The President
Palikir, Pohnpei
Federated States of Micronesia

September 28, 2021

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

Dear Speaker Simina:

I am pleased to transmit the following act, which I have signed to become Public Law No. 22-45:

Congressional Act No. 22-37, entitled: “AN ACT TO AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 22-37, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 4, 5 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 OF POHNPEI AND CHUUK STATES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.”

I wish to thank the 22nd FSM Congress for the passage of this act.

Sincerely,

[Signature]
David W. Panuelo
President

xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court
September 20, 2021

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. 22-37, "AN ACT TO AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 22-37, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 4, 5 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 OF Pohnpei AND Chuuk States, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES", which was passed by the Twenty-Second Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Second Regular Session, 2021, by a two-thirds vote of all the State delegations as required and as duly certified.

Sincerely yours,

[Signature]
Jessica Lyn Reyes
Chief Clerk, Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia

Enclosures
An Act

TO AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 22-37, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 4, 5 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 OF Pohnpei AND Chuuk States, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: ESMOND P. MOSES

DATE: SEPTEMBER 14, 2021

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS
WITHDRAWN — SEPTEMBER 14, 2021
FIRST READING: — SEPTEMBER 14, 2021
SECOND READING: — SEPTEMBER 20, 2021

Jessicalynn Reyes
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress
ACT NO. 22-37

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 22-74, C.D.1, C.D.2)

We hereby certify that on September 20 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Twenty-Second Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Second Regular Session, 2021, 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

Jessica Lynn Reyes
Chief Clerk
Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia
AN ACT

To amend Public Law No. 22-37, by amending sections 4, 5 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 of Pohnpei and Chuuk States, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Section 4 of Public Law No. 22-37 is hereby amended to read as follows:

2 "Section 4. Of the $2,800,000 appropriated under this act, $800,000 shall be apportioned for public projects and social programs for the people of Pohnpei State.

3 state of Pohnpei.............................$ 800,000

4 (1) At Large......................... 200,000

5 (a) U, Takaieu Southeast Community road improvement....................... 25,000

6 (b) U, Takaieu powerline extension.. 25,000

7 (c) Children medical assistance subsidy 20,000

8 (d) Students repatriation subsidy... 15,000

9 (e) Lenger Island Community Development 15,000

10 (f) Pohnpei Hospital inpatient Facilities improvement............... 25,000

11 (g) Paies road repair................. 25,000

12 (h) Pohnpei State Public Safety Community programs....................... 15,000
(i) Nanmeir road repair......... $15,000
(j) Kepin Souna, Nett road repair...
20,000
(2) Election District No. 1............... 200,000
(a) Sokehs Ridge Solar Lighting project.. 14,000
(b) Sokehs Ridge Cleaning 2022......... 25,000
(c) Daini Sidewalk...................... 15,000
(d) Solar lights for Kolonia Secondary road 30,000
(e) Spanish Wall Electric installation/lighting 15,000
(f) PUC water plant subsidy............. 15,000
(g) Pohnrakied and Roie basketball solar lights 20,000
(h) Kolonia Senior citizen subsidy...... 10,000
(i) Namadap Bridge supplement......... 15,000
(j) Outboard Motors (15 horse power)..... 21,000
(k) COM-FSM students’ outstanding debts.. 20,000
(3) Election District No. 2............ 200,000
(a) UCCP summit implementation........ 13,000
(b) Madolenimw election.................. 12,000
(c) Madolenimw liberation day........... 5,000
(d) Upper PATS road improvement...... 25,000
(e) Medical referral...................... 15,000
(f) Lewetik Civic Center.................. 10,000
(g) Meninkeder Lapapal office vehicle... 20,000
(h) Road improvement..................... 50,000
(i) Pohnahlap road improvement......... 50,000
(4) Election District No. 3........... 200,000
CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 22-74, C.D.1, C.D.2

(a) Liwi to Nanpil road repair/paving .. $ 100,000
(b) Nanu wharf rehabilitation .................. 100,000"

Section 2. Section 5 of Public Law No. 22-37 is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 5. Of the $2,800,000 appropriated under this act, $1,200,000 shall be apportioned for public projects and social programs for the people of Chuuk State.

state of Chuuk............................. $ 1,200,000

1 At Large.................................... 200,000

(a) Administrative Support Costs
(prior obligations for salaries, benefits and others) .................. 45,000
(b) Contributions to State, Municipal or Community Activities, Events and Programs.. 25,000
(c) Charters/POL/Freight (including prior obligations) .................. 30,000
(d) Fishing Projects ................. 40,000
(e) Kuttu Constitutional Convention 5,000
(f) Land Transportation ................. 40,000
(g) Wichukuno, Tolensom road/seawall improvements .................. 15,000

(2) Election District No. 1................. 200,000
(a) MIDA operation subsidy............. 170,000
(b) Grant Writer for proposals....... 15,000
(c) Oneop road project and labor costs 10,000

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PUBLIC LAW No. 22-45
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and accessories fees ....................... $10,000

(1) Contribution to CPUC connection fees

(m) POL/Chartered/Freight ............... 10,000

(5) Election District No. 4 ............... 200,000

(a) FDA Administrative Support costs 20,000

(b) Land Transportation.................. 30,000

(c) Housing renovations and repair... 40,000

(d) Fishing project...................... 40,000

(e) Students financial assistance... 20,000

(f) Food relief program.................. 30,000

(g) Chuuk Inauguration 2021............ 20,000

(6) Election District No. 5 ............... 200,000

(a) Municipal Communities activities,

events and programs ..................... 25,000

(b) POL/Freight/Charters.................. 40,000

(c) Narik Matao operation subsidy... 20,000

(d) Water tanks......................... 15,000

(e) Low Income Housing renovation/

rehabilitation ......................... 40,000

(f) Office rent ......................... 10,000

(g) Food relief program................. 20,000

(h) Fishing project ..................... 20,000

(i) Office Administrative support cost 10,000

Section 3. Section 6 of Public Law No. 22-37 is hereby

amended to read as follows:

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"Section 6. 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 the funds appropriated under section 2 of this act shall be the Governor of Yap State or his designee. The allottee of funds appropriated under sections 3 and 4 of this act shall be the President of the Federated States of Micronesia or his designee; PROVIDED THAT the allottee of funds appropriated under section 3(1) of this act shall be the Governor of Kosrae State or his designee; the allottee of funds appropriated under section 3(2) of this act shall be the Mayor of Lelu Town Government or his designee the allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 4(1)(b) of this act shall be the Pohnpei Utility Corporation (PUC); the allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 4(1)(d) of this act shall be the Secretary of the Department of Education or his designee; the allottee of funds appropriated under
subsection 4(1)(h) of this act shall be the Secretary of
the Department of Justice or his designee; the allottee
of funds appropriated under sections 4(1)(a), 4(1)(e),
4(1)(f), 4(1)(g), 4(1)(i) and 4(1)(j), of this act shall
be the Secretary of the Department of Transportation,
Communications and Infrastructure or his designee,
except that the allottee of funds appropriated under
subsection 4(2)(k) of this act shall be the President of
COM-FSM or his designee; the allottee of funds
appropriated under subsections 4(3)(d), 4(3)(i) and
4(4)(a) of this act shall be the Pohnpei Transportation
Authority (PTA); the allottee of funds appropriated
under subsections and 4(1)(c) and 4(3)(e) of this act
shall be the Secretary of the Department of Health and
Social Affairs or her designee. The allottee of the
funds appropriated under subsections 5(1) and 5(6) of
this act shall be the Governor of Chuuk State or his
designee; the allottee of the funds appropriated under
subsection 5(2) of this act shall be the Mortlocks
Island Development Authority (MIDA), the allottee of
funds appropriated under section 5(3) of this act shall
be the Mayor of Weno Municipality or his designee; the
allottee of the funds appropriated under subsection 5(4)
of this act shall be the Southern Namoneas Development
Authority; the allottee of the funds appropriated under
subsection 5(5) of this act shall be the Faichuk Development Authority. The authority of the allottee to obligate funds appropriated by this act shall lapse on September 30, 2023."

Section 4. This act shall become law upon approval by the President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its becoming law without such approval.

Sept 28th, 2021

David W. Panuelo
President
Federated States of Micronesia