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*Federated States of Micronesia*

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 19-401  
FSM CONGRESS

August 15, 2016

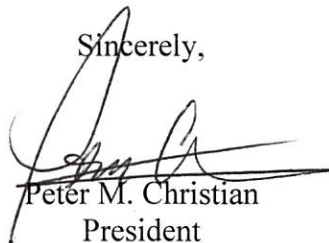
The Honorable Wesley W. Simina  
Speaker  
Nineteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia  
Palikir, Pohnpei, FM 96941

Dear Speaker Simina:

I am transmitting the following Congressional Act, which I have signed to become Public Law No. 19-97:

Congressional Act No. 19-96: AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-64, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-81, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 1 AND 2 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE AND ALLOTTEE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN THE STATE OF POHNPEI, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Sincerely,



Peter M. Christian  
President

Enclosures:

Xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court  
Secretary, Department of Justice  
Secretary, Department of Finance and Administration  
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August 03, 2016

His Excellency Peter M. Christian  
President  
Federated States of Micronesia  
Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941



Dear President Christian:

I have the honor to transmit herewith Congressional Act No. 19-96, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-64, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-81, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 1 AND 2 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE AND ALLOTTEE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN THE STATE OF POHNPEI, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.", which was passed by the Nineteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fifth Special Session, 2016, by a two-thirds vote of all the State delegations as required and as duly certified.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Liwiana Ramon Ioanis".

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

Enclosures





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NINETEENTH CONGRESS OF THE  
FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA  
FIFTH SPECIAL SESSION  
JULY 25 – AUGUST 03, 2016

PUBLIC LAW No. 19-97

## An Act

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INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: BERNEY MARTIN

DATE: JULY 21, 2016

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

WITHDRAWN – JULY 27, 2016

FIRST READING: JULY 27, 2016

SECOND READING: AUGUST 01, 2016

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Liwiana Ramon Ioanis  
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress





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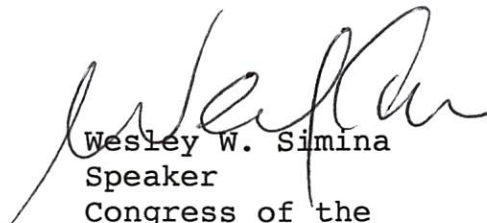
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ACT NO. 19-96

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 19-169, C.D.1)

We hereby certify that on August 01 the foregoing act passed  
Second and Final Reading of the Nineteenth Congress of the  
Federated States of Micronesia, Fifth Special Session, 2016, 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.



Wesley W. Simina  
Speaker  
Congress of the  
Federated States of Micronesia



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

NINETEENTH CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

FIFTH SPECIAL SESSION, 2016

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 19-169, C.D.1

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AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 19-64, as amended by Public Law No. 19-81, by amending sections 1 and 2 thereof, to change the use and allottee of funds previously appropriated therein, for the purpose of funding public projects and social programs in the state of Pohnpei, and for other purposes.

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

1           Section 1.           Section 1.   Section 1 of Public Law No.

2   19-64, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

3           "Section 1.   Purpose.   The sum of \$3,050,000, or so much  
4           thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from  
5           the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia  
6           for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2016, for the  
7           purpose of funding public projects and social programs  
8           in the states of Kosrae and Pohnpei.   The funds  
9           appropriated under this section shall be apportioned as  
10          follows:

|    |                                     |    |         |
|----|-------------------------------------|----|---------|
| 11 | (1) state of Kosrae .....           | \$ | 300,000 |
| 12 | (a) Road maintenance .....          |    | -0-     |
| 13 | (b) Fishing projects .....          |    | -0-     |
| 14 | (c) Agriculture projects .....      |    | 26,000  |
| 15 | (d) Contributions to other projects |    |         |
| 16 | activities, programs and events:    |    |         |
| 17 | (i) B.A. Program for                |    |         |
| 18 | Kosraean Students .....             |    | 20,000  |

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| 1  | (ii) Contractual Services for Office        |           |
| 2  | Staff and Security Guards .....             | \$ 20,000 |
| 3  | (iii) Delegation Office Community           |           |
| 4  | Outreach and Advocacy Program .....         | 20,000    |
| 5  | (iv) Contribution to Kosraean               |           |
| 6  | Association in Hawaii .....                 | 20,000    |
| 7  | (v) Contribution to Kosraean                |           |
| 8  | Association in Guam .....                   | 20,000    |
| 9  | (vi) Hawaii Benevolent                      |           |
| 10 | Association subsidy .....                   | 10,000    |
| 11 | (vii) Wan Taf River Cleaning .....          | 5,000     |
| 12 | (viii) Utwa-Walung Channel Clean-up         | 15,000    |
| 13 | (ix) Renovation of Walung House .           | 10,000    |
| 14 | (x) Kosrae Visitors Bureau subsidy          | 10,000    |
| 15 | (e) Pikusrik wan (Keon) Farm Road...        | 12,000    |
| 16 | (f) Tafunsak Water System Extension .       | 30,000    |
| 17 | (g) Kosrae State Survey and Mapping subsidy | 8,000     |
| 18 | (h) Utwa Dredging Project .....             | 20,000    |
| 19 | (i) Utwa water system (Isra, Utwa) ..       | 5,000     |
| 20 | (j) Mosral water system improvement .       | 7,000     |
| 21 | (k) Malem Drainage Project .....            | 8,000     |
| 22 | (l) Malem Inner Road improvement ....       | 10,000    |
| 23 | (m) Micronesian Teachers Education          |           |
| 24 | Conference hosting .....                    | 12,000    |
| 25 | (n) FSM Finance Conference .....            | 12,000    |

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| 1  | (2) state of Pohnpei.....\$               | 2,750,000 |
| 2  | (1) At Large priority projects.....       | 837,500   |
| 3  | (a) Patch Master Bag.....                 | 25,000    |
| 4  | (b) PTA equipment/vehicle.....            | 150,000   |
| 5  | (c) Nan Welin Pehleing road paving...     | 50,000    |
| 6  | (d) Enipein Pah road paving.....          | 50,000    |
| 7  | (e) Kepine, Kitti road paving.....        | 50,000    |
| 8  | (f) Pihs, Madolenihmw road paving...      | 50,000    |
| 9  | (g) Sokehs Pah Church road paving...      | 50,000    |
| 10 | (h) Nan Koapwaremen, Madolenihmw          |           |
| 11 | road paving .....                         | 50,000    |
| 12 | (i) Sokehs Island circumferential         |           |
| 13 | road paving .....                         | 50,000    |
| 14 | (j) Nanpohnmal road paving.....           | 50,000    |
| 15 | (k) Nanpil road paving and retaining wall | 50,000    |
| 16 | (l) Seinwar Catholic Church road paving   | 30,000    |
| 17 | (m) Lohd pah/Lohd powe road paving..      | 50,000    |
| 18 | (n) Metipw road paving.....               | 50,000    |
| 19 | (o) Tewen road paving/maintenance...      | 50,000    |
| 20 | (p) Pohnpei road clean up and             |           |
| 21 | landscaping supplies .....                | 32,500    |
| 22 | (2) Election District No. 1               |           |
| 23 | priority projects .....                   | 637,500   |
| 24 | (a) Sokehs Island Circumferential         |           |
| 25 | road paving .....                         | 300,000   |

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| 1  | (b) Road maintenance .....            | \$ 60,000 |
| 2  | (c) Nanpohnmal road paving .....      | 80,000    |
| 3  | (d) Private Schools needs .....       | 50,000    |
| 4  | (e) Channel/shoreline cleanup .....   | 10,000    |
| 5  | (f) Cleaning equipments/parts .....   | 7,500     |
| 6  | (g) Paies power needs .....           | 30,000    |
| 7  | (h) Palikir water system              |           |
| 8  | (Pohnras/Lewetik) .....               | 50,000    |
| 9  | (i) Water Catchment ED1 .....         | 28,000    |
| 10 | (j) Pohnpei International Airport     |           |
| 11 | furniture & fixture .....             | 12,000    |
| 12 | (k) LED Street lights .....           | 10,000    |
| 13 | (3) Election District No. 2           |           |
| 14 | priority projects .....               | 637,500   |
| 15 | (a) Nanwelín Pehleng road paving .... | 50,000    |
| 16 | (b) Kotouwar Road upgrade .....       | 30,000    |
| 17 | (c) Dioan Water System .....          | 20,000    |
| 18 | (d) Elielwi (Madol) road paving ..... | 40,000    |
| 19 | (e) Nansalohi water system .....      | 20,000    |
| 20 | (f) Rohi Water System/road paving ... | 50,000    |
| 21 | (g) Lohd Pah/Pohnpaip road .....      | 30,000    |
| 22 | (h) Nanmand (Kitti) Bridge .....      | 60,000    |
| 23 | (i) Mand (Madol) Access Road .....    | 20,000    |
| 24 | (j) Akahk/Enipos Road paving .....    | 50,000    |
| 25 | (k) Wone Water System upgrade .....   | 20,000    |



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| 1  | (l) Madol. Ice Plant Road Paving...\$         | 30,000  |
| 2  | (m) Lukop/Metipw Water Ext.....               | 30,000  |
| 3  | (n) Mwoakot (Kitti) Road Paving.....          | 50,000  |
| 4  | (o) Toamwoaroahlong Water System....          | 20,000  |
| 5  | (p) Mudok island (Kitti) Boat/Outboard        |         |
| 6  | Motor .....                                   | 15,000  |
| 7  | (q) Pwoaipwoai Farm Road.....                 | 12,500  |
| 8  | (r) Seinwar Community Water System..          | 20,000  |
| 9  | (s) Ipwitek Community Water System..          | 20,000  |
| 10 | (t) Enipein Water System.....                 | 20,000  |
| 11 | (u) Wapar Community Water System upgrade      | 10,000  |
| 12 | (v) Water Storage, Catchment,                 |         |
| 13 | and Supplies .....                            | 10,000  |
| 14 | (w) Mwudok Island Solar Street Lights         | 10,000  |
| 15 | (4) Election District No. 3 priority projects | 637,500 |
| 16 | (a) Pwahr, U.....                             | 40,000  |
| 17 | (b) Awak Pah Depression.....                  | 35,000  |
| 18 | (c) Nanpei - Nampwo, U.....                   | 81,500  |
| 19 | (d) Nan U Protestant Church culvert.          | 26,000  |
| 20 | (e) Saladak Church bridge wall.....           | 15,000  |
| 21 | (f) Adoroi collapsed culvert.....             | 15,000  |
| 22 | (g) Meitik Road.....                          | 100,000 |
| 23 | (h) Parem Kep Road.....                       | 100,000 |
| 24 | (i) Eirke Road.....                           | 50,000  |
| 25 | (j) Dolonier-Nanpohnmal.....                  | 50,000  |

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| 1  | (k) Pingelap School Building Improvement  | \$15,000 |
| 2  | (l) Pingelap Dispensary                   |          |
| 3  | Building Improvement .....                | 10,500   |
| 4  | (m) Pingelap Water System                 |          |
| 5  | Improvement – Desalination .....          | 14,500   |
| 6  | (n) Pingelap Solar Street Lights ....     | 25,000   |
| 7  | (o) Mokil Water System Improvement –      |          |
| 8  | Desalination .....                        | 14,500   |
| 9  | (p) Mokil Solar Street Lights .....       | 10,000   |
| 10 | (q) Mokil Dispensary Building Improvement | 10,500   |
| 11 | (r) Mokil Municipal Warehouse Improvement | 15,000   |
| 12 | (s) Mokil Municipal Building Fencing      | 10,000"  |

13 Section 2. Section 4 of Public Law No. 19-64, as amended by  
 14 Public Law No. 19-81, is hereby further amended to read as  
 15 follows:

16 "Section 4. Allotment and management of funds and lapse  
 17 date. All funds appropriated by this act shall be allotted,  
 18 managed, administered and accounted for in accordance with  
 19 applicable laws, including, but not limited to, the Financial  
 20 Management Act of 1979. The allottee shall be responsible for  
 21 ensuring that these funds, or so much thereof as may be  
 22 necessary, are used solely for the purpose specified in this  
 23 act, and that no obligations are incurred in excess of the sum  
 24 appropriated. The allottee of the funds appropriated under  
 25 section 1 of this act shall be the President of the Federated

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1 States of Micronesia or his designee; PROVIDED THAT, the funds  
2 appropriated under subsections 1(d) shall be the Mayor of Lelu  
3 Town Government or his designee; the allottee of funds  
4 appropriated under subsections 1(2)(1)(a)-(o), 1(2)(2)(a),  
5 1(2)(2)(c), 1(2)(3)(a), 1(2)(3)(b), 1(2)(3)(d), 1(2)(3)(f) –  
6 (j), 1(2)(3)(l), 1(2)(3)(n), 1(2)(3)(q), 1(2)(4)(a)-(j) shall  
7 be the Pohnpei Transportation Authority (PTA); the allottee of  
8 funds appropriated under subsections 1(2)(2)(b), 1(2)(2)(d),  
9 1(2)(2)(e) and 1(2)(2)(f) shall be the Secretary of the  
10 Department of Transportation, Communication and Infrastructure  
11 or his designee; the allottee of funds appropriated under  
12 subsections 1(2)(2)(g), 1(2)(2)(h) and 1(2)(3)(m) shall be the  
13 Pohnpei Utility Corporation; the allottee of fund appropriated  
14 under subsections 1(2)(4)(k)-(s) shall be the Governor of the  
15 State of Pohnpei. The authority of the allottee to obligate  
16 funds appropriated by this act shall lapse on September 30,  
17 2017.”

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1       Section 3. 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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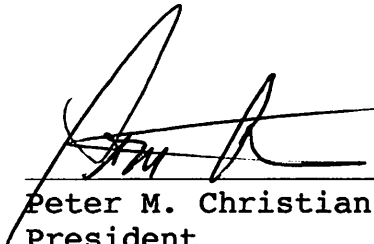
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President  
Federated States of Micronesia

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