AN ACT

To further amend title 52 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 5-21, 6-114, and 7-16, by amending section 153 to remove the advice and consent requirement for appointments to the appeal panel of the Public Service System, to revise those eligible to serve on the appeal panel, and to empower the President to appoint the panel, and for other purposes.

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

Section 1. Section 153 of title 52 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 153. Appeals - Appeal panel. The President shall appoint not fewer than seven persons to constitute a panel from which ad hoc hearing committees may be drawn for the purpose set forth in this subchapter. The President may remove a member of the panel for cause. Persons appointed shall be nonexempt employees of the Government of the Federated States of Micronesia, of mature judgment and experience. The panel shall include at least one member from each of the three branches of Government. Exempt employees shall not be eligible for membership on the panel."

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.

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July 13, 1992

President
Federated States of Micronesia