
A BILL FOR AN ACT

To amend section 3 of Public Law 21-29, to clarify the voting for delegates, 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. 21-19, is hereby
2 amended to read as follows:

3 "Section 3. Elections.

4 (1) Except as otherwise provided in this act,
5 election of delegates shall be held in accordance
6 with title 9 of the Code of the Federated States
7 of Micronesia (Annotated).

8 (2) The election of delegates shall be held
9 during a special election on the first Tuesday
10 after the first Monday in November, 2019.

11 (3) Each person voting for delegates shall be
12 permitted to vote for one at-large seat and [~~one~~
13 ~~district delegate~~] two district delegate seats in
14 their election district. The two candidates
15 [~~candidate~~] receiving the highest number of votes
16 for a district seat shall be the [~~delegate~~]
17 delegates to the Convention from the
18 representative district.

19 (4) The Convention shall be the sole judge of the

1 elections, returns, and qualifications of its members;
2 PROVIDED, HOWEVER, that in case of a tie vote in the
3 election, the winner shall be determined, if necessary,
4 in a run-off election between the candidates so tied.
5 Run-off elections shall occur no later than thirty days
6 after the results of the general delegate election have
7 been announced."

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

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12 Date: 9/9/19

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