

C.B. NO. 5-99

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend title 52 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 3-78 and 4-114, by amending section 117 for the purpose of exempting Congress staff attorneys from the 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 Federate
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
5	employees of and positions in the central Government of
6	the Federated States of Micronesia now existing or
7	hereafter established and to all personnel services
8	performed for that Government except the following, unless
9	this chapter or provisions thereof are specifically made
LO	applicable to them:
L1	(1) members of the Congress of the Federated States
L2	of Micronesia;
L3	(2) the President and Vice President of the Federate
L4	States of Micronesia;
L5	(3) Justices and other Judges of the National Courts
L6	(4) the legislative counsel, the staff attorneys,
L7	and the Clerk of the Congress;
18	(5) the Public Auditor;
L9	(6) the administrative officer of the National
20	Courts;
21	(7) the special assistants and secretaries to the
22	President and Vice President;
23	(8) persons appointed by the President to fill the
24	following positions: Secretary of External Affairs,
2.5	Secretary of Finance, Secretary of Resources and Develop-

1	ment, Secretary of Social Services, Budget Officer,
2 ;	Information Officer, Personnel Officer, National Planner,
3	Attorney General, and Public Defender, and their deputies,
4	if any;
5	(9) persons appointed to any other positions by the
6	President with the advice and consent of the Congress;
7	(10) the Liaison Officer in Washington and all
8	ambassadors;
9	(11) persons or organizations retained by contract
10	when the Personnel Officer has certified that the service
11	to be performed is special or unique and nonpermanent and
L2	is essential to the public interest, and that, because of
L3	the degree of expertise or special knowledge required and
L4	the nature of the services to be performed, it would not
L5	be practical to obtain personnel to perform such services
L6	through normal public service recruitment procedures;
L7	(12) persons presently under contract of employment
18	not included in subsection (11) of this section, during
L9	the life of such contract. No contract of employment
20	shall be entered into, renewed, or amended after the
21	effective date of this chapter, except in accordance with
22	the provisions of this chapter;
23	(13) temporary positions, required in the public
24	interest, for which the need does not exceed six months;
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1	work which does not exceed sixty hours in any calendar
2	month;
3	(15) positions filled by inmates, patients, and
4	students of institutions of the Federated States of
5	Micronesia;
6	(16) members of any board, public corporation,
7	commission, or similar body, in their capacity as such;
8	(17) officers, faculty, and employees of the Board
9	of Regents and the College of Micronesia; and
10	(18) positions specifically exempted by any other
11	law of the Federated States of Micronesia."
12	Section 2. This act shall become law upon approval by the
13	President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its
14	becoming law without such approval.
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