

A BILL FOR AN ACT

To amend Public Law No. 6-109, as amended by Public Law Nos. 1-2 and 1-50, to require the Washington Liaison Officer to submit a written report and eliminate the need for his personal appearance before the Congress, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Section 2 of Public Law No. 6-109, as amended by Public Law
2 Nos. 1-2 and 1-50, is hereby amended to read as follows:

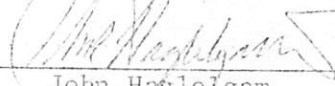
3 "Section 2. The Liaison Officer shall maintain the office headquarters
4 in Washington, D.C., and shall have the power to employ such secretarial,
5 clerical, technical, and professional assistants as he may deem necessary
6 to the fulfilling of his duties and responsibilities, subject to appro-
7 priations for his office. He shall represent the people of the Federated
8 States of Micronesia on a full-time basis before the Congress of the
9 United States and before the various departments and agencies of the Federal
10 Government and other organizations, public and private, on all matters
11 pertaining to the Federated States of Micronesia, and shall actively and
12 fully advocate all programs and policies duly adopted by the Government
13 of the Federated States of Micronesia. He shall not bind or commit the
14 Government of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands without specific
15 authority to do so. He shall also assist the public officials of the
16 Federated States of Micronesia with respect to all matters necessary and
17 pertaining to the conduct of their offices, and shall render a written
18 report on his activities ~~in addition~~ to the ~~obligations of the~~ ~~Federated States~~
19 ~~of Micronesia~~ Secretary of the Department of External Affairs once a year
20 during the first regular session of the Congress of the Federated States
21 of Micronesia of each calendar year beginning in 1980. The Secretary shall
22 forthwith deliver the report to the Congress of the Federated States of
23 Micronesia. ~~He~~ The Liaison Officer shall be subject to the direction of
24 the President of the Federated States of Micronesia on the conduct of
25 his office and shall submit a monthly report of his activities to him."

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

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4 Date: May 14, 1981 Introduced by: 
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