March 26, 2019

The Honorable Wesley W. Simina
Speaker
Twentieth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia
Pallikir, Pohnpei FM 96941

Dear Speaker Simina:

I am pleased to transmit the following Congressional Act, which I have signed into Public Law No. 20–168:

Congressional Act No. 20-170, entitled: “AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND TITLE 55 OF THE CODE OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA (ANNOTATED), AS AMENDED, BY RENUMBERING THE CHAPTER AND SECTIONS CREATED BY PUBLIC LAW NO. 18-100, TO CORRECT A TECHNICAL ERROR, TO RESERVE CHAPTER 16, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.”

I thank Congress for the passage of this Act.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

Peter M. Christian

Enclosure:

Xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court
March __16__, 2019

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. 20-170, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND TITLE 55 OF THE CODE OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA (ANNOTATED), AS AMENDED, BY RENUMBERING THE CHAPTER AND SECTIONS CREATED BY PUBLIC LAW NO. 18-100, TO CORRECT A TECHNICAL ERROR, TO RESERVE CHAPTER 16, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.", which was passed by the Twentieth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Seventh Special Session, 2019, by a two-thirds vote of all the State delegations as required and as duly certified.

Sincerely yours,

[Signature]

Liwiana Ramon Ioanis  
Chief Clerk, Congress of the  
Federated States of Micronesia

Enclosures
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INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: WESLEY W. SIMINA

DATE: MARCH 6, 2019

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY AND GOVERNMENTAL OPERATIONS
WITHDRAWN – MARCH 11, 2019

FIRST READING: – MARCH 11, 2019
SECOND READING: – MARCH 13, 2019

Liwiana Ramon Ioans
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress
ACT NO. 20-170

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 20-287)

We hereby certify that on March 13 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Twentieth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Seventh Special Session, 2019, 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 title 55 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia (Annotated), as amended, by renumbering the chapter and sections created by Public Law No. 18-100, to correct a technical error, to reserve chapter 16, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. The purpose of this Act is to renumber the
2 chapter and sections of title 55 of the Code of the Federated
3 States of Micronesia (Annotated) enacted by Public Law No.
4 18-100. Public Law No. 18-100 enacted chapter 16 and
5 sections 1601-1603 of title 55; however, those section
6 numbers were already in use under chapter 6 of title 55.
7 This act renumbers chapter 16 of title 55 as chapter 17,
8 renumbers sections 1601-1603 of title 55 enacted under Public
9 Law No. 18-100 as sections 1701-1703, and reserves chapter 16
10 of title 55 to prevent similar technical errors.
11 Section 2. Chapter 16 of title 55 of the Code of the
12 Federated States of Micronesia (Annotated), as enacted by
13 Public Law No. 18-100, is hereby renumbered as chapter 17.
14 Section 3. Sections 1601-1603 of title 55 of the Code
15 of the Federated States of Micronesia (Annotated), as enacted
16 by Public Law No. 18-100, are hereby renumbered as sections
17 1701-1703.
18 Section 4. Chapter 16 of title 55 of the Code of the
Federated States of Micronesia (Annotated) is hereby titled "Reserved".

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.

3/26, 2019

Peter M. Christian
President
Federated States of Micronesia