February 6, 2023

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 into Public Law No. 22-185:

Congressional Act No. 22-181 entitled: "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 22-86, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 22-101, 22-102, 22-106, 22-140, 22-147, 22-161 AND 22-168, BY AMENDING SECTION 5 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PRIORITY INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS AND OTHER PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE CHUUK STATE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Thank you.

Sincerely,

David W. Panuelo
President

xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court
January 25, 2023

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. 22-181, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 22-86, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 22-101, 22-102, 22-106, 22-140, 22-147, 22-161 AND 22-168, BY AMENDING SECTION 5 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PRIORITY INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS AND OTHER PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF CHUUK STATE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES", which was passed by the Twenty-Second Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Sixth Regular Session, 2023, by a two-thirds vote of all the State delegations as required and as duly certified.

Sincerely yours,

[Signature]

Jessicalynn Reyes
Chief Clerk, Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia

Enclosures
An Act

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INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: ROBSON U. ROMOLOW
DATE: JANUARY 12, 2023

REFERRED TO: WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE
WITHDRAWN – JANUARY 17, 2023

FIRST READING: JANUARY 17, 2023
SECOND READING: JANUARY 20, 2023

Jessica Lynn Reyes
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress
ACT NO. 22-181

(Congressional Bill No. 22-270)

We hereby certify that on January 20 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Twenty-Second Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Sixth Regular Session, 2023, 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 further amend Public Law No. 22-86, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 22-101, 22-102, 22-106, 22-140, 22-147, 22-161 and 22-168, by amending section 5 thereof, to change the use of funds previously appropriated therein, for the purpose of funding priority infrastructure projects and other public projects and social programs for the people of Chuuk State, and for other purposes.

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

1. Section 1. Section 5 of Public Law No. 22-86, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 22-101, 22-102, 22-106 and 22-147, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

"Section 5. Of the $11,200,000 appropriated under this act, $4,800,000 shall be apportioned for priority infrastructure projects and other public projects and social programs for the people of Chuuk State.

State of Chuuk ......................... $ 4,800,000

(1) State Priority Infrastructure projects
and other projects and programs ............ 2,100,000

(a) Tunnuk-Sapuk (Weno)

(b) Wichap-Epinup (Weno)

Main Roads ............................... 370,000

(c) Commuter Dock Area Improvements 190,000

(d) Berea Christian School Constructions

and Improvements (including labor and
material costs) .......................... $ 380,000

(e) Caroline College & Pastoral
Institute (CCPI) Constructions (including
prior obligations/reimbursement for payments
already made to contractors or vendors) ... 150,000

(f) Cathedral Multi-purpose Center
(including labor and material costs) ...... 150,000

(g) St. Cecilia School Constructions
and Improvements (including labor and material) 100,000

(h) Namusofo (Udot) Gymnasium Constructions
(including labor and material costs) ...... 100,000

(i) Saramen Chuuk Academy School Bus 50,000

(j) Chuuk Brokerage Fees
(prior years' obligations) ................. 125,000

(k) Chuuk Public Service
Commission subsidy ........................... 25,000

(l) Chuukese Association of Guam ... 50,000

(m) FAS Athletic Organization ...... 10,000

(n) Chuuk Women Council ............... 30,000

(2) At Large .................................. 365,000

(a) Administrative Support Costs
(including prior obligations) .......... 50,000

(b) Contributions to State, Municipal
and Community Activities, Events and Programs

PROVIDED THAT, the Secretary of Finance and
Administration and his staff shall not impose any other or additional requirements not explicitly set forth in regulations or policies duly promulgated pursuant to the Administrative Procedures Act and other relevant laws in order to process a project control document pursuant thereto ........ $ 106,000 (c) Fishing Projects ................. 30,000 (d) Housing Renovations and Improvements 50,000 (e) Land Transportation ............ 65,000 (f) Women's Home Economic Projects 7,000 (g) Generators and Solar-powered lighting and accessories .................. 7,000 (h) Udot (Monowe) Roads Improvements/ Beautification (including labor and material costs) ......................... 15,000 (i) Uman Leadership Conference Participants' Allowance (January-March 2022) 10,000 (j) Mechitiw Basketball Court and Accessories (Including labor and material costs) 15,000 (k) Moch Community School Construction (including labor and material costs) ..... 15,000 (l) Paata roads and bridges ........... 10,000 (3) Election District No. 1.............. 400,000 (a) Emergency food relief program ................... 50,000
1. (b) Solar lights ...................... $0
2. (c) Power and electrification project -0-
3. (d) MIDA's new vessels dedication and
4. celebration .................................. 50,000
5. (e) Contributions to Community, Municipal
6. and traditional special occasions/activities/
7. events ........................................ 50,000
8. (f) Solar freezers ....................... 50,000
9. (g) Housing renovation and improvement -0-
10. (h) Mortlock Islands Development Authority
11. (MIDA) new ships supplemental funding ..... 200,000
12. (4) Election District No. 2.............. 535,000
13. (a) Administrative support costs ... 25,000
14. (b) Humanitarian assistance .......... 75,000
15. (c) Repatriation of human remains .. 20,000
16. (d) Housing renovations ............... 100,000
17. (e) Fishing project ...................... 30,000
18. (f) Students financial assistance .. 20,000
19. (g) Sewing project ....................... 20,000
20. (h) Land transportation ................. 60,000
21. (i) Road improvement/maintenance
22. (contractual service) ...................... 100,000
23. (j) Municipal Governments subsidy .. 30,000
24. (k) Travel needs ......................... 10,000
25. (l) Mayor and Deputy Mayor of Weno
Municipal Government representation fund $10,000
(m) Fonoton Island electrification 35,000
(5) Election District No. 3 600,000
(a) Southern Namoneas Development Authority operation/prior and current
obligations 85,000
(b) Humanitarian assistance 50,000
(c) Food Security/Climate Change Impact Study and Assessment 20,000
(d) Feasibility study on Fefan and Uman Islands for expansion of electricity/
solar renewable energy usage 80,000
(e) Construction of a Municipal office building on Fefan Island 50,000
(f) Construction of a Municipal office building on Uman Island 50,000
(g) Roads and shoreline improvement projects 40,000
(h) Municipal Governments subsidies 40,000
(i) Community Halls/ Housing Improvement (current and obligations) 58,000
(j) Students' financial assistance 30,000
(k) Medical referrals 15,000
(l) Fishing project 30,000
(m) Land transportation 17,000
(n) Contributions to community activities/events/programs .................. $20,000
(o) Sewing project .................. 10,000
(p) Medications for un-insured patients 5,000
(6) Election District No. 4 .......... 400,000
(a) Fishing project .................. 50,000
(b) Land transportation ............... 40,000
(c) Housing renovation ................ 50,000
(d) FDA administrative support costs 30,000
(e) Repatriation of human remains .. 25,000
(f) Travel needs ...................... 25,000
(g) Food relief program ............... 50,000
(h) Water project .................... 30,000
(i) Municipal contribution ........... 100,000
(7) Election District No. 5 .......... 400,000
(a) Contributions to community, municipal activities, events, programs .... 20,000
(b) Low Income/Community housing renovation/rehabilitation ................. 30,000
(c) Students' financial assistance . -0-  
(d) Northwest refrigeration units and installment ............................... 15,000
(e) Food relief program ............... 20,000
(f) Land transportation ............... 35,000
(g) CPUC subsidy for Northwest
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Section 2. This act shall become law upon approval by the President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its becoming law without such approval.

6 Feb., 2023

David W. Panuelo
President
Federated States of Micronesia