AN ACT

To amend title 40 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia by amending section 241 to provide that the school year shall consist of not less than 180 days of school in session exclusive of holidays, or an equivalent of no fewer than 650 hours of classroom instruction for first and second-graders, and no fewer than 765 hours of classroom instruction for third through twelfth-graders, and for other purposes.

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

Section 1. Section 241 of title 40 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 241. School year. The school year in the Federated States of Micronesia shall consist of not less than one hundred eighty days of school in session exclusive of holidays, or an equivalent of no fewer than six hundred fifty hours of classroom instruction for first and second-graders and no fewer than seven hundred sixty five hours of classroom instruction for third through twelfth-graders. Each of the several States may, with the approval of its department of education or equivalent, establish beginning and ending dates of the school year in accordance with local needs and customs. Such dates need not be uniform throughout the State."

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

January 2, 1989

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President
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