March 14, 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. 19-68:

Congressional Act No. 19-76, entitled: “AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF $50,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2016, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING RELIEF EFFORTS IN THE REPUBLIC OF FIJI DUE TO THE EFFECTS OF CYCLONE WINSTON, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.”

I thank Congress for the passage of this act.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

Peter M. Christian  
President

Enclosures:

Xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court  
Secretary, Department of Justice  
Secretary, Department of Finance and Administration  
Legislative Council, CFSM  
Library, CFSM  
FSM PIO
March 04, 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. 19-76, "AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF $50,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2016, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING RELIEF EFFORTS IN THE REPUBLIC OF FIJI DUE TO THE EFFECTS OF CYCLONE WINSTON, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

, which was passed by the Nineteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fourth Special Session, 2016, 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

TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF $50,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2016, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING RELIEF EFFORTS IN THE REPUBLIC OF FIJI DUE TO THE EFFECTS OF CYCLONE WINSTON, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: WESLEY W. SIMINA

DATE: MARCH 02, 2016

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

WITHDRAWN – MARCH 02, 2016

FIRST READING: MARCH 02, 2016

SECOND READING: MARCH 03, 2016

Liwiana Ramon Ioains
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress
ACT NO. 19-76

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 19-138)

We hereby certify that on March 03 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Nineteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fourth 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

Liviana Ramon Ioa'nis
Chief Clerk
Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia
To appropriate the sum of $50,000 from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2016, for the purpose of funding relief efforts in the Republic of Fiji due to the effects of Cyclone Winston, and for other purposes.

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

1. Section 1. The sum of $50,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2016, for the purpose funding relief efforts in the Republic of Fiji due to the effects of Cyclone Winston.

The funds appropriated under this section shall be apportioned as follows:

1. Cyclone Winston Relief ...............$ 50,000

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 section 1 of this act shall be the President of the Federated States of Micronesia.
States of Micronesia or his designee. The authority of the allottee to obligate such funds shall lapse on September 30, 2016 and any unallotted funds will revert back to the General Fund.

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

3/14, 2016

[Signature]

Peter M. Christian
President
Federated States of Micronesia