April 18, 2011

The Honorable Isaac V. Figir  
Speaker  
16th FSM Congress  
Palikir, Pohnpei, FM 96941

Dear Speaker Figir:

I am pleased to inform the Sixteenth Congress that I have signed to become Public Law No. 16-69 the enclosed Congressional Act No. 16-76, entitled,

"AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF $180,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2011, TO BE CHANNELED THROUGH THE MICRONESIA RED CROSS, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONTRIBUTING TO THE INTERNATIONAL RELIEF EFFORT FOR THE RECENT DISASTERS IN JAPAN, AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Vice President and I thank you and all the members of Congress for an act of benevolence by extending financing assistance to FSM's partners during unexpected catastrophe.

With warm personal regards, I remain,

Sincerely,

[Signature]

Manny Mori  
President

xc:  Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court  
Secretary, Department of Justice  
Director, Office of SBOC  
Legislative Counsel, CFSM  
Library, CFSM  
PIO, FSM
An Act

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INTRODUCED BY SENATORS: ISAAC V. FIGIR, ROGER S. MORI, PETER SITAN AND PALIKNOA K. WELLY

DATE: MARCH 21, 2011

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEES ON EXTERNAL AFFAIRS AND WAYS AND MEANS
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Liwiana Ramon Ioanis
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress
April 05, 2011

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

Dear President Mori:

I have the honor to transmit herewith Congressional Act No. 16-76, "AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF $180,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2011, TO BE CHANNELED THROUGH THE MICRONESIA RED CROSS, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONTRIBUTING TO THE INTERNATIONAL RELIEF EFFORT FOR THE RECENT DISASTERS IN JAPAN, AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.", which was passed by the Sixteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Sixth Special Session, 2011, by a two-thirds vote of all the State delegations as required and as duly certified.

Sincerely yours,

Liwiana Ramon Ioanis  
Chief Clerk, Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia

Enclosures
ACT NO. 16-76

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 16-181, C.D.1)

We hereby certify that on March 29 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Sixteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Sixth Special Session, 2011, 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. Figir
Speaker
Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia

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

To appropriate the sum of $180,000 from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2011, to be channeled through the Micronesia Red Cross, for the purpose of contributing to the international relief effort for the recent disasters in Japan, Australia and New Zealand, and for other purposes.

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

1. Section 1. Appropriation. The sum of $180,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2011, for the purpose of contributing to the international relief effort for the recent disasters in Japan, Australia and New Zealand. Of that sum, $100,000 shall be allocated to Japan, and $80,000 shall be for Australia and New Zealand. These funds shall be channeled through the Micronesia Red Cross.

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

(1) All funds appropriated by this act shall be allotted, managed, administered, and accounted for in accordance with applicable law, including, but not limited to, the Financial Management Act of 1979. The allottee of the funds appropriated by this act shall be the President of the Federated States of Micronesia, or his designee. 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.

(2) The authority of the allottee to obligate funds appropriated by this act shall lapse as of December 31, 2011.

Section 3. Effective date. This act shall become law upon approval by the President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its becoming law without such approval.

April 18, 2011

Manny Mori
President
Federated States of Micronesia