A BILL FOR AN ACT

To amend sections 2, 3, and 4 of Public Law No. 2-37 to provide for reimbursement by the Government of the Federated States of Micronesia of 50 percent of home leave travel costs of National Government personnel, and for other purposes.

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

Section 1. Section 2 of Public Law No. 2-37 is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 2. Home leave transportation. From the effective date of this act, any employee or official of the National Government shall be entitled to reimbursement from the National Government of 50 percent of his transportation costs during his interim-employment period to or from his home base or any other on a home leave except for accrued vacation time. Such reimbursement shall only be made once every 2 years to any employee or official of the National Government."

Section 2. Section 3 of Public Law No. 2-37 is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 3. Applicability of act. This act shall not be construed to prohibit full Government-paid transportation costs from an employee's home base to commence his employment with the National Government nor shall it be construed to prohibit full Government-paid transportation costs to an employee's home base after termination of employment with the National Government."

Section 3. Section 4 of Public Law No. 2-37 is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 4. Personnel on contract. Employees or officials entitled by contract existing at this act's effective date to
The transportation benefits specified exceeding those in section 2 of this act shall not be affected by the provisions of section 2 for the duration of that contract only. All such contracts entered into after the effective date of this act shall conform to the provisions of this act."

Section 4. This act shall become law upon approval by the President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its becoming law without such approval.

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