The President
Palikir, Pohnpei
Federated States of Micronesia

March 24, 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. 19-73:

Congressional Act No. 19-78, entitled: “AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 18-70, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 18-98, 18-112, 18-122, 19-07, 19-24, 19-41 AND 19-52, BY AMENDING SECTION 5 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF CHUUK STATE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.”

I take this opportunity to 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 Counsel, CFSM
Library, CFSM
FSM PIO
March 07, 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. 19-78, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 18-70, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 18-98, 18-112, 18-122, 19-07, 19-24, 19-41 AND 19-52, BY AMENDING SECTION 5 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF CHUUK STATE, 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 Ioantis
Chief Clerk, Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia

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An Act

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INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: ROBSON U. ROMOLOW

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WITHDRAWN – MARCH 02, 2016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 Ioannis
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress
ACT NO. 19-78

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 19-139, C.D.1)

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

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

To further amend Public Law No. 18-70, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 18-98, 18-112, 18-122, 19-07, 19-24, 19-41 and 19-52, by amending section 5 thereof, to change the use of certain funds previously appropriated therein, for the purpose of funding public projects and social programs for the people of Chuuk State, and for other purposes.

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

Section 1. Section 5 of Public Law No. 18-70, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 18-98, 18-112, 18-122, 19-07, 19-24, 19-44 and 19-52, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

"Section 5. Of the sum of $5,100,000 appropriated by this act, $2,150,000 is apportioned for public projects and social programs in the state of Chuuk.

state of Chuuk .................. $ 2,150,000

(1) At-Large........................ $ 400,000

(a) Community infrastructure and

housing renovation ................ $ 39,729

(b) Contributions to State, Municipal

and community activities/events/programs .. $ 60,271

(c) Tonoas Goodwill Games 2014...... $ 10,000

(d) Municipal offices construction/

renovation ...................... $ 30,000

(e) Women home economic projects.... $ 20,000

(f) POL/Freight/Charters........... $ 30,000

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   (b) Fishing Project
   (c) Municipal subsidy
   (d) Leadership travel (Traditional,
   Local and State and National Governments)
   (e) Human repatriation
   (f) Alternative energy and/or
   solar project
   (g) Individual housing repair/
   improvement after the aftermath of
   Typhoon Maysak
   (h) Purchase of vehicle for Election
   District No. 3
   (i) Constituents outreach and
   advocacy program
   (j) Administrative support service
   for SNDA
(5) Election District No. 4
   (a) Fishing Project subsidy
   (b) Low Income Housing subsidy
   (c) Humanitarian assistance subsidy
   (d) Youth activities and programs subsidy
   (e) Medical referral and repatriation
of human remains subsidy........................$ 20,000
(f) Administrative cost for Faichuk Development Authority........................ 20,000
(g) Fishing markets subsidy.............. 10,000
(h) Sewing Project subsidy.............. 20,000
(i) Municipal governments subsidy... 80,000
(j) Students financial assistance.... 20,000
(6) Election District No. 5.............. 350,000
(a) Municipal governments' subsidy.. 151,333
(b) Low income housing renovation,
water well project and purchase of water
well pumps ........................................ -0-
(c) Northwest Social and Development
activities/ operation/projects........... -0-
(d) Post Secondary financial grants
for school year 2015 and 2016........... 10,000
(e) Contractual services for
Northwest schools........................... 30,000
(f) Saramen Chuuk Academy
high school subsidy.......................... 25,000
(g) Houk youth activities.............. -0-
(h) Tamatam Women Store.............. -0-
(i) Prior obligation for boat charters
travel needs for support staff.......... -0-
(j) Seedling projects
for farmers ........................................ $ 0-
(k) Water tanks ......................... 28,000
(1) Northwest Islands leadership conference ..................................... 30,000
(m) Preparation for Northwest leadership summit ......................... 26,400
(n) Northwest Island Development Authority, boat operation and their related expenses ..................... 25,525
(o) Election District No. 5 office subsidy ................................. 10,000
(p) Food relief ................................. 13,742

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.

3/24, 2016

Peter M. Christian
President
Federated States of Micronesia

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