A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 19-124, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 19-133, 19-140, 19-150, 20-05, 20-15 20-33, 20-48, 20-63 20-156, 20-175 and 21-52, by amending sections 5 and 6 thereof, to change the use, allottee and lapse date of certain funds previously appropriated therein, to fund priority infrastructure projects and other programs in the state of Chuuk, and for other purposes.

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

Section 1. Section 5 of Public Law No. 19-124, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 19-140, 19-150, 20-05, 20-15, 20-48, 20-175 and 21-52, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

“Section 5. Of the $11,300,000 appropriated under this act, $5,650,000 shall be apportioned for priority infrastructure projects and other programs in the state of Chuuk.

(1) state of Chuuk ............................... $ 5,650,000

(a) Land outright acquisition for Chuuk State and prior year obligations ....

[2,653,022] ................................. 1,646,186

(b) Road improvement, upgrade/

equipment/municipal docks/bridges [1,000,000] 870,341

(c) Ms. Chief Mailo repair ............. -0-

(d) Administration cost & management 150,000

(e) Public safety and jailhouse supplemental funding .......................... 400,000
1. (f) Second phase renovation of Chuuk House in Honolulu, Hawaii .......... $ 400,000
2. (g) Chuuk State Health Insurance Plan subsidy ................................. 100,000
3. (h) Chuuk State Inaugurations including previous expenses .................. 50,000
4. (i) Chuuk Leadership conference (2017) ........................................ 50,000
5. (j) Chuuk Goodwill Games (2017) ................................................. 50,000
6. (k) Chuuk State special programs/travel ......................................... 50,000
7. (l) Food Relief Fund ................................................................. 200,000
8. (m) Assistance to Chuuk State budget Shortfall as a result of Tropical
9. Storm Wutip ................................................................. 546,978
10. (2) At Large................................................................. 164,495
11. (3) Election District No. 1......................... 162,000
12. (4) Election District No. 2......................... 162,000
13. (5) Election District No. 3......................... 162,000
14. (6) Election District No. 4......................... 162,000
15. (7) Election District No. 5......................... 162,000

Section 2. Section 6 of Public Law No. 19-124, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 19-133, 19-140, 20-05, 20-15, 20-33, 20-48, 20-63, 20-156 and 21-22, 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 the State of Yap or his designee. The allottee of the 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(1)(a) and 3(1(b) of this act shall be the Governor of Kosrae State or his designee, the allottee of funds appropriated under subsections 4(1)(c) through 4(1)(o), 4(2)(f), 4(3)(k), 4(3)(q), 4(3)(s), 4(3)(af), 4(4)(b), 4(4)(d) and 4(4)(f), shall be the Pohnpei Transportation Authority (PTA); the allottee of funds appropriated under subsections 4(1)(a), 4(1)(b), 4(1)(f), 4(2)(c), 4(2)(d), 4(2)(e), 4(2)(g), 4(2)(h), 4(2)(i), 4(2)(j) and 4(3)(x) shall be the Secretary of the Department of Transportation, Communications and Infrastructure or his designee; the allottee of funds appropriated under
subsection 4(3)(f), 4(3)(i), 4(3)(q) 4(3)(w) and
4(3)(aa) of this act shall be the Luhk en Moanlap of
Kitti, the allottee of funds appropriated under
subsection 4(3)(ad) of this act shall be the Chief
Justice of Madolenihmw or his designee, the allottee of
funds appropriated under subsection 4(3)(ae) of this act
shall be the Chief Justice of Kitti or his designee.
The allottee of the funds appropriated under subsections
5(1), 5(2) and 5(7) of section 5 of this act shall be
the Governor of Chuuk State or his designee. The
allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 5(3) of
section 5 of this act shall be the Mortlock Islands
Development Authority. The allottee of funds
appropriated under subsection 5(4) of section 5 of this
act shall be the Mayor of Weno Municipal Government or
his designee. The allottee of funds appropriated under
subsection 5(5) of section 5 of this act shall be the
Southern Namoneas Development Authority (SNDA). The
allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 5(6) of
section 5 of this act shall be the Faichuk Development
Authority (FDA). The authority of the allottee to
obligate funds appropriated by this act shall lapse on
September 30, [2020] 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.

Date: 5/28/20

Introduced by: /s/ Robson U. Romolow

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