travel\$ 127,749

1	Contractual Services 294,085
2	OCE
3	Fixed Assets0-
4	(7) <u>Department of Education</u> .
5	\$441,511 or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the
6	operations of the Department of Education during the
7	fiscal year 2009. Of the total funds appropriated
8	herein, \$349,567 shall be deemed to come from the funds
9	available under the amended Compact from the education
10	sector, and $\$-0-$ from supplemental education grant
11	(SEG). The sum appropriated herein shall be apportioned
12	as follows:
13	Personnel\$ 179,954
14	Travel 50,404
15	Contractual Services
16	OCE 45,952
17	Fixed Assets0-
18	(8) <u>Department of Justice</u> .
19	\$3,094,001 or so much thereof as may be necessary, for
20	the operations of the Department of Justice during the
21	fiscal year 2009. The sum appropriated herein shall be
22	apportioned as follows:
23	Personnel\$ 1,897,832
24	Travel 102,285
25	Contractual Services\$ 166,664

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1	OCE 907,720
2	Fixed Assets
3	(9) Office of the Public Defender.
4	\$718,787 or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the
5	operations of the Office of the Public Defender during
6	the fiscal year 2009. The sum appropriated herein shall
7	be apportioned as follows:
8	Personnel\$ 490,737
9	Travel 98,000
10	Contractual Services 83,150
11	OCE 46,900
12	Fixed Assets0-
13	(10) Office of Statistics, Budget, Overseas Development
14	Assistance and Compact Management.
15	\$1,013,730 or so much thereof as may be necessary, for
16	the operations of the Office of Statistics, Budget,
17	Official Development Assistance and Compact Management
18	during the fiscal year 2009. The sum appropriated
19	herein shall be apportioned as follows:
20	Personnel\$ 568,912
21	Travel 105,259
22	Contractual Services 202,000
23	OCE
24	Fixed Assets
25	(11) Office of Environment and Emergency Management.

1	\$167,301 or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the
2	operations of the Office of Environment and Emergency
3	Management during the fiscal year 2009. The sum
4	appropriated herein shall be apportioned as follows:
5	Personnel\$ 117,225
6	Travel 30,000
7	Contractual Services0-
8	OCE 17,076
9	Fixed Assets 3,000
10	(12) Office of National Archives, Culture and Historic
11	<u>Preservation</u>
12	\$133,685 or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the
13	operations of the Office of National Archives, Culture
14	and Historic Preservation during the fiscal year 2009.
15	The sum appropriated herein shall be apportioned as
16	follows:
17	Personnel\$ 100,190
18	Travel 15,000
19	Contractual Services 5,000
20	OCE 12,000
21	Fixed Assets
22	Section 3. Operating Expenses of the Legislative Branch.
23	The sum of \$3,073,003 or so much thereof as may be necessary, is
24	hereby appropriated from the General Fund of the Federated States
25	of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2009, for

1	the operations of the Legislative Branch of the National
2	Government during fiscal year 2009. The sum appropriated by this
3	section shall be apportioned as follows:
4	(1) <u>Speaker and Members</u> .
5	\$1,412,771 or so much thereof as may be necessary, for
6	the operations of the Office of the Speaker and Members
7	of the Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia
8	during fiscal year 2009. The sum appropriated herein
9	shall be apportioned as follows:
10	Personnel\$ 415,290
11	Travel 489,881
12	Contractual Services 507,600
13	OCE0-
14	(2) <u>Staff Offices</u> .
15	\$1,170,232 or so much thereof as may be necessary, for
16	the operations of the Congress staff offices during
17	fiscal year 2009. The sum appropriated herein shall be
18	apportioned as follows:
19	Personnel\$ 764,480
20	Travel 128,252
21	Contractual Services
22	OCE
23	Fixed Assets
24	(3) Congress Delegation Offices.
25	\$490,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for

1	the operations of the Congress delegation offices during
2	fiscal year 2009, PROVIDED THAT of the sum appropriated
3	herein, up to \$20,000 per member may be used for
4	representation expenses. The sum appropriated is
5	apportioned as follows:
6	(i) Kosrae Delegation Office\$ 70,000
7	(ii) Pohnpei Delegation Office . 140,000
8	(iii) Chuuk Delegation Office 210,000
9	(iv) Yap Delegation Office 70,000
10	Section 4. Operating Expenses of the National Judicial
11	Branch. The sum of \$1,185,708 or so much thereof as may be
12	necessary, is hereby appropriated from the General Fund of the
13	Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending
14	September 30, 2009, for the operations of the Judicial Branch of
15	the National Government during the fiscal year 2009. The sum
16	appropriated by this section shall be apportioned as follows:
17	Personnel\$ 724,639
18	Travel 125,463
19	Contractual Services
20	OCE 175,306
21	Fixed Assets
22	Section 5. Operating Expenses of the National Public
23	Auditor. The sum of \$845,315 or so much thereof as may be
24	necessary, is hereby appropriated from the General Fund of the
25	Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending

1	September 30, 2009, for the operations of the National Office of
2	the Public Auditor during the fiscal year 2009 and for the first
3	quarter of the year for the National Public Auditor's Chuuk
4	Office. The sum appropriated by this section shall be apportioned
5	as follows:
6	Personnel\$ 448,543
7	Travel 167,027
8	Contractual Services
9	OCE 59,720
10	Fixed Assets 7,675
11	Section 6. Operating Expenses of Agencies of the National
12	Government. The sum of \$1,421,095 or so much thereof as may be
13	necessary, is hereby appropriated from the General Fund of the
14	Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending
15	September 30, 2009, for the operations of the following boards,
16	commissions and agencies during the fiscal year 2009. The sum
17	appropriated by this section shall be apportioned as follows:
18	(1) National Oceanic Resource Management
19	<u>Authority (NORMA)</u> .
20	\$367,407 or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the
21	operations of NORMA for the fiscal year 2009. The sum
22	appropriated herein shall be apportioned as follows:
23	Personnel\$ 193,207
24	Travel 60,000
25	Contractual Service \$ 73,700

1	OCE 40,500
2	Fixed Assets0-
3	(2) Board of Regents (COM-FSM).
4	\$65,000 or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the
5	operations of the Board of Regents, COM-FSM during the
6	fiscal year 2009. The sum appropriated herein shall be
7	apportioned as follows:
8	Personnel\$ -0-
9	Travel 46,000
10	Contractual Services
11	OCE 9,000
12	Fixed Assets0-
13	(3) Coconut Development Authority (CDA).
14	\$92,765 or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the
15	operations of the Coconut Development Authority during
16	the fiscal year 2009. The sum appropriated herein shall
17	be apportioned as follows:
18	Personnel\$ 70,043
19	Travel 12,722
20	Contractual Services0-
21	OCE 10,000
22	Fixed Assets0-
23	(4) FSM Banking Board.
24	\$237,907 or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the
25	operations of the FSM Banking Board for the fiscal year

1	2009. The sum appropriated herein shall be apportioned
2	as follows:
3	Personnel\$ 99,313
4	Travel 48,484
5	Contractual Services
6	OCE 22,010
7	Fixed Assets0-
8	(5) <u>FSM Postal Services</u> .
9	\$658,016 or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the
10	operations of the National Postal Services during the
11	fiscal year 2009. The sum appropriated herein shall be
12	apportioned as follows:
13	Personnel\$ 409,041
14	Travel 36,623
15	Contractual Services
16	OCE 85,400
17	Fixed Assets0-
18	(6) <u>National Fisheries Corporation (NFC)</u> .
19	NFC operations subsidy0-
20	Air freight subsidy0-
21	Section 7. Special Programs. The sum of \$387,629 or so much
22	thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the
23	General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal
24	year ending September 30, 2009, for the following special programs
25	during fiscal year 2009. The sum appropriated by this section

1	shall be apportioned as follows:
2	(1) FSM Aquaculture Center.
3	\$83,136 or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the
4	operations of the FSM Aquaculture Center during the
5	fiscal year 2009. The sum appropriated herein shall be
6	apportioned as follows:
7	Personnel\$ 38,617
8	Travel
9	Contractual Services
10	OCE 22,389
11	Fixed Assets0-
12	(2) <u>National Election Commissioner</u> .
13	\$304,493 or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the
14	operations of the National Election Commissioner's
15	Office during the fiscal year 2009. The sum
16	appropriated herein shall be apportioned as follows:
17	Personnel\$ 179,850
18	Travel
19	Contractual Services 28,000
20	OCE 84,650
21	Fixed Assets0-
22	Section 8. Grants, Subsidies and Contributions. The sum of
23	\$4,723,947 or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby
24	appropriated from the General Fund of the Federated States of
25	Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2009, for the

1	following grants, subsidies and contributions during fiscal	year
2	2009. Of the total amount of funds appropriated herein, \$1	00,000
3	shall be deemed to come from funds available under the amen	.ded
4	Compact from the capacity building sector. The sum appropr	iated
5	by this section shall be apportioned as follows:	
6	(1) Office of the President.	
7	(a) Asia-Pacific Broadcasting Dev.	
8	(AIBD)\$	4,500
9	(b) Asia-Pacific Broadcasting Union	
10	(ABU)	800
11	(c) Pacific Island News Assn.	
12	(PINA)	350
13	(2) <u>Department of Foreign Affairs</u> .	
14	(a) Pacific Islands Forum Secretariat	46,000
15	(b) Secretariat of the Pacific	
16	Community (SPC)	56,000
17	(c) UN Membership fees (UN)	60,000
18	(d) UN Economic and Social Commission	
19	for Asia and the Pacific (ESCAP)	5,000
20	(e) East-West Center	5,000
21	(f) Cotonou Membership	10,000
22	(3) Department of Finance and Administration.	
23	(a) CTAOCO Membership Fee	4,000
24	(b) Maintenance fee for Financial	
25	Management Information System\$	30,000

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1	(c) FSM Group Life Insurance	43,000
2	(4) <u>Department of Resources and Development</u> .	
3	(a) Pacific Islands Development	
4	Program	15,000
5	(b) Forum Fisheries	
6	Agency (FFA)	33 , 227
7	(c) UN Development Program	3,000
8	(d) Coordinating Committee for Offshore	
9	Minerals Prospecting (SOPAC)	15,000
10	(e) Pacific Asia Travel Association.	5,000
11	(f) Western Forestry Leadership	
12	Coalition	500
13	(g) Food Agriculture Organization	
14	(FAO)	4,700
15	(h) National Association of State	
16	Foresters	500
17	(i) FAO/TCP Matching	34,508
18	(j) Matching for SPC Projects	60,000
19	(k) Quarantine Services Improvement	
20	Project	50,000
21	(5) Department of Health and Social Affairs.	
22	(a) UN Fund for Population	
23	Activity (UNFPA)	3,000
24	(b) World Health Organization (WHO) .	4,000
25	(c) National Board of Nursing\$	10,000

1	(d) Pacific Islands Health	
2	Officers Association	20,000
3	(e) FSM Amateur Sports Association	20,000
4	(f) Association of Territorial	
5	Health Organization	2,000
6	(g) FSM Red Cross	70,000
7	(6) <u>Department of Education.</u>	
8	(a) Aid to Non-Public Schools	450,000
9	(b) Financial Assistance to FSM	
10	Students attending College of Marshalls	
11	and Palau Community College	50,000
12	(c) National Scholarship	350,000
13	(d) National Close-Up local	64,000
14	(e) College of Micronesia Board	
15	(COM) Annual Meeting	5,000
16	(7) <u>Department of Transportation</u> ,	
17	Communications and Infrastructure.	
18	(a) Asia-Pacific Telecommunity	
19	(APT)	7,640
20	(b) International Telecommunications	
21	Union (ITU)	55,000
22	(c) International Civil Aviation	
23	Organization	28,050
24	(d) FSM Capital Energy/Utilities	400,000
25	(8) Office of S.B.O.C	

1	(a) Economic Reporting & Statistics	
2	(Compact Public Sector Capacity Building\$	100,000
3	(9) Office of E.E.M	
4	(a) 2 nd National Environmental	
5	Conference13,558	
6	(b) UNEP	600
7	(c) 6 th National Environmental	
8	Speech Contest	15,000
9	(d) SPREP Convention (Annual	
10	Membership)	671
11	(e) Waigani Convention (Annual Fee) .	55
12	(f) UN Con. to Combat Desertific	120
13	(g) UN Framework Convention (UNFCC) .	250
14	(h) SPREP (Annual Membership fee)	10,184
15	(10) Office of National Archives,	
16	Culture & Historic Preservation.	
17	(a) UNESCO	4,000
18	(b) NCSHPO	2,760
19	(c) PARBICA	100
20	(d) PIALA	100
21	(e) WHC Membership fee	54
22	(11) Coconut Development Authority (CDA).	
23	(a) Copra Subsidy	100,000
24	(b) Asia Pacific Coconut	
25	Community (APCC)\$	15,500

1	(12) <u>Department of Justice</u> .	
2	(a) Kosrae State Joint Law Enforcement	25,000
3	(b) Pohnpei State Joint Law Enforcement	50,000
4	(c) Chuuk State Joint Law Enforcement,	
5	PROVIDED THAT of the funds appropriated	
6	herein, \$35,000 shall be for the use of the	
7	Chuuk State Police and \$15,000 shall be for	
8	the use of the Chuuk State Attorney General's	
9	Office	50,000
10	(d) Yap State Joint Law Enforcement.	25,000
11	(13) Other Grants, Subsidies and Contributions.	
12	(a) Kosrae Judiciary subsidy	30,000
13	(b) Pohnpei Judiciary subsidy	45,000
14	(c) Chuuk Judiciary subsidy	45,000
15	(d) Yap Judiciary subsidy	30,000
16	(e) COM Treaty Obligations	25,000
17	(f) Micronesian Legal Services	
18	Corporation	100,000
19	(g) Former Presidents' Allowance	50,000
20	(h) Tuna Commission Membership	49,629
21	(i) Disaster Assistance Emergency	
22	Fund (DAEF) Matching	200,000
23	(j) National Maritime boundary	
24	Delineation	160,804
25	(k) MiCare (10% Premium Increase and to	

1	pay debt to providers and seek reimbursement
2	by patients)\$ 100,000
3	(1) MLFC Loan Payment0-
4	(m) FY 08 Single Audit 329,250
5	(n) Compact Review Committee 75,000
6	(O) Funding for salary increase
7	pursuant to law, PROVIDED THAT notwithstanding
8	the prohibition on reprogramming contained in
9	section 11, this amount may be reprogrammed by
10	the allottee to the personnel budget line item
11	of each branch, department, office, board,
12	commission, authority or program where the 551
13	eligible employees may be, and PROVIDED
14	FURTHER THAT the allottee shall report to
15	Congress, not later than 30 November 2008 the
16	breakdown of how these funds have been
17	reprogrammed 546,537
18	(p) FSM Social Security 500,000
19	Section 9. <u>Capital and Human Resources Development</u> . The sum
20	of \$6,932,215 or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby
21	appropriated from the General Fund of the Federated States of
22	Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2009, for the
23	following capital improvements, development programs, and
24	projects and human resources development. Of the total amount of
25	funds appropriated herein, \$3,800,000 shall be deemed to come

2	sector and $\$-0-$ shall be deemed to come from the amended Compact
3	from the infrastructure sector. The sum appropriated by this
4	section shall be apportioned as follows:
5	(1) <u>College of Micronesia-FSM</u> .
6	\$4,455,110 or so much thereof as may be necessary, for
7	the operations, programs and projects of the College
8	during fiscal year 2009. Of the total amount of funds
9	appropriated herein, \$3,800,000 shall be deemed to come
10	from funds available under the amended Compact education
11	sector and $\$-0-$ shall be deemed to come from the amended
12	Compact infrastructure sector. The sum appropriated
13	herein shall be apportioned as follows:
14	(a) COM-FSM operations, PROVIDED THAT all funds
15	appropriated herein shall be deemed to come from funds
16	available under the amended Compact from the
17	Education Sector\$ 3,800,000
18	(b) Fisheries and Maritime Institute 655,110
19	(c) COM-FSM State Campus Facility
20	Improvement, PROVIDED THAT the sum
21	appropriated herein shall be deemed to come
22	from funds available under the amended Compact
23	for Infrastructure Development Sector0-
24	(2) <u>Department of Finance and Administration</u> .
25	(a) National Staff Upgrading\$ \$50,000

1 from funds available under the amended Compact from the education

1	(b) Tax Reform	128,000
2	(c) Staff housing	591,000
3	(d) Recruitment & Repatriation	86,411
4	(3) <u>Infrastructure Maintenance Fund (IMF)</u> .	
5	(a) IMF, PROVIDED THAT of the amount appro	opriated
6	herein, \$-0- shall be	
7	deemed to come from the amended Compact	
8	infrastructure sector	121,694
9	(4) <u>President's Office.</u>	
10	(a) FSM Trust Fund 1	,500,000
11	Section 10. <u>Employment Ceilings</u> . The maximum number	of
12	positions for each branch and agency of the National	
13	Government of the Federated States of Micronesia for fiscal	L
14	year 2009 shall be as follows:	
15	(1) Executive Branch	461
16	(2) Legislative Branch	59
17	(3) Judiciary Branch	31
18	(4) Public Auditor	25
19	(5) Agencies	
20	(a) National Oceanic Resource	
21	Management Authority	11
22	(b) Coconut Development Authority	4
23	(c) FSM Postal Services	38
24	(d) FSM Banking Board	5
25	(6) Special Programs	

1	(a) FSM Aquaculture Center 4
2	(b) Office of the Nat'l Election Director 11
3	Section 11. Reprogramming. Reprogramming of funds into or
4	from the personnel budget line items shall not be permitted. The
5	President, Speaker and Chief Justice may reprogram up to 10% to or
6	from the funds appropriated in sections 2 (Operating expenses of
7	the Executive Branch), 3 (Operating expenses of the Legislative
8	Branch), and 4 (Operating expenses of the National Judicial Branch)
9	respectively. Reprogramming of funds within a department, office
10	or agency shall be effected by the head of such department, office
11	or agency by specifying in writing to the Secretary of Finance and
12	Administration, FSM National Government, the accounts for which
13	funding is either increased or decreased. The President shall
14	report to Congress within one month of the last day of each
15	financial quarter all amounts reprogrammed inter or intra a
16	department, office or agency.
17	Section 12. <u>Allotment and management of funds and lapse</u>
18	date.
19	(1) <u>General Provisions</u> .
20	(a) All funds appropriated by this act shall be
21	allotted, managed, administered and accounted for in
22	accordance with applicable law, including, but not
23	limited to, the Financial Management Act of 1979 and the
24	amended Compact of Free Association between the United
25	States Government and the Government of the Federated

1	States of Micronesia and its related agreements.
2	(b) The allottees shall be responsible for
3	ensuring that these funds, or so much thereof as may be
4	necessary, are used solely for the purpose specified in
5	this act, and that no obligations are incurred in excess
6	of the sum appropriated.
7	(2) Allottees. The allottee of the funds appropriated
8	by this act are as follows:
9	(a) Section 2 - the allottee of these funds shall
10	be the President of the Federated States of Micronesia;
11	(b) Section 3 - the allottee of these funds shall
12	be the Speaker of the Congress of the Federated States
13	of Micronesia;
14	(c) Section 4 - the allottee of these funds shall
15	be the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the
16	Federated States of Micronesia;
17	(d) Section 5 - the allottee of these funds shall
18	be the Public Auditor of the Federated States of
19	Micronesia;
20	(e) Sections 6 through 9 - the allottee of these
21	funds shall be the President of the Federated States of
22	Micronesia, EXCEPT THAT for the following subsections of
23	sections 8 through 9 of this act:
24	(i) Section 8 subsection (13)(a) through (d)
25	- the allottee of these funds shall be the Chief Justice

1	of the respective state,
2	(ii) section 9(1)(a) through (c) - the
3	allottee of these funds shall be the President of the
4	College of Micronesia-FSM.
5	<u>Lapse Date</u> . The authority of the allottee to obligate
6	funds appropriated by this act shall lapse as of
7	September 30, 2009, EXCEPT the funds appropriated under
8	section 9 of this act shall not lapse.
9	Section 13. The authority of the allottees to expend funds
10	appropriated in the fiscal year ending September 30, 2008, in
11	Public Law No. 15-11, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 15-18, 15-26
12	15-33 and 15-43 (the FY08 Budget) from supplementary education
13	grant (SEG) shall lapse as of September 30, 2009.
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24	Section 14. This act shall become law upon approval by the
25	President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its

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11						(for) /s/ Alik L. Alik
12						Manny Mori President
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