April 28, 2008

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

Re: Congressional Act No. 15-40

Dear Speaker Figir:

I have designated the following Congressional Act as Public Law No. 15-35.

Congressional Act No. 15-40, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 15-25 BY AMENDING SECTION 1 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Sincerely,

Manny Mori
President

Enclosures:

XC: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court
Secretary, Department of Justice
Legislative Counsel, CFSM
Library, CFSM
Director, SBOC
PIO, FSM
April 08, 2008

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. 15-40, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 15-25 BY AMENDING SECTION 1 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.", which was passed by the Fifteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fourth Special 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
An Act

TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 15-25 BY AMENDING SECTION 1 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY: SENATOR TIWITER ARITOS
DATE: MARCH 28, 2008

REFERRED TO:WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE
WITHDRAWN – APRIL 2, 2008

FIRST READING: APRIL 2, 2008
SECOND READING: APRIL 3, 2008

Liwiana K. Ramon
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress
PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 15-185
FSM CONGRESS

ACT NO. 15-40

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 15-114, C.D.1)

We hereby certify that on April 3 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Fifteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fourth Special 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.

Isaac V. Figer
Speaker
Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia

Liwiana K. Ramon
Chief Clerk
Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia
AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 15-25 by amending Section 1 thereof, to change the use of certain funds previously appropriated therein, 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. 15-25, is hereby amended to read as follows:

   "Section 1. The sum of $366,255 realized from the 20% restricted funds previously allocated for Health and Education in Chuuk State and now lapsed into the general fund, is hereby appropriated from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2008 for the purpose of funding Public Projects in Chuuk State, and shall be apportioned as follow:

   (1) Chuuk Public Utility Corporation .... $ 150,000
   (2) Chuuk State Health Care Plan ........... 123,875
   (3) Health and Education related projects and programs ...................... 92,380
   (a) Office Rental ..................... 20,000
   (b) Road Pavement ..................... 22,000
   (c) Medicine and medical supplies for Chuuk ......................... 9,000
   (d) Chuuk Nursing Association ...... 6,000
(e) School furniture & supplies.... $ 10,000
(f) POL & Freight cost................. 10,000
(g) Students’ land transportation... 15,380

Section 2. Allotment and management of funds and lapse date.

All funds appropriated by this act shall be allotted, managed,
administered and accounted for in accordance with applicable laws,
including, but not limited to, the Financial Management Act of
1979. The allottee shall be responsible for ensuring that these
funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are used solely for
the purpose specified in this act, and that no obligations are
incurred in excess of the sum appropriated. The allottee of the
funds appropriated under subsections 1 and 2 of Section 1 of this
act shall be the President of the Federated States of Micronesia.
The allottee of the funds appropriated under subsection 3 of
Section 1 of this act shall be the Chuuk State Commission
Improvement Project. The authority of the allottee to obligate
funds appropriated by this act shall lapse on September 30, 2008.”
Section 3. This act shall become law upon approval by the President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its becoming law without such approval.

04, 26, 2008

Manny Mori
President
Federated States of Micronesia