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 signed to become Public Law No. 20-11:  

Congressional Act No. 20-09: "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 18-11, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 18-44, 18-81, 19-33, 19-106, 19-128, 19-134 AND 19-138, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 1 AND 2 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE AND ALLOTTEE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED FOR PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN THE STATE OF POHNPEI, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Sincerely,  

[Signature]  

Peter M. Christian  
President  

Enclosures:  

xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court
May 22, 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. 20-09, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 18-11, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 18-44, 18-81, 19-33, 19-106, 19-128, 19-134 AND 19-138, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 1 AND 2 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE AND ALLOTTEE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED FOR PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN THE STATE OF POHNPEI, 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,

[Signature]

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

Enclosures
ACT NO. 20-09

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 20-08, C.D.1,
C.D.2, C.D.3)

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.

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

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

To further amend Public Law No. 18-11, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 18-44, 18-81, 19-33, 19-106, 19-128, 19-134 and 19-138, by amending sections 1 and 2 thereof, to change the use and allottee of funds previously appropriated for public projects and social programs in the state of Pohnpei, and for other purposes.

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

Section 1. Section 1 of Public Law No. 18-11, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 18-44, 19-128 and 19-134, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

"Section 1. The sum of $1,680,000, 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, 2013, for the purpose of funding public projects and social programs in the states of Pohnpei and Yap. The funds shall be apportioned as follows:

(1) Pohnpei State ......................... $ 1,130,000

Provided, however, that the funds appropriated in subsections (b)(c)(d) and (e) of this section shall not be allotted until Congress is officially advised that funds improperly disbursed as a result of the line item veto which was reflected in Public Law No. 18-11 are collected.

a) Micronesian Legal Services Corporation.. 130,000
(b) At Large ....................... $ 418,750

   (i) SDA, PICS and CCA schools

   side walk project ..................... 195,000

   (ii) Deketik side walk project . 100,000

   (iii) Kolonia basketball court . 20,000

   (iv) Pohnpei fishing club vessels'

   location devices ..................... 7,000

   (v) Pohnpei Biosphere and

   Marine Protected Areas (purchase of

   boat and outboard motor) .............. 12,000

   (vi) Madolenihmw road

   maintenance .......................... 54,750

   (vii) Roofing Pohnpei track and field 15,000

   (viii) FSM National Olympic Committee

   subsidy ............................... 15,000

   (c) Election District No. 1, ....... 73,750

   (i) School needs ...................... 23,750

   (ii) Road improvement ................. 50,000

   (d) Election District No. 2,........ 200,750

   (i) Administrative support

   services, ED#2 ........................ 35,000

   (ii) Nansolohi road paving ......... 50,000

   (iii) Nankepria secondary road

   supplemental funding .................. 35,000

   (iv) Nanmand bridges
supplemental funding ....................... $ 60,000
(v) Pohnlangas road upgrade .. 10,750
(vi) Municipal Government
prior obligations ......................... 10,000
(e) Election District No. 3,......... 201,750
   (i) PUC Generator maintenance . 100,000
   (ii) Medical referral ............ 10,000
   (iii) Our Lady of Mercy (computers
and equipment) ....................... 10,000
   (iv) Pohnpei Adventist High School
(computers and equipment) ............. 10,000
(v) Education travel to
conferences & training.................. 26,750
   (vi) Dehpek, Takieu, Parem Lenger
solar street lights....................... 40,000
   (vii) Pohnpei Island Food Community 5,000
   (viii) Community centers improvement 5,000
(f) Other expended public projects
and social programs ..................... 105,000
   (2) Yap State.......................... 550,000
   (i) Fuel for the Field Trip Ship 50,000
   (ii) Pre’meerur seawall project 19,000
   (iii) Other expended public projects
and social programs ..................... 481,000”

Section 2. Section 2 of Public Law No. 18-11, as amended
by 18-44, 18-81, 19-33, 19-128 and 19-138, is hereby further
amended to read as follows:

"Section 2. Allotment and management of funds and
lapse date. All funds appropriated by this act shall
be allotted, managed, administered and accounted for
in accordance with applicable laws, including, but not
limited to, the Financial Management Act of 1979. The
allottee 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 allottee of the funds appropriated
under subsection 1 of section 1 of this act shall be
the President of the Federated States of Micronesia or
his designee; PROVIDED THAT, the allottee of funds
appropriated under subsections 1(b)(vi) 1(d)(i) and
1(d)(ii) 1(d)(iii) of this act shall be the Pohnpei
Transportation Authority (PTA); the allottee of funds
appropriated under subsection 1(b)(v) of this act
shall be the Governor of the State of Pohnpei or his
designee; the allottee of funds appropriated under
subsections 1(b)(i), 1(b)(ii), 1(b)(iii) 1(b)(vii),
and 1b(b)(viii) shall be the Secretary of the
Department of Transportation, Communications and
Infrastructure or his designee. The allottee of funds
appropriated under subsection 2 of section 1 of this act shall be the Governor of the State of Yap or his designee. The authority of the allottee to obligate funds appropriated by this act shall lapse on September 30, 2018."

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.

May 29th, 2017

[Signature]

Peter M. Christian
President
Federated States of Micronesia