August 3, 2015

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

Dear Speaker Simina:

I reviewed Congressional Act No. 19-11 entitled:

"AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 18-42, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAW NO. 18-56, BY AMENDING SECTION 2 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE LAPSE DATE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND THE AIRPORT TERMINAL FACILITIES IMPROVEMENT AND THE UPGRADE OF EQUIPMENT OF THE AIRCRAFT RESCUE AND FIRE FIGHTING (ARFF) BUILDING IN THE STATE OF KOSRAE, CHUUK, YAP AND POHNPEI, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

The Congressional Act No. 19-11 is approved into law and is designated as Public Law No. 19-15.

I take this opportunity to thank you and members of Congress for the hard work that led to the swift passage of this Act.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

Peter M. Christian  
President

Enclosure:

Xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court  
Secretary, Department of Finance and Administration  
Secretary, Department of Justice  
Legislative Counsel, CFSM  
Library, CFSM  
FSM PIO
July 22, 2015

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. 19-11, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 18-42, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAW NO. 18-56, BY AMENDING SECTION 2 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE LAPSE DATE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND THE AIRPORT TERMINAL FACILITIES IMPROVEMENT AND THE UPGRADE OF EQUIPMENT OF THE AIRCRAFT RESCUE AND FIRE FIGHTING (ARFF) BUILDINGS IN THE STATES OF KOSRAE, CHUUK, YAP AND Pohnpei, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.", which was passed by the Nineteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, First Special Session, 2015, 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

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An Act

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INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: VICTOR V. GOULAND

DATE: JULY 02, 2015

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

WITHDRAWN – JULY 09, 2015

FIRST READING: JULY 09, 2015
SECOND READING: JULY 16, 2015

Liwiana Ramon Ioanis
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress
ACT NO. 19-11

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 19-26)

We hereby certify that on July 16 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Nineteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, First Special Session, 2015, 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
AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 18-42, as amended by Public Law No. 18-56, by amending section 2 thereof, to change the lapse date of certain funds previously appropriated therein, to fund the airport terminal facilities improvement and the upgrade of equipment of the Aircraft Rescue and Fire Fighting (ARFF) buildings in the States of Kosrae, Chuuk, Yap and Pohnpei, and for other purposes.

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

Section 1. Section 2 of Public Law No. 18-42 is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 2. 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 respective Governor of each of the States; EXCEPT THAT, the allottee for Pohnpei State's share of Airport funds shall be the Pohnpei Port Authority and the allottee of Kosrae State's share of fund shall be the Kosrae
Port Authority. The authority of the allottee to obligate funds appropriated by this act shall lapse on September 30, 2016."

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

8/3, 2015

[Signature]
Peter M. Christian
President
Federated States of Micronesia