FOURTH CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

FOURTH SPECIAL SESSION, 1987

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C. B. No. 4-391

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend title 1 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia, as amended by Public Law No. 4-82, by repealing sections 601 to 603 of chapter 6 and adding new sections 601 to 603 in lieu thereof for the purpose of designating National holidays and setting forth certain conditions for their observance, and for other purposes.

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

1	Section 1. Title 1 of the Code of the Federated States of
2	Micronesia, as amended by Public Law No. 4-82, is hereby further
3	amended by repealing section 601 of chapter 6 in its entirety and
4	adding a new section 601 of chapter 6 to read as follows:
5	"Section 601. National holidays. The following days shall
6	be observed as National holidays throughout the Federated
7	States of Micronesia:
8	(1) The first day of January of each year, which is
9	hereby designated as New Year's Day;
10	(2) The tenth day of May of each year, which is
11	hereby designated as Constitution Day to commemorate the
12	effective date of the Constitution of the Federated States
13	of Micronesia;
14	(3) The third day of November of each year, which is
15	hereby designated as Independence Day to commemorate the
16	termination of the United Nations Trusteeship Agreement as
L7	it applied to the Federated States of Micronesia and the
18	commencement of full self-government for the people of the
L9	Federated States of Micronesia; and
20	(4) The twenty-fifth day of December of each year,
21	which is hereby designated as Christmas Day."
22	Section 2. Title 1 of the Code of the Federated States of
23	Micronesia, as amended by Public Law No. 4-82, is hereby further
24	amended by repealing section 602 of chapter 6 in its entirety and
25	adding a new section 602 of chapter 6 to read as follows:

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1	"Section 602. <u>Time of observance</u> . Except for Christmas
2	Day and New Year's Day, the holidays designated in section
3	601 of this chapter shall:
4	(1) If they occur on a Tuesday, be observed on the
5	preceding Monday;
6	(2) If they occur on a Thursday, be observed on the
7	following Friday;
8	(3) If they occur on a Saturday, be observed on the
9	preceding Friday; or
10	(4) If they occur on a Sunday, be observed on the
11	following Monday."
12	Section 3. Title 1 of the Code of the Federated States of
13	Micronesia, as amended by Public Law No. 4-82, is hereby further
14	amended by repealing section 603 of chapter 6 in its entirety and
15	adding a new section 603 of chapter 6 to read as follows:
16	"Section 603. Other holidays. No holidays other than
17	those set forth in section 601 of this chapter shall be
18	observed by any employees or officials of the National
19	Government of the Federated States of Micronesia."
20	Section 4. This act shall become law upon approval by the
21	President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its becoming
22	law without such approval.
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24	Date: ///87 Introduced by: Mm John R. HagleIgam/
25	(by request)