



*The President*  
*Palikir, Pohnpei*  
*Federated States of Micronesia*

June 23, 2020

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 21-314  
FSM CONGRESS

The Honorable Wesley W. Simina  
Speaker  
Twenty-First Congress  
Federated States of Micronesia  
Palikir, Pohnpei, FM 96941

Dear Speaker Simina:

I am pleased to transmit the following Congressional Act, which I have signed into Public Law No. 21-131:

Congressional Act No. 21-127, entitled: "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 18-99, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 18-106, 18-113, 18-121, 19-05, 19-34, 19-57, 19-74, 19-107, 20-18, 20-24, 20-80, 20-112, 21-28 AND 21-106, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 2 AND 6 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE, ALLOTTEE AND LAPSE DATE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE STATES OF YAP AND CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Thank you.

Sincerely,

David W. Panuelo  
President

xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court





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His Excellency David W. Panuelo  
President  
Federated States of Micronesia  
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Dear President Panuelo:

I have the honor to transmit herewith Congressional Act No. 21-127, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 18-99, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 18-106, 18-113, 18-121, 19-05, 19-34, 19-57, 19-74, 19-107, 20-18, 20-24, 20-80, 20-112, 21-28 AND 21-106, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 2 AND 6 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE, ALLOTTEE AND LAPSE DATE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE STATES OF YAP AND CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.", which was passed by the Twenty-First Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fourth Regular Session, 2020, 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



ACT NO. 21-127  
(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 21-204, C.D.1)



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TWENTY-FIRST CONGRESS OF THE  
FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA  
FOURTH REGULAR SESSION  
MAY 11 - 30, 2020

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## An Act

TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 18-99, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 18-106, 18-113, 18-121, 19-05, 19-34, 19-57, 19-74, 19-107, 20-18, 20-24, 20-80, 20-112, 21-28 AND 21-106, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 2 AND 6 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE, ALLOTTEE AND LAPSE DATE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE STATES OF YAP AND CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: VICTOR V. GOULAND

DATE: MAY 20, 2020

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REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

WITHDRAWN – MAY 26, 2020

FIRST READING: – MAY 27, 2020

SECOND READING: – MAY 28, 2020

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Liwiana Ramon Ioanis  
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress

PUBLIC LAW No. 21-131





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ACT NO. 21-127

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 21-204, C.D.1)

We hereby certify that on May 28 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Twenty-First Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fourth Regular Session, 2020, 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.

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Wesley W. Simina  
Speaker  
Congress of the  
Federated States of Micronesia

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Liwiana Ramon Ioanis", with a stylized flourish at the end.

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

TWENTY-FIRST CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

FOURTH REGULAR SESSION, 2020

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 21-204, C.D.1

AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 18-99, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 18-106, 18-113, 18-121, 19-05, 19-34, 19-57, 19-74, 19-107, 20-18, 20-24, 20-80, 20-112, 21-28 and 21-106, by amending sections 2 and 6 thereof, to change the use, allottee and lapse date of funds previously appropriated therein, to fund public projects and social programs for the people of the states of Yap and Chuuk, and for other purposes.

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

1       Section 1. Section 2 of Public Law No. 18-99, as amended by  
2 Public Laws Nos. 19-34 and 20-80, is hereby further amended to read  
3 as follows:

4           "Section 2. Of the \$2,800,000 appropriated in this act,  
5           \$400,000 is appropriated to fund public projects and  
6           social programs for the people of the State of Yap

7           State of Yap.....\$       400,000

8               (a) Purchase of outboard motors and  
9           Boats for the Hapilmohol.....       75,000

10               (b) Yap Delegation Office building  
11           renovation.....       27,000

12               (c) Purchase of Vessel.....       -0-

13               (d) Arngel village water  
14           extension project.....       55,000

15               (e) Father Walter Community Center,  
16           Falalop, Ulithi repair and renovation.....       140,000

17               (f) Woleai Atoll Development Authority

1 (WADA) projects and programs.....\$ 60,000  
 2 (g) Meerur/Teb, Tomil power  
 3 extension project..... 43,000"

4 Section 2. Section 6 of Public Law No. 18-99, as amended by  
 5 Public Laws Nos. 18-113, 18-121, 19-05, 19-34, 19-107, 20-18,  
 6 20-24, 20-112 and 21-28, is hereby further amended to read as  
 7 follows:

8 "Section 6. Allotment and management of funds and lapse  
 9 date. All funds appropriated by this act shall be  
 10 allotted, managed, administered and accounted for in  
 11 accordance with applicable laws, including, but not  
 12 limited to, the Financial Management Act of 1979. The  
 13 allottee shall be responsible for ensuring that these  
 14 funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are used  
 15 solely for the purpose specified in this act, and that  
 16 no obligations are incurred in excess of the sum  
 17 appropriated. The allottee of the funds appropriated  
 18 under section 2 of this act shall be the Governor of Yap  
 19 State or his designee. The allottee of funds  
 20 appropriated under section 3 shall be the President or  
 21 his designee, EXCEPT THAT the allottee of funds  
 22 appropriated under section 3(a), (b), (c), (d), (e),  
 23 (f), (g), (h), (i), (j), (k), (l), (m), (n), (o), (u)  
 24 and (y) shall be the Mayor of Lelu Town Government. The  
 25 allottee of funds appropriated under section 4 of this

act shall be the President or his designee, EXCEPT that the allottee of funds appropriated under section 4(1)(a) shall be the Secretary of the Department of Education; the allottee of funds appropriated under sections 4(1)(c), 4(1)(e), 4(1)(h), 4(2) and 4(3)(a) to 4(3)(j) shall be Secretary of the Department of Transportation, Communications and Infrastructure or his designee; the allottee of funds appropriated under section 4(1)(d) shall be the Pohnpei Port Authority; the allottee of funds appropriated under section 4(1)(f) shall be the Nett District Government; the allottee of funds appropriated under section 4(1)(g) shall be the Secretary of the Department of Resources and Development. The allottee of funds appropriated under sections 5(1) 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(3) of this act shall be the Mayor of Weno Municipal Government or his designee. 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, 2022."

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.

June 23<sup>rd</sup>

, 2020



David W. Panuelo  
President  
Federated States of Micronesia