



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

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 21-394  
FSM CONGRESS

September 7th, 2020

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 Act, which I have signed into Public Law No. 21-176:

Congressional Act No. 21-186, entitled: "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-121, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 19-130, 19-142, 19-145, 19-158, 20-09, 20-22, 20-51, 20-59, 20-70, 20-123, 20-162, 20-170, 21-35, 21-66, 21-112 AND 21-127, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 3 AND 6 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE AND ALLOTTEE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF KOSRAE, 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. 21-186, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-121, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 19-130, 19-142, 19-145, 19-158, 20-09, 20-22, 20-51, 20-59, 20-70, 20-123, 20-162, 20-170, 21-35, 21-66, 21-112 AND 21-127, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 3 AND 6 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE AND ALLOTTEE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF KOSRAE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES", which was passed by the Twenty-First Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Seventh Special Session, 2020, by a two-thirds vote of all the State delegations as required and as duly certified.

Sincerely yours,

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

Enclosures





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TWENTY-FIRST CONGRESS OF THE  
FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA  
SEVENTH SPECIAL SESSION  
AUGUST 17 - 21, 2020

## An Act

TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-121, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 19-130, 19-142, 19-145, 19-158, 20-09, 20-22, 20-51, 20-59, 20-70, 20-123, 20-162, 20-170, 21-35, 21-66, 21-112 AND 21-127, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 3 AND 6 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE AND ALLOTTEE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF KOSRAE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: AREN B. PALIK

DATE: AUGUST 20, 2020

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

WITHDRAWN – AUGUST 20, 2020

FIRST READING: – AUGUST 20, 2020

SECOND READING: – AUGUST 21, 2020

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Liwiana Ramon Ioanis  
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress





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PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 21-394  
FSM CONGRESS

ACT NO. 21-186

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 21-283, C.D.1)

We hereby certify that on August 21 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Twenty-First Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Seventh Special 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.

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

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

TWENTY-FIRST CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

SEVENTH SPECIAL SESSION, 2020

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 21-283, C.D.1

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AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 19-121, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 19-130, 19-142, 19-145, 19-158, 20-09, 20-22, 20-51, 20-59, 20-70, 20-123, 20-162, 20-170, 21-35, 21-66, 21-112 and 21-127, by amending sections 3 and 6 thereof, to change the use and allottee of funds previously appropriated therein, for the purpose of funding public projects and social programs for the people of the state of Kosrae, 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. 19-121, as amended by  
2 Public Laws Nos. 19-130, 19-142, 20-09, 20-70 and 21-66, is hereby  
3 further amended to read as follows:

4           "Section 3. Of the sum of \$5,450,000 appropriated by this  
5 act, \$1,100,000 is apportioned to fund public projects and  
6 social programs for the people of the state of Kosrae.

7           state of Kosrae ..... \$     1,100,000

8                   (a) Okat farm road .....           29,500

9                   (b) Kosrae Conservation and Safety

10           Organization .....           15,000

11                   (c) Kosrae mediation program .....           10,000

12                   (d) Kosrae Congressional Delegation

13           citizens outreach program .....           60,000

14                   (e) Malem Municipal Government

15           riding lawn mowers .....           5,000

16                   (f) Kosrae Junior Tennis Association           17,000

17                   (g) Isra, Utwe water system .....           30,000

1	(h) Finoing, Utwe farm road .....	\$ 40,000
2	(i) Malem Municipal Government subsidy	31,000
3	(j) Kosrae Housing Program subsidy ..	42,000
4	(k) Meeting Hall Renovation, Otta	
5	Aktolu, Tafunsak .....	5,000
6	(l) Finsrem, Utwe Farm Road .....	9,000
7	(m) Tofol Day Care Center renovation..	10,000
8	(n) Tafunsak Municipal Government subsidy	15,000
9	(o) YELA Conservation activities .....	20,000
10	(p) Kosrae Public Safety (Vehicle/POL)	19,000
11	(q) Agriculture projects/programs . .	-0-
12	(r) Community water projects .. ....	-0-
13	(s) Malem multipurpose	
14	building renovation .....	10,000
15	(t) Kosrae State Legislature subsidy	33,000
16	(u) Graduation Commencement at the	
17	University of South Pacific (Air fare,	
18	lodging, logistical needs, graduation	
19	fee, ground transportation) .....	5,000
20	(v) Mosral farm road .....	40,000
21	(w) Kosrae Supreme Court staff	
22	development .....	20,000
23	(x) Innem farm road .....	30,000
24	(y) Yesen farm road .....	14,000
25	(z) Contribution to Junior State of	

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1	America Summer Program at Princeton University	\$ 5,500
2	(aa) Little League Field renovation	5,000
3	(ab) Little League travel to PNI and	
4	related costs .....	20,000
5	(ac) Kosrae survey and mapping subsidy	10,000
6	(ad) High school lunch program .....	43,000
7	(ae) Kosrae Xavier students tuitions	20,000
8	(af) Kosrae delegation B.A. program	30,000
9	(ag) SDA school subsidy .....	5,000
10	(ah) Tafunsak-Walung waterways/channels	
11	clearance/improvements .....	20,000
12	(ai) Pilyuul-Tenwak channel clearance	20,000
13	(aj) Purchase of outboat motors/POL	20,000
14	(ak) Farmroad improvement Inyaa, Utwe	10,000
15	(al) KSA Legislative staff training .	10,000
16	(am) Training for governor's office	
17	secretaries .....	10,000
18	(an) Purchase of cell phones, I-Pads,	
19	computers, printers .....	15,000
20	(ao) Lelu town government subsidy ..	30,000
21	(ap) Utwe municipal office subsidy .	30,000
22	(aq) Road improvements-Srungansralu	5,000
23	(ar) Payment for RMI Nursing School debt	2,000
24	(as) KSA delegation scholarship board	
25	meeting allowances/outreach .....	10,000

1	(at) Scholarships for KSA students . \$	40,000
2	(au) Contribution to Kosrae-Guam	
3	Association of Guam (KAG) .....	10,000
4	(av) C.O.M Palikir KSA students debts	20,000
5	(aw) Malem Multi-purpose building ..	10,000
6	(ax) Salary for music teacher Walung	
7	elementary School .....	10,000
8	(ay) Salaries for local police .....	
9	officers in Walung community .....	20,000
10	(az) Contractual services for office	
11	staff and security guards .....	10,000
12	(a1) Walung bathrooms project .....	25,000
13	(a2) Tsunami shelter for Malem .....	20,000
14	(a3) Kosrae Christian Women Association	25,000
15	(a4) Utwe Elementary School travel	
16	and related costs .....	5,000
17	(a5) KSA students travel and	
18	related costs .....	10,000
19	(a6) Walung community activities,	
20	events need and program .....	42,000
21	(a7) Tafunsak 2016 Christmas event	
22	preparation/activities .....	5,000
23	(a8) Utwe Youth Endeavor activities .	3,000
24	(a9) Nipartak basketball team	
25	(airfare, meals and rental) .....	-0-



1 (a10) Pohnpei/Kosrae fast pitch team \$ 10,000  
 2 (a11) Guam/Kosrae fast pitch team  
 3 (airfare, meals and rental) ..... 5,000"

4 Section 2. Section 6 of Public Law No. 19-121, as amended  
 5 by Public Laws Nos. 19-130, 19-142, 20-09, 20-70, 20-123, 20-162,  
 6 20-170, 21-35, 21-66 and 21-127, is hereby further amended to  
 7 read as follows:

8 "Section 6. Allotment and management of funds and  
 9 lapse date. All funds appropriated by this act shall  
 10 be 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  
 19 Yap State; PROVIDED THAT, the allottee of funds  
 20 appropriated under section 2(k) shall be the President  
 21 of the Federated States of Micronesia. The allottee of  
 22 funds appropriated under sections 3 and 4 of this act  
 23 shall be the President of the Federated States of  
 24 Micronesia or his designee; PROVIDED THAT the allottee  
 25 of funds appropriated under subsections 3(a) through

1           3(z) shall be the Governor of Kosrae State or his  
2           designee; the allottee of funds appropriated under  
3           subsections 3(aa) – 3(all) shall be the Mayor of Lelu  
4           Town Government, or his designee EXCEPT THAT the  
5           allottee of fund appropriated under subsection 3(au) of  
6           this act shall be the Governor of Kosrae or his  
7           designee; the allottee of funds appropriated under  
8           subsection 4(1)(a) of this act shall be the Governor of  
9           Pohnpei State or his designee; the allottee of funds  
10          appropriated under subsections 4(1)(l), 4(3)(a),  
11          4(3)(f) and 4(3)(i) of this act shall be the Pohnpei  
12          Transportation Authority (PTA); the allottee of funds  
13          appropriated under subsections 4(2)(a), 4(2)(d),  
14          4(2)(e), 4(2)(f), 4(2)(g), 4(2)(h), 4(2)(i), 4(2)(j),  
15          4(2)(k), 4(2)(l) and 4(2)(m) shall be the Secretary of  
16          the Department of Transportation, Communications and  
17          Infrastructure or his designee; the allottee of funds  
18          appropriated under subsection 4(2)(b) shall be the  
19          Pohnpei Utility Corporation (PUC); the allottee of  
20          funds appropriated under subsection 4(2)(c) shall be  
21          the Office of Fisheries, Pohnpei State; the allottee of  
22          funds appropriated under subsection 4(2)(n) shall be  
23          the Secretary of the Department of Education or his  
24          designee; the allottee of funds appropriated under  
25          subsection 4(3)(b) shall be the Pohnpei State Public

1           Safety; the allottee of funds appropriated under  
2           subsections 4(3)(c) and 4(3)(e) of this act shall be the  
3           Meninkeder of Madolenihmw; allottee of funds  
4           appropriated under subsections 4(3)(d) and 4(3)(m)  
5           shall be the Luhkenmoanlap of Kittti. The allottee of  
6           funds appropriated under subsections 5(1) and 5(6) of  
7           this act shall be the Governor of Chuuk State or his  
8           designee. The allottee of funds appropriated under  
9           subsection 5(2) of this act shall be the Mortlock  
10          Islands Development Authority. The allottee of funds  
11          appropriated under section 5(3) of this act shall be  
12          the Mayor of Weno Municipal Government or his designee.  
13          The allottee of funds appropriated under subsection  
14          5(4) of this act shall be the Southern Namoneas  
15          Development Authority. The allottee of funds  
16          appropriated under subsection 5(5) of this act shall be  
17          the Faichuk Development Authority. The authority of  
18          the allottee to obligate funds appropriated by this act  
19          shall lapse on September 30, 2022."

1       Section 3. This act shall become law upon approval by the  
2 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its  
3 becoming law without such approval.

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Sept 7<sup>th</sup>, 2020

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David W. Panuelo  
President  
Federated States of Micronesia

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