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A BILL FOR AN ACT

To amend section 117 of title 52 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia, exempting Supreme Court employees from the National Public Service System, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Section 117 of title 52 of the Code of the Federated
2 States of Micronesia is hereby amended to read as follows:

3 "Section 117. Application of chapter; Exemptions. The
4 National Public Service System shall apply to all employees of
5 and positions in the central Government of the Federated
6 States of Micronesia now existing or hereafter established
7 and to all personnel services performed for that Government
8 except the following, unless this chapter or provisions
9 thereof are specifically made applicable to them:

10 (1) Members of the Congress of the Federated States
11 of Micronesia;

12 (2) the President and Vice President of the Federated
13 States of Micronesia;

14 (3) Justices and other Judges of the National Courts
15 and secretaries to the Justices of the Supreme Court;

16 (4) the legislative counsel and the Clerk of the
17 Congress;

18 (5) the Public Auditor;

19 (6) the administrative officer, Chief Clerk, and the
20 National Justice Ombudsman of the National Courts;

21 (7) the special assistants and secretaries to the Presi-
22 dent and Vice President;

23 (8) persons appointed by the President to fill the
24 following positions: Secretary of External Affairs, Secretary
25 of Finance, Secretary of Resources and Development, Secretary

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1 of Social Services, Budget Officer, Information Officer,
2 Personnel Officer, National Planner, Attorney General, and
3 Public Defender, and their deputies, if any;

4 (9) persons appointed to any other positions by the
5 President with the advice and consent of the Congress;

6 (10) the Liaison Officer in Washington and all ambassadors;

7 (11) persons or organizations retained by contract when
8 the Personnel Officer has certified that the service to be per-
9 formed is special or unique and nonpermanent and is essential to
10 the public interest, and that, because of the degree of ex-
11 pertise or special knowledge required and the nature of the
12 services to be performed, it would not be practical to obtain
13 personnel to perform such services through normal public
14 service recruitment procedures;

15 (12) persons presently under contract of employment not
16 included in subsection (11) of this section, during the life
17 of such contract. No contract of employment shall be entered
18 into, renewed, or amended after the effective date of this
19 chapter, except in accordance with the provisions of this
20 chapter;

21 (13) temporary positions, required in the public interest,
22 for which the need does not exceed six months;

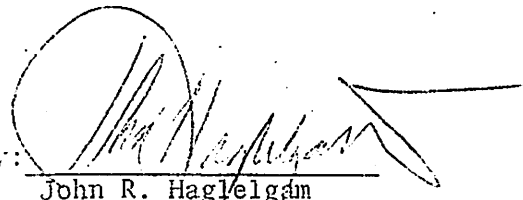
23 (14) positions requiring part-time or intermittent work
24 which does not exceed sixty hours in any calendar month;

25 (15) positions filled by inmates, patients, and students

1 of institutions of the Federated States of Micronesia;
2 (16) members of any board, public corporation,
3 commission, or similar body, in their capacity as such;
4 (17) officers, faculty, and employees of the Board of
5 Regents and the College of Micronesia; and
6 (18) positions specifically exempted by any other law
7 of the Federated States of Micronesia."

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

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12 Date: 5/31/83

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