A BILL FOR AN ACT

To create a new section 167, and to amend sections 403 and 405 of title 52 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia (Annotated), as amended, to modify the premium contributions for retired government employees for the National Government Employee's Health Insurance Plan and for National Government employee life insurance, and for other purposes.

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

- 1 Section 1. Title 52 of the Code of the Federated States of
- 2 Micronesia (Annotated), as amended, is hereby further amended by
- 3 creating a new section 167, to read as follows:
- 4 "Section 167. Retired Former National Government
- 5 Employees Health and Life Insurance Coverage. Retired
- 6 former employees of the National Government of the
- 7 Federated States of Micronesia over the age of 60, with
- 8 twenty or more years of service with the National
- 9 Government, shall be entitled to coverage under the
- 10 National Government Employee's Health Insurance Plan,
- 11 and a National Government Employee Life Insurance Plan
- with 100 percent of the premiums to be paid by the
- 13 National Government."
- 14 Section 2. Section 403 of title 52 of the Code of the
- 15 Federated States of Micronesia (Annotated), as amended, is hereby
- 16 further amended to read as follows:
- 17 "Section 403. Eligibility.

1	(1) All full-time employees of the National
2	Government of the Federated States of Micronesia shall
3	participate in the plan.
4	(2) Other persons who may participate in the plan:
5	(a) The full-time employees of each participating
6	agency and businesses which has entered into a contract
7	with the Director, as administrator of the plan, whereby
8	such agencies or businesses have agreed to participate
9	in the plan.
10	(b) The dependents of full-time employees of the
11	National Government, participating agencies and
12	participating businesses;
13	(c) Members of an employee's household who are
14	dependentupon the employee, but are not otherwise
15	defined as "dependents"
16	under the provisions of this Act, if the employee pays
17	100 percent of the premiums for such persons to the
18	plan;
19	(d) Government employees whose State or agency
20	does notparticipate in the plan, and their dependents,
21	if they pay 100 percent of the premiums for themselves
22	and their dependents to the plan;
23	(e) Retired former employees of the National
24	Government of the Federated States of Micronesia over
25	the age of 60, with twenty or more years of service with

1 the National Government, with the National Government to 2 pay 100 percent of the premiums; [(e)](f) Other [F] former enrollees in the plan, and 3 their dependents, if they pay 100 percent of the 4 5 premiums for themselves and their dependents to the plan; and 6 7 [(f)](g) Full-time students enrolled at any postsecondary institution in the FSM, if the 8 9 postsecondary institution has entered into a contract of 10 participation with the plan and the students pay 100 percent of the premium for themselves to the plan. 11 Section 3. Section 405 of title 52 of the Code of the 12 13 Federated States of Micronesia (Annotated), as amended, is hereby further amended to read as follows: 14 "Section 405. Premium contributions. 15 Employees and retired employees participating in the 16 17 plan shall contribute the percentage of the premium not paid by their employer for insurance under the plan. 18 The National Government of the Federated States of 19 2.0 Micronesia shall contribute at least 52 percent of the 21 premium for eligible employees, and retired employees, of the National Government participating in the plan. 2.2 Any participating agency or participating business shall 23 24 contribute at least 50 percent of the premium for their 25 employees participating in the plan, or may at their

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request contract with the Board to contribute more than
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             50 percent.
        Section 4. This act shall become law upon approval by the
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   President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its
   becoming law without such approval.
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 7 Date: 7/25/16
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