June 21, 2022

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. 22-132:


Thank you.

Sincerely,

David W. Panuelo
President

xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court
May 27, 2022

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. 22-129, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW  
NO. 20-60, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 20-65,  
20-75, 20-85, 20-97, 20-150, 21-69, 21-84, 21-100,  
21-129, 21-163, 21-173, 21-187, 22-11, 22-59 AND  
22-78, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 5 AND 6 THEREOF, TO  
CHANGE THE USE AND EXTEND THE LAPSE DATE OF FUNDS  
PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PUBLIC  
PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN EACH OF THE STATES,  
AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES", which was passed by the  
Twenty-Second Congress of the Federated States of  
Micronesia, Fourth Regular Session, 2022, by a two- 
thirds vote of all the State delegations as  
required and as duly certified.

Sincerely yours,

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

Enclosures
An Act


INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: ESMOND B. MOSES

DATE: MAY 12, 2022

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS
WITHDRAWN – MAY 13, 2022

FIRST READING: – MAY 16, 2022
SECOND READING: – MAY 24, 2022

Jessicaalynn Reyes
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress
ACT NO. 22-129

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 22-186, C.D.1)

We hereby certify that on May 24 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Twenty-Second Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fourth Regular Session, 2022, 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

JessicaLynn Reyes
Chief Clerk
Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia
AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 20-60, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 20-65, 20-75, 20-85, 20-97, 20-150, 21-69, 21-84, 21-100, 21-129, 21-163, 21-173, 21-187, 22-11, 22-59 and 22-78, by amending sections 5 and 6 thereof, to change the use and extend the lapse date of funds previously appropriated therein, to fund public projects and social programs in each of the states, and for other purposes.

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

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<td>&quot;Section 5. Of the $4,450,000 appropriated under this act, $1,800,000 shall be apportioned for public projects and social programs in the state of Chuuk.</td>
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<td>(j) Caroline College and Pastoral Institute (CCPI) on Weno</td>
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(k) Berea Christian school classrooms. $15,000

(l) MIDA's vessel operation .......... 10,000

(3) Election District No. 2.............. 300,000

(a) Human repatriation ............... 10,000

(b) Chuuk Office of the Governor subsidy 10,000

(c) Travel needs ..................... 20,000

(d) Land transportation needs ...... 30,000

(e) Fishing project .................. 30,000

(f) Housing and community

building renovation ..................... 100,000

(g) Municipal governments' subsidy . 50,000

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

(i) Administrative support services 10,000

(j) Chuuk State Women Council subsidy 10,000

(4) Election District No. 3............. 300,000

(a) Contributions to Southern Namoneas

(Guam and Hawaii) Youth 2018 Goodwill games -0-

(b) Sewing project .................... 10,000

(c) Fishing project ................... 50,000

(d) Housing renovations .............. 60,000

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

(f) Travel needs ....................... 40,000

(g) Medical assistance ............... 5,000

(h) POL/Charters/Freight .............. 5,000

(i) Community Meeting Halls ......... 30,000
(j) Contributions to community and social events, activities and programs $40,000
(k) Travel needs ................. $20,000
(l) Berea Christian School ........ $5,000
(m) Land transportation ............ $15,000
(5) Election District No. 4 ............ $300,000
(a) Road improvement and beautification $30,000
(b) Travel needs ...................... $50,000
(c) Humanitarian assistance ........... $50,000
(d) Low income housing repair and renovation .................. $50,000
(e) Fishing project .................... $50,000
(f) Business startup ................... $10,000
(g) Solar system ....................... $30,000
(h) Repatriation of human remain and medical referral .................. $20,000
(i) Sport events in Guam ............... $10,000
(6) Election District No. 5 ............ $300,000
(a) Solar Freezer and Solar street lights $50,000
(b) Dispensary boat and motor ....... $39,721
(c) Food relief program ............... $15,000
(d) Medical referral and Human Repatriation .......................... $10,854
(e) Leaders, students and citizens travel need ...................... $15,000
(f) POL/Freight/Charter ............ $ 15,000
(g) Onoun, Onou, Magur, Tamatamand
Polowat Multi purpose buildings ............ 19,469
(h) Students financial assistance ... 20,000
(i) Northwest Health Aide assistant 2,614
(j) Allottee's administrative
support services ......................... 10,000
(k) Northwest Municipal offices/
dispensaries Prefab buildings ............ 30,000
(l) Land Acquisition for municipal
governments ............................ 60,000
(m) Fishing project (boats and motors) 12,342“

Section 2. Section 6 of Public Law No. 20-60, as amended
by Public Laws Nos. 20-65, 20-75, 20-97, 21-129, 21-163, 21-173 and
22-78 is hereby further amended to read as follows:
“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 funds appropriated under
section 2 of this act shall be the Governor of Yap State or his designee; PROVIDED THAT the allottee of funds appropriated under subsections 2(i), 2(j) and 2(n) of this act shall be the President or his designee. The allottee of the 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 subsections 3(a) to 3(o) and subsection 3(af) of this act shall be the Mayor of Lelu Town Government or his designee; the allottee of funds appropriated under subsections 3(p) to 3(ae) of this act shall be the Governor of Kosrae State or his designee; the allottee of funds appropriated under subsections 4(1)(m) and 4(1)(o) of this act shall be the Mayor of Pingelap or his designee; the allottee of funds appropriated under subsections 4(2)(e), 4(2)(g) and 4(2)(m) of this act shall be the Pohnpei Transportation Authority (PTA); the allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 4(2)(o) of this act shall be the Pohnpei Utility Corporation (PUC). 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 subsection 5(3) of this act shall be the Mayor of Weno Municipal Government 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, 2024."

Section 3. This act shall become law upon approval by the President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its becoming law without such approval.

June 21, 2022

David W. Panuelo
President
Federated States of Micronesia