



The President
Palikir, Pohnpei
Federated States of Micronesia

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 20-28
FSM CONGRESS

May 27, 2017


The Honorable Wesley W. Simina
Speaker
Twentieth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia
Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941

Dear Speaker Simina:

I am pleased to transmit the following Congressional Act, which I have approved to become Public Law No. 20-04:

Congressional Act No. 20-06: "TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-54, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 19-62, 19-75, 19-79, 19-99 AND 19-119, BY AMENDING SECTION 6 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE ALLOTTEE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN THE STATE OF KOSRAE AND CHANGE THE LAPSE DATE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Sincerely,


Peter M. Christian
President

Enclosures:

xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court





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May 19, 2017



His Excellency Peter M. Christian
President
Federated States of Micronesia
Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941

Dear President Christian:

I have the honor to transmit herewith Congressional Act No. 20-06, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-54, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 19-62, 19-75, 19-79, 19-99 AND 19-119, BY AMENDING SECTION 6 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE ALLOTTEE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN THE STATE OF KOSRAE AND CHANGE THE LAPSE DATE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.", which was passed by the Twentieth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, First Regular Session, 2017, by a two-thirds vote of all the State delegations as required and as duly certified.

Sincerely yours,

Liwiana Ramon Ioanis
Chief Clerk, Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia

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ACT NO. 20-06

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 20-28
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(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 20-16)

We hereby certify that on May 18 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Twentieth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, First Regular Session, 2017, by a two-thirds vote of all the State delegations as required under article IX, section 20, of the Constitution of the Federated States of Micronesia.

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Wesley W. Simina
Speaker
Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia

Handwritten signature of Liwiana Ramon Ioanis in black ink.

Liwiana Ramon Ioanis
Chief Clerk
Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia

PUBLIC LAW No. 20- 04

AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 19-54, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 19-62, 19-75, 19-79, 19-99 and 19-119, by amending section 6 thereof, to change the allottee of funds previously appropriated therein, to fund public projects and social programs in the state of Kosrae and change the lapse date, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Section 6 of Public Law No. 19-54, as amended by
2 Public Laws Nos. 19-62, 19-75, 19-99 and 19-129 is hereby further
3 amended to read as follows:

4 "Section 6. Allotment and management of funds and lapse
5 date. All fund appropriated by this act shall be
6 allotted, managed, administered and accounted for in
7 accordance with applicable laws including, but not
8 limited to, the applicable laws, including, but not
9 limited to, the Financial Management Act of 1979. The
10 allottee shall be responsible for ensuring that these
11 funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are used
12 solely for the purpose specified in this act, and that
13 no obligations are incurred in excess of the sum
14 appropriated. The allottee of the funds appropriated
15 under section 2 of this act shall be the Governor of Yap
16 State. The allottee of funds appropriated under
17 sections 3 and 4 of this act shall be the President of
18 the Federated States of Micronesia or his designee;

1 PROVIDED THAT, the allottee of funds appropriated under
2 subsections 3(a), (b), (c), (d), (e), (f), (g), (h),
3 (t), (u), (v), (ag), (ar) and (as) of this act shall be
4 the Mayor of Utwe Municipal Government or his designee;
5 the allottee of funds appropriated under subsections
6 3(k), (w), (x), (y), (z), (aa), (ab), (ac), (ad), (ae),
7 (af), (ah), (ai), (aj), (ak), (al), (am), (an), (ao),
8 (ap) and (aq) of this act shall be the Mayor of Tafunsak
9 Municipal Government or his designee; the allottee of
10 funds appropriate under subsections ((1)(a), (b), (c),
11 (e), (f), and 4(2) shall be the Secretary of the
12 Department of Transportation, Communications and
13 Infrastructure or his designee; he allottee of funds
14 appropriated under subsections 4(1)(d), 4(3)(b),
15 4(3)(d), 4(3)(e), 4(3)(h), 4(3)(k) and 4(3)(l) shall be
16 the Pohnpei Transportation Authority (PTA). The
17 allottee of funds appropriated under subsections 5(1),
18 5(3) and 5(6) of this act shall be the Governor of Chuuk
19 State or his designee. The allottee of funds
20 appropriated under subsection 5(2) of this act shall be
21 the Mortlock Islands Development Authority. The
22 allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 5(4) of
23 this act shall be the Southern Namoneas Development
24 Authority. The allottee of funds appropriated under
25 subsection 5(5) of this act shall be the Faichuk

1 Development Authority. The authority of the allottee to
2 obligate funds appropriated by this act shall lapse on
3 September 30, 2018."

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

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May 27th, 2017

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Peter M. Christian
President
Federated States of Micronesia

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