



The President
Palikir, Pohnpei
Federated States of Micronesia

February 12, 2013

The Honorable Isaac V. Figir
Speaker
17th FSM Congress
Palikir, Pohnpei, FM 96941



PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 17303
FSM CONGRESS

Dear Speaker Figir:

I am pleased to inform Congress that I signed Congressional Act No. 17-83 to become Public Law No. 17-75, pursuant to Article IX Section 22 of the FSM Constitution:

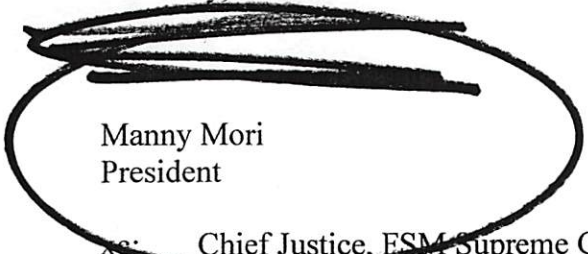
Congressional Act No. 17-83, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND TITLE 55 OF THE CODE OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA, AS AMENDED, BY REPEALING SECTION 801 IN ITS ENTIRETY, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

The Act finally takes cognizance of the Supreme Court ruling in *Udot Municipality vs. FSM*, 9 FSM Intrm. 418, 420 (Chk. 2000), which considered the existence of CSCIP suspect.

I applaud and thank Congress for taking action on this important piece of legislation. It is a necessary reform that aligns the implementation of projects with the court ruling, *Udot Municipality vs. FSM*.

With warm personal regards, I remain,

Sincerely,



Manny Mori
President

cc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court
Secretary, Department of Justice
Director, Office of SBOC
Legislative Counsel, CFSM
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PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 17-363
FSM CONGRESS

January 23, 2013



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. 17-83, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND TITLE 55 OF THE CODE OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA, AS AMENDED, BY REPEALING SECTION 801 IN ITS ENTIRETY, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.", which was passed by the Seventeenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Sixth Regular Session, 2013, by a two-thirds vote of all the State delegations as required and as duly certified.

Sincerely yours,

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

Enclosures

PUBLIC LAW No. 17-75



SEVENTEENTH CONGRESS OF THE
FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA
SIXTH REGULAR SESSION
JANUARY 7 – 26, 2013

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 17-363
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An Act

TO FURTHER AMEND TITLE 55 OF THE CODE OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF
MICRONESIA, AS AMENDED, BY REPEALING SECTION 801 IN ITS ENTIRETY, AND
FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY SENATORS: WESLEY W. SIMINA, TIWITER ARITOS,
FLORENCIO S. HARPER AND BONSIANO F. NETHON

DATE: JANUARY 16, 2013

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS
WITHDRAWN – JANUARY 21, 2013

FIRST READING: JANUARY 21, 2013

SECOND READING: JANUARY 22, 2013

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Liwiana Ramon Ioanis
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PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 17-363
FSM CONGRESS

ACT NO. 17-83

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 17-216)

We hereby certify that on January 22 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Seventeenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Sixth Regular Session, 2013, 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.

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

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Liwiana Ramon Ioanis
Chief Clerk
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SEVENTEENTH CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

SIXTH REGULAR SESSION, 2013

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 17-216

PUBLIC LAW No. 17-75

AN ACT

To further amend title 55 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia, as amended, by repealing section 801 in its entirety, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Purpose. To eliminate the Chuuk State Commission
2 on Improvement Projects ("CSCIP").

3 Section 2. Ninety (90) days after this act becomes law,
4 section 801 of title 55 of the Code of the Federated States of
5 Micronesia, as amended, is repealed in its entirety.

6 Section 3. Upon the elimination of the CSCIP, all assets of
7 CSCIP shall revert to the FSM National Government.

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1 Section 4. This act shall become law upon approval by the
2 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its
3 becoming law without such approval.

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Manny Mori
President
Federated States of Micronesia