

A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 21-157, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 21-179, 21-216 and 22-17, by amending section 6 thereof, for the purpose of changing the allottee of funds previously appropriated therein, to fund public projects and social programs for the people of Pohnpei State, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Section 6 of Public Law No. 21-157, as amended by
2 Public Law No. 21-216, is hereby further amended to read as
3 follows:

4 "Section 6. Allotment and management of funds and
5 lapse date. All funds appropriated by this act shall
6 be allotted, managed, administered and accounted for in
7 accordance with applicable laws, including, but not
8 limited to, the Financial Management Act of 1979. The
9 allottee shall be responsible for ensuring that these
10 funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are used
11 solely for the purpose specified in this act, and that
12 no obligations are incurred in excess of the sum
13 appropriated. The allottee of the funds appropriated
14 under section 2 of this act shall be the Governor of
15 Yap or his designee, PROVIDED THAT the allottee of
16 funds appropriate under subsection 2(d) of this act
17 shall be the President of COM-FSM Institute. The
18 allottee of the funds appropriated under subsection

1 3(1) of this act shall be the Governor of Kosrae or his
2 designee. The allottee of the funds appropriated under
3 subsection 3(2) of this act shall be the Mayor of Lelu
4 Town Government or his designee. The allottee of the
5 funds appropriated under section 4 of this act shall be
6 the President of the Federated States of Micronesia or
7 his designee; PROVIDED THAT, the allottee of funds
8 appropriated under subsection 4(1)(a) of this act shall
9 be the Pohnpei State Department of Land and Survey; the
10 allottee of fund appropriated under subsections,
11 4(1)(b), [~~4(1)(c)~~], 4(2)(a), 4(2)(b), 4(2)(c), 4(2)(e),
12 4(2)(f), 4(2)(g), 4(2)(h), and 4(2)(i) of this act
13 shall be the Secretary of the Department of
14 Transportation, Communications and Infrastructure or
15 his designee;" the allottee of funds appropriated under
16 subsection 4(2)(d) of this act shall be the Mayor of
17 Kolonias Town Government or his designee; the allottee
18 of funds appropriated under subsections 4(1)(c),
19 4(1)(d), 4(3)(a), 4(3)(b) and 4(3)(c) of this act shall
20 be the Pohnpei Transportation Authority; the allottee
21 of funds appropriated under subsection 4(3)(d) of this
22 act shall be the Chief Justice of Kitti or his
23 designee. The allottee of the funds appropriated under
24 subsections 5(1) and 5(6) of this act shall be the
25 Governor of Chuuk State or his designee; the allottee

1 of the funds appropriated under subsection 5(2) of this
2 act shall be the Mortlocks Island Development Authority
3 (MIDA); the allottee of the funds appropriated under
4 subsection 5(3) of this act shall be the Mayor of Weno
5 Municipal Government or his designee; the allottee of
6 the funds appropriated under subsection 5(4) of this
7 act shall be the Southern Namoneas Development
8 Authority; the allottee of the funds appropriated under
9 subsection 5(5) of this act shall be the Faichuk
10 Development Authority. The authority of the allottee
11 to obligate funds appropriated by this act shall lapse
12 on September 30, 2022."

13 Section 2. This act shall become law upon approval by the
14 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its
15 becoming law without such approval.

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17 Date: 9/13/21

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