June 18th, 2020

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

Dear Speaker Simina:

I am pleased to transmit the following Congressional Act, which I have signed to become Public Law No. 21-128:

Congressional Act No. 21-145, entitled: “AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 20-160, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAW NO. 20-166, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 1 AND 2 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE AND ALLOTTEE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN THE STATE OF CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”.

Sincerely,

[Signature]
David W. Panuelo
President

Xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court
June 05, 2020

His Excellency David W. Panuelo
President
Federated States of Micronesia
Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941

Dear President Panuelo:

I have the honor to transmit herewith Congressional Act No. 21-145, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 20-160, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAW NO. 20-156, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 1 AND 2 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE AND ALLOTTEE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN THE STATE OF CHUU, 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. 21-145  
(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 21-218, C.D.1)  

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 21-310  
FSM CONGRESS  

TWENTY-FIRST CONGRESS OF THE  
FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA  
FOURTH REGULAR SESSION  
MAY 11 - 30, 2020  
(EXTENDED BY C.R. NO. 21-157, ADOPTED 5/30/20)  

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An Act  

TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 20-160, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAW NO. 20-166, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 1 AND 2 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE AND ALLOTTEE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN THE STATE OF CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: VICTOR V. GOULAND  

DATE: MAY 20, 2020  

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS  
WITHDRAWN – MAY 26, 2020  

FIRST READING: – MAY 27, 2020  
SECOND READING: – JUNE 02, 2020  

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Liwiana Ramon Ioanis  
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress
ACT NO. 21-145

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 21-218, C.D.1)

We hereby certify that on June 02 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.

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 Public Law No. 20-160, as amended by Public Law No. 20-166, by amending sections 1 and 2 thereof, to change the use and allottee of certain funds previously appropriated therein, to fund public projects and social programs in the state of Chuuk, and for other purposes.

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

1  Section 1. Section 1 of Public Law No. 20-160, as amended by Public Law No. 20-166, is hereby amended to read as follows:

3  "Section 1. The sum of $600,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2019, for the purpose of funding public projects and social programs in the state of Chuuk. The funds appropriated under this section shall be apportioned as follows:

6  state of Chuuk .............................. $ 600,000

9  (1) At Large ................................. 100,000

12  (a) Chuuk-Hawaii Language and Arts School ............................... 25,000

15  (b) FAS Games/Guam ....................... 10,000

18  (c) Subsidy for Siis ....................... 5,000

21  (d) Eot Municipal subsidy and/or contributions ........................... 15,000

24  (e) Subsidy for Fananu ................. 5,000
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motor boat/engine .......................... $ 15,000
(e) Students' financial assistance. 25,000"

Section 2. Section 2 of Public Law No. 20-160 is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 2. 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 funds appropriated under sections 1(1) and 1(6) of this act shall be the Governor of Chuuk State or his designee. The allottee of funds appropriated under section 1(2) of this act shall be the Mortlock Islands Development Authority (MIDA). The allottee of funds appropriated under section 1(3) of this act shall be the Mayor of Weno Municipal Government or his designee. The allottee of funds appropriated under section 1(4) of this act shall be the Southern Namoneas Development Authority. The allottee of funds appropriated under section 1(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, 2021."

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 7th, 2020

David W. Panuelo
President
Federated States of Micronesia