EIGHTEENTH CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

SECOND SPECIAL SESSION, 2013

C.B. NO. 18-97

A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 12-50, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 12-53, 12-74, 13-1, 13-17, 14-65, 14-71, 14-94, 15-15, 15-50 and 17-24, by amending section 13 thereof, to change the use of funds previously appropriated therein, and for other purposes.

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

Section 1. Section 13 of Public Law No. 12-50, as amended
 by Public Laws Nos. 12-53, 12-74, 13-1, 13-17, 14-65, 14-71,
 14-94, 15-15, 15-50 and 17-24, is hereby further amended to
 read as follows:

"Section 13. Capital and Human Resource Development. 5 6 The sum of \$12,302,572, or so much thereof as may be 7 necessary, is hereby appropriated from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the 8 9 fiscal year ending September 30, 2003, for capital improvement, development programs and projects and 10 11 human resource development. The sum appropriated under this section shall be apportioned as follows: 12 (1) College of Micronesia - FSM 13

14 (a) Operations of the College of
15 Micronesia-FSM, including planning, construction
16 of new facilities and maintenance of the
17 newly completed multi-purpose gymnasium...\$ 3,220,000
18 (b) Student assistance for tuition

1	and housing to be deemed to come from section	
2	216(a)(3) of the Compact of Free Association	
3	PROVIDED that only students maintaining	
4	a passing grade point average will be eligible	
5	to receive these grants\$	475,000
6	(c) COM-FSM National Campus Standby	
7	Generator	- 0 -
8	(d) COM-FSM National Campus Well	
9	Drilling to be deemed to come from the capital	
10	Account funds available under section 211	
11	of the Compact of Free Association	30,000
12	(e) FSM Fisheries and Maritime	
13	Institute	700,000
14	(2) Post-Secondary Educational Assistance	
15	to be deemed to come from section 216(a)(3)	
16	of the Compact of Free Association	
17	(a) Kosrae State	283,411
18	(b) Pohnpei State	639,693
19	(c) Chuuk State	
20	(i) GPA-based Scholarships,	
21	PROVIDED THAT the Department of Finance and	
22	Administration of the Federated States of	
23	Micronesia office in Chuuk shall issue any	
24	funds directly to the respective	
25	scholarship recipient	140,000

1	(ii) Grants, PROVIDED THAT the	
2	Department of Finance and Administration	
3	of the Federated States of Micronesia office in	
4	Chuuk shall issue any funds directly to the	
5	respective scholarship grant recipient\$	773,886
6	(d) Yap State	
7	(i) Post-Secondary Educational	
8	assistance	262,210
9	(ii) Scholarships grants for	
10	Yapese students, with the following conditions:	
11	(1) only students maintaining a grade point	
12	average of 2.0 or higher shall be eligible to	
13	receive these grants; (2) taking into	
14	consideration all sources of assistance to	
15	the recipient, no grant funds in excess of	
16	the cost of tuition, room and board shall	
17	be provided to any student; and (3) no more	
18	than \$5,000 of these funds shall be given	
19	to any individual student	95,000
20	(e) Graduate Scholarship -	
21	All States	100,000
22	(3) National Staff Upgrading to be deemed	
23	to come from the capital account funds	
24	available under section 211 of the Compact of	
25	Free Association	50,000

1	(4) President's Office Expansion and	
2	Security\$	- 0 -
3	(5) FSM Visitors Bureau to be deemed to	
4	come from the capital account funds available	
5	under section 211 of the Compact of Free	
6	Association	378,000
7	(6) FSM Development Bank - Business	
8	Development Loan Program to be deemed to come	
9	from the capital account funds available	
10	under section 211 of the Compact of	
11	Free Association	1,000,000
12	(7) FSM Trust Fund - Account 'S', of which	
13	\$709,640 shall be deemed to come from capital	
14	account funds available under section 211,	
15	\$130,506 shall be deemed to come from funds	
16	available under section 214(b), \$1,094,573	
17	shall be deemed to come from funds available	
18	under section 215(a)(2), \$8,000 shall be	
19	deemed to come from funds available under	
20	section 215(b)(2) and \$346,462 shall be	
21	deemed to come from funds available under	
22	section 221(b) of the Compact of Free	
23	Association	3,000,000
24	(8) FSM Household Income and Expenditure	
25	Survey	- 0 -

1	(9) M.S. Caroline Voyager Dry-docking to	
2	be deemed to come from the capital account	
3	funds available under section 211 of the	
4	Compact of Free Association\$	510,000
5	(10) Tuna Commission Building	
6	Contractual Services and Official Residences	142,000
7	(11) EMPAT Phase III, \$64,000 of which	
8	shall be deemed to come from funds available	
9	under section 216(a)(3) of the Compact of Free	
10	Association	117,703
11	(12) 3^{rd} Convention of the FSM Coastal	
12	Fisheries Consortium	12,239
13	(13) FSM Capitol Complex Infrastructure	
14	Program	- 0 -
15	(14) FSM Public Defender Office Expansion	
16	(Pohnpei Office) to be deemed to come from the	
17	capital account funds available under section	
18	211 of the Compact of Free Association	45,000
19	(15) Funds to be deemed to come from the	
20	capital account funds available under section	
21	211 of the Compact of Free Association for:	
22	(a) FSM Judiciary Branch Office	
23	Renovation Chuuk and Yap)	68,430
24	(b) FSM Chief Justice new resident	
25	upgrade in Pohnpei	5,000

1	(16) Public Auditor's Office Construction
2	to be deemed to come from the capital account
3	funds available under section 211 of the
4	Compact of Free Association\$ 80,000
5	(17) Outer Island [Airport] Projects to be
6	deemed to come from the capital account
7	funds available under section 211 of the
8	Compact of Free Association:
9	(a) Ta Airport 55,000
10	(b) [Houk Airport project and
11	related expenses] Northwest islands' cargo and
12	<pre>passenger vessel 120,000"</pre>
13	Section 2. This act shall become law upon approval by the
14	President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its
15	becoming law without such approval.
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17	Date: <u>11/26/13</u> Introduced by: <u>/s/ Tony H. Otto</u>
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