EIGHTH CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

C.B. NO. 8-/26

A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend title 2 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia, as amended, by further amending section 203, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 5-21, 6-62 and 7-97, for the purpose of merging the Division of Labor, a subdivision of the Department of Resources and Development, with the Division of Immigration, a subdivision of the Office of the Attorney General, to establish a Division of Labor and Immigration to be under the authority of a department to be determined by the President, and for other purposes.

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

1	Section 1. Section 203 of title 2 of the Code of the Federated
2	States of Micronesia, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 5-21, 6-62 and
3	7-97, is hereby further amended to read as follows:
4	"Section 203. Departments.
5	(1) There shall be the following departments which
6	shall be responsible for major programs or administrative
7	support areas in the Government of the Federated States:
8	(a) Department of Finance;
9	(b) Department of External Affairs;
10	(c) Department of Transportation and Communication;
11	(d) Department of Resources and Development;
12	(e) Department of Health Services; and
13	(f) Department of Education.
14	(2) The Division of Labor shall be removed as a sub-
15	division of the Department of Resources and Development.
16	The Division of Immigration shall be removed as a sub-
17	division of the Office of the Attorney General and merged
18	with the Division of Labor to establish the Division of
19	Labor and Immigration. The Division of Labor and Immi-
20	gration shall be under the authority of a department to be
21	determined by the President.
22	(23) The administrative head of each department shall be
23	designated as a 'Secretary.'
24	(74) Succession.
25	(a) Any reference to the Office of Information, the

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1 Office of Personnel, the Office of Education, the Office 2 of Health Services, the Department of Human Resources, or the 3 Department of Transportation shall apply to the appropriate successor entity. 5 (b) Any reference to any official or employee of an entity referred to in subsection (34) (a) of this section 6 shall be construed as applying to the person holding the same 7 or most similar position in the appropriate successor entity." 8 Section 2. This act shall take effect 30 days after becoming law. 9 Section 3. This act shall become law upon approval by the 10 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its becoming 11 12 law without such approval. Date: 10/80/93 Introduced by: U 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25