A BILL FOR AN ACT

To appropriate the sum of $4,817,563 from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2015, in order to fund the relief operation in the State of Chuuk and State of Yap, to replenish the funds decreed by the President due to the aftermath of Typhoon Maysak, and for other purposes.

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

Section 1. The sum of $4,817,563 is hereby appropriated from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2015, for the relief operations in Chuuk State and Yap State and replenishment of funds decreed by the President due to the aftermath of Typhoon Maysak. The funds appropriated under this section shall be apportioned, as follows:

(a) Typhoon Maysak Relief ................. $ 4,602,705
(b) Relief assistance to Yap ............... 114,858
(c) Replenishment of decreed funds for Emergency Disaster Relief ............... 100,000

Section 2. The funds in subsections (a) and (b) of section 1 shall be used to cover the costs of food, water, shelter, clothing, personal hygiene, essential medical care, and relief assistance operations to the people in Chuuk and Yap States who are affected by Typhoon Maysak.

Section 3. 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 this act shall be the President of the Federated States of Micronesia. The authority of the allottee to obligate funds appropriated by this act shall be lapse on September 30, 2015.

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

Date: 4/10/15    Introduced by: for /s/ Joseph J. Urusemal
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                 (by request)