April 26, 2011

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

Dear Speaker Figir,

I am pleased to inform you that I have designated the following Congressional Act as Public Law No. 16-76:

Congressional Act No. 16-75 “AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 16-49, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAW NO. 16-68, BY AMENDING THE TITLE AND SECTIONS 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 THEREOF, TO MODIFY THE USE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PERVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN THE STATES OF Pohnpei AND Chuuk, AND TO OFFER TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS THERETO, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

I thank Congress for making the relevant amendments and necessary technical changes to specify the individual public projects and social programs that are to receive funds under this law. The appropriate changes along with the technical amendments in this act make the implementation process more practical and transparent on our part.

I trust that these proposed public projects and social programs will continue to render positive results for the betterment of our people and development of our respective communities to meet the expectations and challenges ahead.

With warm personal regards, I remain,

Sincerely,

Manny Mori
President

Enclosures:

xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court
Secretary, Department of Justice
Director, Office of SBOC
Legislative Counsel, CFMS
Library, CFMS
PIO, FSM
April 01, 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. 16-75, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 16-49, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAW NO. 16-68, BY AMENDING THE TITLE AND SECTIONS 1, 2, 3, 4 AND 5 THEREOF, TO MODIFY THE USE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN THE STATES OF Pohnpei AND Chuuk, AND TO OFFER TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS THERETO, 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
An Act

TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 16-49, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAW NO. 16-68, BY AMENDING THE TITLE AND SECTIONS 1, 2, 3, 4 AND 5 THEREOF, TO MODIFY THE USE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN THE STATES OF Pohnpei and Chuuk, AND TO OFFER TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS THERETO, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY: SENATOR PETER S. SITAN
DATE: MARCH 18, 2011

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS
WITHDRAWN – MARCH 28, 2011
FIRST READING: MARCH 28, 2011
SECOND READING: MARCH 29, 2011

Liwiana Ramon Ioannis
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress
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 Ioanis  
Chief Clerk  
Congress of the  
Federated States of Micronesia
AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 16-49, as amended by Public Law No. 16-68, by amending the title and sections 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 thereof, to modify the use of certain funds previously appropriated to fund public projects and social programs in the States of Pohnpei and Chuuk, and to offer technical amendments thereto, and for other purposes.

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

Section 1. The title of Public Law No. 16-49 as amended by Public Law No. 16-68, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

"To appropriate the sum of $2,215,000 from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2011, for the purpose of funding public projects and social programs in the four States of the Federated States of Micronesia, and for other purposes."

Section 2. Section 1 of Public Law No. 16-49, as amended by Public Law No. 16-68, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

"Section 1. The sum of $2,215,000, 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 funding public projects and
social programs in the four States of the Federated
States of Micronesia."

Section 3. Section 2 of Public Law No. 16-49, as amended
by Public Law No. 16-68, is hereby further amended to read as
follows:

"Section 2. Of the sum of $2,215,000 appropriated by
this act, $205,000 is apportioned for Kosrae State
for public projects and social programs.

(1) State of Kosrae ..................... $ 205,000

(a) BA Program ..................... 40,000
(b) We Care Referral Program ....... 20,000
(c) Kosrae High School Lunch Program 20,000
(d) Kosrae Women's Associations .... 5,000
(e) Fomseng Farm Road improvement .. 10,000
(f) Kosrae Special Parent Network .. 5,000
(g) Utwe-Walung Marine Park ........ 5,000
(h) Yelum Ditch Project ............. 10,000
(i) Municipal Governments subsidy .. 40,000
(j) Pilyuul Farm Road Improvement .. 5,000
(k) Kosrae Visitor's Bureau Travel/
Promotions ............................. 20,000

(l) Kosrae Land Grant Youth

Programs/Activities ..................... 5,000

(m) Lunch Program vehicle purchase . 20,000"
1 by Public Law No. 16-68, is hereby further amended to read as
2 follows:
3 "Section 3. Of the sum of $2,215,000 appropriated by
4 this act, $320,000 is apportioned for Yap State for
5 public projects and social programs.
6 (1) State of Yap ......................... $ 320,000
7 (a) Fanif Municipality recreation park 60,000
8 (b) Dulkan power extension and
9 recreation park ......................... 60,000
10 (c) Paliyawe community center repair 10,000
11 (d) Gilman Recreation/Basketball Court 50,000
12 (e) Nimar, Weloy Community Project . 10,000
13 (f) Woleai airport runway clearing/
14 repair .................................. 40,000
15 (g) Matching fund for Yap Chamber
16 of Commerce; PROVIDED THAT the Yap Chamber of
17 Commerce matching can be in the form
18 of cash or in kind ....................... 30,000
19 (h) Tegailap Island community center
20 renovation/repair ....................... 10,000
21 (i) Power, water and sewer extension for
22 Faraulap and Piig community on Yap Island . 50,000"
23 Section 5. Section 4 of Public Law No. 16-49, as amended
24 by Public Law No. 16-68, is hereby further amended to read as
25 follows:
"Section 4. Of the sum of $2,215,000 appropriated by this act, $610,000 is apportioned for Pohnpei State for public projects and social programs.

State of Pohnpei ............................. $ 610,000

(1) Pohnpei at Large ...................... 180,000

(a) Pohnpei Sports (purchase of sports equipment and supplies) ............... 20,000

(b) Circumferential road improvement (labor, equipment, material) ............ 50,000

(c) Sawmill (acquisition, transportation, training and operations) ............. 50,000

(d) Legislative Leadership Conference (travel, conference hosting, representation) 7,000

(e) Aid Kaselehlie Press (operation, distribution of products) .................. 10,000

(f) Crop Development Project ......... 20,000

(g) Pohnpei Judicial Conference hosting 3,000

(h) Enpein water system/road improvement ........................................ 10,000

(i) POL ................................. 10,000

(2) Election District No. 1 .............. 200,000

(a) Matching share for USDA Rural Development grant for purchase of Kolonia Town Police vehicles and related equipment 32,500

(b) Sapwuafik Municipal
1 Office renovations ....................... $ 10,000
2 (c) Election District No. 1 operation 50,000
3 (d) Nukuoro Municipal Office
4 Completion ..................................... 10,000
5 (e) Road maintenance/construction/
6 water extension ............................... 65,000
7 (f) Matching share for USDA Rural
8 Development grant for solar street lights . 22,500
9 (g) Kapinga Youth ......................... 10,000
10 (3) Election District No. 2. ............... 180,000
11 (a) Teacher aide/Library aide
12 (salary/retroactive pay) ..................... 5,000
13 (b) Cook (salary/retroactive pay) .. 2,000
14 (c) School fence matching ............... -0-
15 (d) Students' financial assistance . 18,100
16 (e) Civic centers ......................... 15,000
17 (f) Secondary roads improvement .... 75,000
18 (g) Madolenihmw High School Bus driver 4,000
19 (h) Water Delivery ....................... 20,000
20 (i) Madolenihmw Municipal
21 Government-Executive Branch subsidy ...... 15,000
22 (j) Micronesian Management Services 19,000
23 (k) Island Equipment Co./Hideout ... 6,900
24 (4) Election District No. 3 ............... 50,000
25 (a) Election District No. 3. Operation 50,000"
1 Section 6. Section 5 of Public Law No. 16-49, as amended
2 by Public Law No. 16-68, is hereby further amended to read as
3 follows:

"Section 5. Of the sum of $2,215,000 appropriated by
4 this act, $1,080,000 is apportioned for Chuuk State for
5 public projects and social programs.
6
7 State of Chuuk ......................... $ 1,080,000
8
9 (1) Chuuk at Large ....................... 170,000
10 (a) Low Income Housing subsidy ...... 40,000
11 (b) Students/Youth Land Transportation 25,000
12 (c) Fishing Project ...................... 25,000
13 (d) Community Centers Improvement .. 27,000
14 (e) Youth activities and programs .. 12,000
15 (f) Entrepreneurship subsidy ......... 10,000
16 (g) Seawalls, secondary roads,
17 docks and channel dredging and improvement 15,000
18 (h) Multipurpose building improvement
19 and renovation .......................... 5,000
20 (i) Guam/Hawaii Chuukese Associations
21 contributions ............................. 6,000
22 (j) Students financial assistance .. 5,000
23 (2) Election District No. 1 ............. 190,000
24 (a) Community Centers Improvement .. 39,000
25 (b) Students financial
26 assistance/incentives ................... 10,000
(c) Petroleum Oil Lubricant (POL) $ 20,000
(d) Students land transportation ... 20,000
(e) Women's activities and projects 6,000
(f) Water tanks project ............. 5,000
(g) Food relief assistance ............ 15,000
(h) Transportation needs (State, municipal and traditional leaders) ........... 11,000
(i) Associations support and subsidies 5,000
(j) Municipal subsidies, PROVIDED THAT the funding shall not be used for travel:
   (i) Nema ........................ $ 5,000
   (ii) Losap ......................... 4,000
   (iii) Pisemwar .................... 4,000
   (iv) Namoluk ...................... 4,000
   (v) Ettal ........................ 4,000
   (vi) Moch ........................ 5,000
   (vii) Kuttu ....................... 4,500
   (viii) Ta .......................... 4,000
   (ix) Satowan ...................... 5,000
   (x) Oneop ......................... 4,500
   (xi) Lekinioch .................... 5,000
   (k) Municipal inauguration subsidies 5,000
   (l) Mortlocks Centennial activities . 5,000
(3) Election District No. 2 .......... 185,000
(a) Rural/Secondary Roads Development
and Improvement .................................. $ 80,000
(b) Northern Namoneas Social and
Economic Development Authority Project
Administration ...................................... 38,000
(c) Northern Namoneas Leadership
Conference ......................................... 7,000
(d) Students/Youth Land Transportation 25,000
(e) Municipal Governments subsidies 20,000
(f) Youth Community Development
Activities ........................................... 10,000
(g) Dock Rehabilitation Projects ... 5,000
(4) Election District No. 3 ............... 175,000
(a) Fishing Projects ......................... 30,000
(b) Housing and Community Halls .... 55,000
(c) Land Transportation ...................... 20,000
(d) Public Facilities Improvement .. 20,000
(e) Municipal Governments subsidies 20,000
(f) Entrepreneurship subsidies ..... 10,000
(g) Non-governmental Organizations and
Associations contributions ..................... 10,000
(h) Southern Namoneas Leadership
Conference ............................................. 10,000
(5) Election District No. 4 ............... 155,000
(a) Fishing Projects ......................... 35,000
(b) Low Income Housing subsidy ..... 30,000
(c) Students Land Transportation .. $ 20,000
(d) Solar System Project ............ 10,000
(e) Water Conservation Project .... 10,000
(f) Peewchu Association ............... 10,000
(g) Sewing Projects .................. 10,000
(h) Youth activities and programs .. 10,000
(i) Students financial assistance .. 10,000
(j) Medical Referrals and repatriation of remains .................. 10,000

(6) Election District No. 5 .............. 180,000
(a) Fishing project .................... 33,000
(b) Coconut oil extraction machines 13,000
(c) Copra Project subsidy ............ 20,000
(d) Associations subsidies/contributions 19,000
(e) Students financial assistance .. 9,000
(f) Youth activities and programs .. 7,000
(g) Food relief assistance ............ 9,000
(h) Multipurpose building renovation 9,000
(i) Sewing projects .................... 5,000
(j) Land compensation ................ 20,000
(k) Charter & POL .................... 36,000

(7) Chuuk State Economic Summit ........ 25,000"
Section 7. 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 26, 2011

Manny Mori
President
Federated States of Micronesia