## A BILL FOR AN ACT

To amend title 40 the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia (Annotated), as amended, by adding a new section 421, to provide National Government funding for the first sixty academic college credits for citizens of the Federated States of Micronesia at the College of Micronesia-Federated States of Micronesia, and for other purposes.

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

- 1 Section 1. Title 40 of the Code of the Federated States of
- 2 Micronesia (Annotated), as amended, is hereby further amended
- 3 adding a new section 421 read as follows:
- 4 "Section 421. Tuition Assistance.
- 5 The National Government will provide full tuition payment
- 6 to the College of the Micronesia-Federated States of
- 7 Micronesia for the first sixty academic college credits
- 8 for any citizen of the Federated States of Micronesia who
- 9 is enrolled at the college. Payment shall be made within
- 10 ten days of the college providing accurate, detailed
- enrollment records for the relevant academic semester."
- 12 Section 2. Effective Date. The provisions of this act shall
- 13 take effect on August 1, 2022.
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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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