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A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend title 51 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 4-72 and 4-110, by adding a new section 140 for the purpose of requiring non-citizen workers to pass the T3 or equivalent competency tests to qualify for working in the Federated States of Micronesia, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Title 51 of the Code of the Federated States of  
2 Micronesia is hereby further amended by the addition of a new  
3 section 140 to read as follows:

4 "Section 140. Non-citizen worker's competency.  
5 Non-citizen workers must receive a certificate of  
6 competency from the T3 training program if they work at  
7 any job requiring the same skills as are taught by the T3  
8 program. Non-citizen workers shall be given the same test  
9 as T3 trainees. In lieu of taking the T3 competency tests  
10 a non-citizen worker may present a certificate of competency  
11 from a comparable examination that is recognized by the  
12 International Labor Organization and accepted by the  
13 Division of Labor. The failure of a non-citizen worker to  
14 earn a certificate within 60 days after the commencement  
15 of his employment in the Federated States of Micronesia  
16 or 60 days after this act becomes law, whichever comes  
17 later, shall result in the revocation of the non-citizen  
18 worker's work permit."

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

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