A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 19-121, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 19-130, 19-142, 20-09, 20-22, 20-51, 20-59 and 20-70, by amending section 6 thereof, to change the lapse date of funds previously appropriated therein, for the purpose of funding public projects and social programs for the people of the states of Yap, Kosrae, Pohnpei and Chuuk, and for other purposes.

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

Section 1. Section 6 of Public Law No. 19-121, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 19-130, 19-142, 20-09 and 20-70, 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; PROVIDED THAT, the allottee of funds appropriated under section 2(k) shall be the President of the Federated States of Micronesia. 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; PROVIDED THAT
the allottee of funds appropriated under subsections
3(a) through 3(z) – shall be the Mayor of Tafunsak
Municipal Government; the allottee of funds
appropriated under subsections 3(aa) – 3(alll) shall
be the Mayor of Lelu Town Government, or his
designee; the allottee of funds appropriated under
subsections 4(1)(1), 4(3)(a), 4(3)(f) and 4(3)(i) of
this act shall be the Pohnpei Transportation
Authority (PTA); the allottee of funds appropriated
under subsections 4(2)(a), 4(2)(d), 4(2)(e), 4(2)(f),
and 4(2)(m) shall be the Secretary of the Department
of Transportation, Communications and Infrastructure
or his designee; the allottee of funds appropriated
under subsection 4(2)(b) shall be the Pohnpei Utility
Corporation (PUC); the allottee of funds appropriated
under subsection 4(2)(c) shall be the Office of
Fisheries, Pohnpei State; the allottee of funds
appropriated under subsection 4(2)(n) shall be the
Secretary of the Department of Education or his
designee; the allottee of funds appropriated under
subsection 4(3)(b) shall be the Governor of the State
of Pohnpei or his designee; the allottee of funds
appropriated under subsections 4(3)(c) and 4(3)(e) of this act shall be the Meninkeder of Madolenihmw;
allottee of funds appropriated under subsections 4(3)(d) and 4(3)(m) shall be the Luhkenmoanlap of Kitti. 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, [2018] 2019."

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.