A BILL FOR AN ACT

To appropriate the sum of $600,000 from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997, for the purpose of providing funds for the acquisition of short-wave broadcast equipment by the States, and for other purposes.

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

Section 1. The sum of $600,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997, for the purpose of providing funds for the acquisition of short-wave broadcast equipment by the States. The funds appropriated under this section shall be deemed to come from funds available under section 215(a)(2) of the Compact of Free Association and shall be apportioned as follows:

(1) Chuuk .................. $ 150,000
(2) Kosrae .................. 150,000
(3) Pohnpei .................. 150,000
(4) Yap .................. 150,000

Section 2. All funds appropriated by this act shall be allotted, managed, administered, and accounted for in accordance with applicable law, including, but not limited to, the Financial Management Act of 1979. The allottee of the funds appropriated herein shall be the Governors of the respective States. The allottees shall be responsible for ensuring that these funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are used solely for the purpose specified in this act, and that no obligations are incurred in excess of the sum appropriated. The authority of the allottee to obligate funds appropriated by this act shall lapse as of September 30, 1998.
Section 3. 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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