June 17, 2015

The Honorable Wesley W. Simina
Speaker
19th FSM Congress
Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941

Dear Speaker Simina:

I am transmitting the following Congressional Act, which I have signed to become Public Law No.19-07 with item vetoes as explained below:

Congressional Act No. 19-05, entitled: “AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 18-70, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 18-98, 18-112 AND 18-122, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 3, 4, 5 AND 6 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE, ALLOTTEE AND LAPSE DATE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED FOR PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF KOSRAE, Pohnpei AND Chuuk STATES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.”

The Act changes the use of numerous funds appropriated for Kosrae, Pohnpei and Chuuk. Because most of the changed line items had been fully expended, some of the amendments in the Act could not be fully implemented.

For public projects and social programs for Chuuk ED#1, numerous changes were made, which caused the total for that election district to go beyond its allocation. Moreover, the current public projects and social programs for ED#2 were either deleted from the appropriation or transferred to ED#1. Hence, the changes in the Act would be difficult to implement if not totally impossible.

In view of the foregoing, I have decided to item veto certain line items that could not be fully implemented as explained above. Thank you.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

Pétër M. Christian
President

xc: Acting Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court
Secretary, Department of Justice
Director, Office of SBOC
Legislative Counsel, CFSM
Library, CFSM
PIO, FSM
June 02, 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. 19-05, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 18-70, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 18-98, 18-112 AND 18-122, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 3, 4, 5 AND 6 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE, ALLOTTEE AND LAPSE DATE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED FOR PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF KOSRAE, Pohnpei AND Chuuk States, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.", which was passed by the Nineteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, First Regular 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

Enclosures
An Act

TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 18-70, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 18-98, 18-112 AND 18-122, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 3, 4, 5 AND 6 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE, ALLOTTEE AND LAPSE DATE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED FOR PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF KOSRAE, POHNEPI AND CHUUK STATES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: FERNY S. PERMAN

DATE: MAY 26, 2015

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

WITHDRAWN – MAY 27, 2015

FIRST READING: MAY 27, 2015
SECOND READING: MAY 28, 2015

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Liwiana Ramon Ioaniis
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress
ACT NO. 19-05

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 19-18, C.D.1, C.D.2, C.D.3)

We hereby certify that on May 28 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Nineteenth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, First Regular 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 Iomanis
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 and 18-122, by amending sections 3, 4, 5 and 6 thereof, to change the use, allottee and lapse date of certain funds previously appropriated for public projects and social programs for the people of Kosrae, Pohnpei and Chuuk States, and for other purposes.

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

1. Section 1. Section 3 of Public Law No. 18-70, as amended by Public Law No. 18-98, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

"Section 3. Of the sum of $5,100,000 appropriated by this act, $750,000 is apportioned for public projects and social programs in the State of Kosrae.

State of Kosrae

(a) BA Program
(b) High School Lunch Program
(c) We Care Referral Program
(d) Scholarship (University of Hawaii Law School)
(e) Wiyac access road improvement
(f) Malem Youth Group
(g) Pilyuul Youth Center renovation
(h) POL for implementation of road projects
(i) Kosrae High School dining area renovation

750,000
20,000
55,000
20,000
20,000
5,000
10,000
5,000
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30,000"
(j) Kosrae Micro Finance subsidy .. $ 10,000
(k) Tafweyat farm road ............... 10,000
(l) Kosrae Outreach and Advocacy Program 40,000
(m) Purchase of senior citizens bus and
associated cost (spare tires, freight, POL,
spare parts and maintenance)............. 60,000
(n) Vehicle purchase for youth

8 group in Malem.......................... 5,000
(o) Lelu Town Government subsidy ... 20,000
(p) Malem Municipal Government subsidy 10,000
(q) Utwe Municipal Government subsidy 10,000
(r) Tafunsak Municipal Government subsidy 10,000
(s) Lelu Municipal Government subsidy 10,000
(t) COM-FSM students outstanding debts 30,000
(u) Xavier High School (tuition
costs for Kosraean Students).............. 10,000
(v) Mediation Program .................. 10,000
(w) Kosrae Junior Tennis ............... 10,000
(x) Contractual services for
security guards.......................... 10,000
(y) Kosrae health services/programs:
   (i) Pharmaceuticals ............... 10,000
   (ii) Dental equipment maintenance 10,000
   (iii) Primary health care ....... 5,000
(z) Students' financial assistance:
1 (i) University of Guam ........ $ -0-

2 (ii) University of Hawaii at

3 Hilo campus................................. -0-

4 (iii) University of Hawaii

5 at Manoa campus............................ -0-

6 (aa) Youths activities/programs .... 10,000

7 (ab) Department of Resources and

8 Economic Affairs

9 (i) Survey and mapping ........ 40,000

10 (ii) Access road/drainage ....... 20,000

11 (ac) Malem farm road .............. 20,000

12 (ad) Utwe-Walung circumferential road 30,000

13 (ae) Finfokoa Malem water extension . 35,000

14 (af) Kosrae Port Authority subsidy .. 30,000

15 (ag) Kosrae Benevolent Association .. 5,000

16 (ah) Finsrem, Utawa access road ..... 5,000

17 (ai) Grants and subsidies for Kosrae

18 (i) Private sector development 25,000

19 (aj) Scholarship – COM-FSM Trial

20 Counselor Program......................... 10,000

21 (ak) Kosrae High School – Vocational

22 Education Program ....................... 10,000

23 (al) Tafunsak/Walung water system

24 extension & improvement ............... 10,000

25 (am) Malem Youth sport equipment .... 5,000
Section 2. Section 4 of Public Law No. 18-70, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 18-98, 18-112 and 18-122, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

"Section 4. Of the sum of $5,100,000 appropriated by this act, $1,450,000 is apportioned for public projects and social programs in the State of Pohnpei.

State of Pohnpei.......................... $ 1,450,000

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

(a) Hosting of Micro Games ............ 174,965

(b) Nanmand, Salapwuk road improvement 40,035

(c) Eirike road pave overlay ........... 30,000

(d) U Road improvement ................. 30,000

(e) Madolenihmw road improvement .... 30,000

(f) Kolonia road improvement ............ 20,000

(g) Road equipment & purchase .......... 60,000

(h) Outer Islands water catchment improvement .................. 15,000

(2) Election District No. 1 ............ 350,000

(a) Tomwara loop ....................... -0-

(b) Vehicle purchase .................... -0-

(c) Kapinga bridge ..................... 40,000
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2. (d) Medical referral support ........ 15,000
3. (e) Senior citizen support .......... 5,000
4. (f) Mwoakilloa Municipal Government subsidy ......................... 15,000
5. (g) ED#3 Community water projects .. 25,000
6. (h) Renewal energy/solar equipment supplies from Remote communities .......... 20,000
7. (i) ED#3 office subsidy ............... 30,000
8. (j) ED#3 road pavement ............... 55,000
9. (k) Parem school office ............... 20,000
10. (l) Pingelap Municipal Government subsidy ......................... 15,000
11. (m) Nett Municipal Government subsidy 15,000
12. (n) U Municipal Government subsidy,
13. PROVIDED THAT, 55% of the funding is for Executive branch, 30% for the Council and 15% for the Judiciary ......................... 15,000
14. (o) Road maintenance & beautification 50,000"

Section 3. Section 5 of Public Law No. 18-70, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 18-98, 18-112 and 122, 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."
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(b) Cooperative Associations,

Non-governmental organizations

contributions & subsidy .................. 45,000

(c) Mortlock leadership subsidy ........ 25,000

(d) Home, housing & multipurpose

building improvement and renovation ...... 100,000

(e) Students financial assistance .. 20,000

(d) Food Security .................. 30,000

(e) Administrative cost/office rental

for Election District No. 2 .............. 20,000

(f) Office of the Governor subsidy . 10,000

(g) Municipal subsidy .................. 34,000

(h) Public markets renovation ...... 0-

(i) Human repatriation .................. 10,000

(j) Water system projects ............. 5,000

(k) Road improvement/heavy equipment purchase .................. 70,000

(l) Land transportation need ...... 30,000

(m) Weno election subsidy ............. 7,000

(n) Chuuk Women Council ................ 5,000

(o) Leadership/patients/students

travel need .................. 19,000

(p) Youth activities/program ........... 10,000

(4) Election District No. 3 ............ 350,000
1. (a) Food Security, relief and poverty alleviation program .................. $ 50,000
2. (b) Fishing Project ...................... 100,000
3. (c) Municipal subsidy .................. 50,000
4. (d) Leadership travel (Traditional, Local and State and National Governments) .. 30,000
5. (e) Human repatriation ................ 10,000
6. (f) Alternative energy and/or solar project .................................. 10,000
7. (g) Individual housing repair/
     improvement after the aftermath of Typhoon Maysak .......................... 50,000
8. (h) Purchase of vehicle for Election District No. 3 ............................ 20,000
9. (i) Constituents outreach and advocacy program ............................. 20,000
10. (j) Administrative support service for SNDA ................................. 10,000
11. (5) Election District No. 4 .................... 350,000
12. (a) Fishing Project subsidy ........... 60,000
13. (b) Low Income Housing subsidy ..... 40,000
14. (c) Humanitarian assistance subsidy ........................................... 50,000
15. (d) Youth activities and programs subsidy 30,000
16. (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) Fishing equipment and/or supplies 50,000

(b) Low income housing renovation .. 30,000

(c) Northwest Social and Development activities/operation/projects............... 30,000

(d) Post Secondary financial grants for school year 2015, PROVIDED THAT, students GPA is not less than 2.5................. 60,000

(e) Contractual services for Northwest schools.................................. 50,000

(f) Polowat youth activities ........ 0

(g) Houk youth activities .......... 0

(h) Tamatam Women Store ........... 0

(i) Travel needs for support staff . 20,000

(j) Seedling projects for farmers .. 0

(k) Water tanks .................... 40,000

(l) Northwest leadership conference 40,000

(m) Contractual services .......... 30,000

(n) Northwest Island Development
Section 4. Section 6 of Public Law No. 18-70, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 18-98, 18-112 and 18-122, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

"Section 6. 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 2 of this act shall be the Governor of Yap State EXCEPT THAT the funds appropriated under subsection 2(i) shall be the President of COM-FSM. The allottee of funds appropriated under sections 3 and 4 of this act shall be the President of the Federated States of Micronesia or his designee EXCEPT THAT the funds appropriated under subsections a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i, j, k, l, m, n, o, s, t, u, v, w, x and ag, ah, aj and ap of section 3 this act shall be the Mayor of Lelu Town Government or his designee; the funds appropriate under
subsection 4(2)(K) shall be the Mayor of Kolonia Town Government; the funds appropriated under subsection 4(2)(m) shall be the Mayor of Nukuoro Municipal Government; the funds appropriated under subsections a, b, c, d, e, f and g of section 4(1), subsection 4(2)(l), subsections 4(3)(b), (c), (d), (f) and (p) of this act shall the Pohnpei Transportation Authority, and the funds appropriated under subsection 4(3)(t) shall be the Luhkenmoanlap of Kitti. The allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 4(1)(h) shall be the President of the Federated States of Micronesia of his designee. The allottee of funds appropriate under subsection 4(2)(g) of this act shall be the Administrator of the MiCare program. The allottee of funds appropriated under subsections 5(1), 5(3) and 5(6) of this act shall be the Governor of Chuuk State or his designee. The allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 5(2) of this act shall be the Mortlock Islands Development Authority. The allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 5(4) of this act shall be the Southern Namoneas Development Authority. The allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 5(5) of this act shall be the Faichuk Development Authority. The authority of the allottee to obligate funds appropriated by this act shall lapse on September 30,
Section 5. This act shall become law upon approval by the President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its becoming law without such approval.

6/16, 2015

Peter M. Christian
President
Federated States of Micronesia