TWENTY-SECOND CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

SIXTH REGULAR SESSION, 2023

C.B. No. 22-275

A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 18-117, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 18-120, 19-04, 19-08, 19-35, 19-49, 19-59, 19-76, 19-102, 20-26, 20-117, 21-27, 21-114, 21-166, 22-13, 22-71, 22-121 and 22-176, 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 in the state of Kosrae, and for other purposes.

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

Section 1. Section 3 of Public Law No. 18-117, as amended by
Public Laws Nos. 18-120, 19-04, 19-08, 22-71 and 22-176, is hereby
further amended to read as follows:

4	"Section 3. Of the sum of \$2,800,000 appropriated by this
5	act, \$400,000 is apportioned for Kosrae State for public
6	projects and social programs.

7	(1) State of Kosrae\$	400,000
8	(a) Concordia University scholarship	
9	for Master's degree	20,000
10	(b) Tsunami trail, Boro, Lelu	20,000
11	(c) Renovation of Sharon Inn building	20,000
12	(d) Vehicle and freight & related	
13	costs for youth group in Kaa, Lelu	10,000
14	(e) COM-FSM outstanding debts	
15	for dormitory students	40,000
16	(f) Kosrae High School Lunch Program	20,000
17	(g) Seawall project and related	

1	expenses at Lik, Lelu\$	10,000
2	(h) Clearing and maintenance of	
3	Malsu Farm Road in Tafunsak	10,000
4	(i) Office of the Lt. Governor subsidy	10,000
5	(j) Fishing project (outboard motors,	
6	boats, fishing gears)	45 , 000
7	(k) Lelu Town government subsidy	10,000
8	(1) Tuition costs for Kosraean	
9	students at Xavier High School	10,000
10	(m) Tsunami trail, Fwinkol, Utwe	10,000
11	(n) Kosrae Housing Program	
12	(Escrow Account)	-0-
13	(o) Contribution to Kosraean students at	
14	University of Hawaii, Manoa Campus.[20,000]	<u>0</u>
15	(p) Mutunte water system clearing	20,000
16	(q) Utwa access road & fencing	10,000
17	(r) Channel clearing	10,000
18	(s) Public Work fuel subsidy	10,000
19	(t) Vehicles purchase for MLSC and	
20	FSM Election Commission - Kosrae State	-0-
21	(u) Walung sea wall improvement	40,000
22	(v) Kosrae — Pohnpei fast pitch	
23	softball team (travel needs, accommodations	
24	and meals)	5,000
25	(w) Purchase of sports gear & equipment	5,000

1	(x) Inauguration 2015 travel and
2	related cost\$ 10,000
3	(y) Vehicle purchase for
4	delegation office
5	(z) Road improvement0-
6	(aa) Micronesian Legal Service Corporation
7	(Kosrae branch office) contribution to its
8	Headquarter Office Operation 10,000
9	(ab) Travel needs 10,000"
10	Section 2. Section 6 of Public Law No. 18-117, as amended
11	by Public Laws Nos. 19-04, 19-59, 19-102, 20-26, 20-117, 21-27,
12	21-166, 22-13, 22-121 and 22-176, is hereby further amended to
13	read as follows:
14	"Section 6. Allotment and management of funds and lapse
15	date. All funds appropriated by this act shall be
16	allotted, managed, administered and accounted for in
17	accordance with applicable laws, including, but not
18	limited to, the Financial Management Act of 1979. The
19	allottee shall be responsible for ensuring that these
20	funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are used
21	solely for the purpose specified in this act, and that no
22	obligations are incurred in excess of the sum
23	appropriated. The allottee of the funds appropriated
24	under section 2 of this act shall be the Governor of Yap
25	State; PROVIDED THAT, the allottee of funds appropriated

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1	under subsection 2(i) shall be the President of COM-FSM.
2	The allottee of funds appropriated under sections 3 and 4 $$
3	of this act shall be the President of the Federated
4	States of Micronesia or his designee, PROVIDED THAT, the
5	allottee of funds appropriated under sections
6	3(a)(b)(c)(d)(e)(f)(g)(h)(i)(j)(k)(l) and (m) shall be
7	the Mayor of Lelu Town Government; the allottee of funds
8	appropriated under sections 3(n), 3(o), 3(p), 3(q), 3(r),
9	3(s), 3(t), 3(u), 3(v), 3(w), 3(x), 3(y) [and], 3(z)
10	3(aa) and 3(ab) of this act shall be the Governor of
11	Kosrae State or his designee; the allottee of funds
12	appropriated under subsections 4(1) and 4(2)(i) of this
13	act shall be the Secretary of the Department of
14	Transportation, Communications and Infrastructure or his
15	designee; the allotte of funds appropriation under
16	sections 4(1)(a), 4(1)(b), 4(1)(d), 4(3)(a) and 4(3)(f)
17	of this act shall be the Pohnpei Transportation
18	Authority; the allottee of funds appropriated under
19	section 4(3)(h) of this act shall be the Meninkeden
20	Lapalap of Madolenimw and the allottee of funds
21	appropriated under section 4(3)(i) of this act shall be
22	the Luhkenmoanlap of Kitti. The allottee of funds
23	appropriated under subsections 5(1), 5(3) and 5(6) of
24	section 5 of this act shall be the Governor of Chuuk
25	State or his designee. The allottee of funds

1	appropriated under subsection 5(2) of section 5 of this
2	act shall be the Mortlock Islands Development Authority.
3	The allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 5(4)
4	of section 5 of this act shall be the Southern Namoneas
5	Development Authority. The allottee of funds
6	appropriated under subsection 5(5) of section 5 of this
7	act shall be the Faichuk Development Authority. The
8	authority of the allottee to obligate funds appropriated
9	by this act shall lapse on September 30, 2024."
10	Section 3. This act shall become law upon approval by the
11	President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its
12	becoming law without such approval.
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14	Date: 01/18/23 Introduced by: /s/ Rolinson B. Neth Rolinson B. Neth
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