
A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 18-89, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 18-102, 18-110, 18-116, 19-02, 19-09, and 19-27, by amending sections 3 and 8 thereof, to change the use of funds previously appropriated therein, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Section 3 of Public Law No. 18-89, as
2 amended by Public Laws Nos. 19-02 and 19-09, is hereby
3 further amended to read as follows:

4 "Section 3. Operating Expenses of the Legislative
5 Branch. The sum of [~~\$5,296,605~~] \$5,406,005 or so
6 much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby
7 appropriated from the General Fund of the Federated
8 States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending
9 September 30, 2015, for the operations of the
10 Legislative Branch of the National Government during
11 fiscal year 2015. The sum appropriated by this
12 section shall be apportioned as follows:

13 (1) Speaker and Members.
14 The sum of [~~\$2,898,171~~] \$2,938,171, or so much
15 thereof as may be necessary, for the operations of
16 the Office of the Speaker and Members of the Congress
17 of the Federated States of Micronesia during fiscal
18 year 2015. The sum appropriated herein shall be

1 apportioned as follows:

2	Personnel	\$ 423,290
3	Travel	[774,881] <u>814,881</u>
4	Contractual Services.....	1,570,000
5	OCE	50,000
6	Fixed Assets	80,000

7 (2) Staff Offices.

8 The sum of [~~\$1,487,834~~] \$1,557,834, or so much
 9 thereof as may be necessary, for the operations of
 10 the Congress staff offices during fiscal year 2015.

11 The sum appropriated herein shall be apportioned as
 12 follows:

13	Personnel	[\$803,582] <u>863,582</u>
14	Travel.....	[180,252] <u>190,252</u>
15	Contractual Services.....	265,000
16	OCE PROVIDED THAT, up to \$10,000 may be used to	
17	pay expenses incurred during the previous	
18	fiscal year	170,000
19	Fixed Assets.....	69,000

20 (3) Congress Delegation Offices.

21 The sum of \$910,000, or so much thereof as may be
 22 necessary, for the operations of the Congress
 23 delegation offices during the fiscal year 2015. Of
 24 the amounts appropriated for contractual services
 25 within each Delegation Office, up to a maximum of

1 \$35,000 per Member, at the Delegation Offices'
 2 discretion, may be used for Member Representation.
 3 The sum appropriated is apportioned as follows:

4 (a) Kosrae Delegation Office

5	Travel	\$	10,000
6	Contractual Services		83,000
7	OCE		25,000
8	Fixed Assets		2,000
9	TOTAL		120,000

10 (b) Pohnpei Delegation Office

11	Travel		14,300
12	Contractual Services		182,840
13	OCE 42,860		
14	Fixed Assets		-0-
15	TOTAL	\$	240,000

16 (c) Chuuk Delegation Office

17	Travel		-0-
18	Contractual Services		380,000
19	OCE		-0-
20	Fixed Assets		25,000
21	TOTAL	\$	405,000

22 (d) Yap Delegation Office

23	Travel		30,000
24	Contractual Services		60,000
25	OCE		25,000

1 Fixed Assets \$ 30,000

2 TOTAL 145,000"

3 Section 2. Section 8 of Public Law No. 18-89, as amended
4 by Public Laws Nos. 18-102, 18-110, 18-116, 19-02, 19-09, and
5 19-27, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

6 "Section 8. Grants, Subsidies and Contributions.

7 The sum of [~~\$10,495,267~~] \$10,385,267, or so much
8 thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated
9 from the General Fund of the Federated States of
10 Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30,
11 2015 for the following grants, subsidies and
12 contributions during fiscal year 2015. The sum
13 appropriated by this section shall be apportioned as
14 follows:

15 (1) Office of the President.

16 (a) Asia-Pacific Broadcasting Dev.(AIBD) \$ 4,500

17 (b) Asia-Pacific Broadcasting Union (ABU) 800

18 (c) Pacific Island News Assn. (PINA) 350

19 (d) FSM Group Life 25,000

20 (e) 2023 Committee 80,000

21 (f) China (Working Visit) 22,300

22 (2) Department of Foreign Affairs.

23 (a) Pacific Is. Forum Secretariat .. 46,000

24 (b) Secretariat of the Pacific
25 Community (SPC) 56,000

1	(c) UN Membership Fee	\$ 70,000
2	(d) UN Economic and Social Commission	
3	for Asia and the Pacific (ESCAP)	5,000
4	(e) East West Center	5,000
5	(f) Cotonou Membership Fee	15,000
6	(g) SPC Office Rental	45,000
7	(h) FSM-China Diplomatic Relations .	25,000
8	(i) ACP Membership Dues	50,933
9	(3) Department of Finance and Administration.	
10	(a) OCO Membership Fee	14,024
11	(b) Maintenance Fee for FMIS	55,000
12	(c) Repatriation & Recruitment of	
13	FSM Mission personnel	50,000
14	(4) Department of Resources and Development.	
15	(a) Pacific Islands Development Program	15,000
16	(b) Forum Fisheries	38,918
17	(c) UNDP	30,000
18	(d) South Pacific Applied	
19	Geoscience Comm. (SOPAC)	15,000
20	(e) Pacific Asia Travel Association	5,000
21	(f) Micronesian Challenge Endowment	50,000
22	(g) Western Forestry Leadership Coalition	530
23	(h) Food Agriculture Organization (FAO)	4,800
24	(i) Matching for SPC Projects	60,000
25	(j) Micronesian Challenge	10,000

1	(k) Micronesian Cruise Assoc	\$ 2,500
2	(l) International Animal Health	
3	Organization (OIE)	23,000
4	(m) IRENA	250
5	(n) Micronesia Trade Cmte	30,000
6	(o) Convention on Biological	
7	Diversity (CBD)	1,000
8	(p) South Pacific Tourism	
9	Organization (SPTO)	27,000
10	(q) International Fund for Agriculture	
11	Development	500
12	(r) Tourism development framework for	
13	Kosrae State	50,000
14	(s) Tourism development framework for	
15	Yap State; PROVIDED THAT, the funds are not	
16	Used for travel purposes	50,000
17	(t) Tourism development framework for	
18	Pohnpei State; PROVIDED THAT, the funds are	
19	not use for travel purposed	50,000
20	(u) Tourism development framework for	
21	Chuuk State; PROVIDED THAT, the funds are not used	
22	for travel purposes	50,000
23	(v) Chamber of Commerce for Kosrae State	50,000
24	(w) Chamber of Commerce for Pohnpei State	50,000
25	(x) Chamber of Commerce for Yap State	50,000

1	(y) Chamber of Commerce for Chuuk State \$	50,000
2	(z) WCPFC Membership Contribution ..	94,489
3	(5) Department of Health and Social Affairs.	
4	(a) UN Fund for Population Activity (UNFPA)	3,000
5	(b) World Health Organization (WHO)	4,000
6	(c) National Board of Nursing	
7	& Med Licensing	20,000
8	(d) Pacific Islands Health Officers	
9	Association (PIHOA)	20,000
10	(e) FSM Amateur Sports Association .	20,000
11	(f) Association of Territorial	
12	Health Organization	7,000
13	(g) FSM Red Cross	70,000
14	(h) UNICEF (vaccines)	20,000
15	(i) National Women's Conference	55,000
16	(6) Department of Education.	
17	(a) Aid for Non-Public School	500,000
18	(b) Financial Assistance to	
19	FSM students attending CMI	25,000
20	(c) Financial Assistance to FSM	
21	students attending PCC	50,000
22	(d) National scholarship; PROVIDED	
23	THAT, the recipients of these funds must	
24	maintain a 2.5 Grade Point Average	2,000,000
25	(e) National Close-Up	70,000

1	(f) National Merit Scholarship \$	300,000
2	(g) COM Board annual meeting	5,000
3	(7) Department of Transportation, Communications	
4	and Infrastructure.	
5	(a) Asia Pacific Telecommunity (APT)	11,000
6	(b) International Telecommunications	
7	Union (ITU)	20,867
8	(c) International Civil Aviation	
9	Organization	28,050
10	(d) FSM Capital Energy/Utilities ...	600,000
11	(e) Micronesian Shipping Comm	25,000
12	(8) Department of Justice.	
13	(a) DOJ Fuel Subsidy	200,000
14	(b) DOJ Trafficking in Persons (TIP)	
15	prosecution/training/public information ...	50,000
16	(c) Kosrae Joint Law Enforcement ...	30,000
17	(d) Pohnpei Joint Law Enforcement ..	50,000
18	(e) Chuuk Joint Law Enforcement	50,000
19	(f) Yap Joint Law Enforcement	30,000
20	(g) Ammunition for Sidearm & Long rifles	25,000
21	(h) Manuel Court Judgment	55,000
22	(9) Office of S.B.O.C.	
23	(a) Asia Pacific Investment	250
24	(10) Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia	
25	(a) Update FSM Code	[27,700]

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1	(b) IPU Conference	\$(50,000)	<u>30,000</u>
2	(c) Climate Change Conferences		30,000
3	(d) Congressional Activities in		
4	Preparation of Compact Transition		-0-
5	(e) Congressional Consultant in		
6	the DC Embassy		50,000
7	(f) APPU/APPF	[75,000]	<u>45,000</u>
8	(g) Compact of Free Association		
9	Historical Project		150,000
10	(h) FSM/Israel Congressional		
11	Relations	[100,000]	<u>67,700</u>
12	(i) Local Staff Upgrade/Law of the		
13	Sea Training		100,000
14	(11) Office of E.E.M.		
15	(a) SPREP		10,184
16	(b) UNEP		760
17	(c) SPREP/Noumea Convention		1,764
18	(d) Waigani Convention		1,190
19	(e) UN Convention to Combat		
20	Desertification		120
21	(f) UN Framework Convention (UNFCC)		250
22	(g) Earth Day Activities		15,000
23	(h) EPA Director's Meeting		20,000
24	(i) 5th Bi-Annual Environmental Conference		20,000
25	(j) Disaster Assistance Emergency		

1	Fund (DAEF) Matching	\$ 200,000
2	(k) Climate Change Initiative	60,000
3	(12) Office of NACHP	
4	(a) UNESCO	4,000
5	(b) NCSHPO	2,760
6	(c) PARBICA	100
7	(d) PIALA	100
8	(e) WHC Membership Fee	54
9	(13) Other Grants, Subsidies and Contributions	
10	(a) Kosrae Judiciary Subsidy	35,000
11	(b) Pohnpei Judiciary Subsidy	55,000
12	(c) Chuuk Judiciary Subsidy	55,000
13	(d) Yap Judiciary Subsidy	35,000
14	(e) COM Treaty Obligations	25,000
15	(f) Micronesian Legal Services	
16	Corporation	250,000
17	(g) MiCare	80,000
18	(h) MLFC Loan Payment	288,466
19	(i) FY13 & FY14 Single Audits	432,000
20	(j) Former Presidents' allowance ...	50,000
21	(k) FSM Social Security	1,000,000
22	(l) Staff Housing	510,000
23	(m) Recruitment and repatriation ...	223,218
24	(n) General and Special Elections Fund	455,247
25	(o) Reimbursement of Funeral Expenses	

1 for Chief Justice Hon. Martin G. Yinug ... \$ 37,133

2 (p) FY2015 COLA to be paid to the eligible

3 employees of the National Government in accordance

4 with Public Law No. 18-114..... 158,160

5 (q) Typhoon Dolphin relief for Guam.. 100,000

6 (r) Additional assistance for the

7 humanitarian situation in the states of

8 Yap, Chuuk, and Pohnpei involving the

9 detained foreign nationals..... 50,000

10 (s) Defray costs of meals and other school

11 related debts for FSM Students at the

12 College of the Marshall Islands 15,000"

13 Section 3. This act shall become law upon approval by

14 the President of the Federated States of Micronesia or

15 upon its becoming law without such approval.

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17 Date: 9/14/15

Introduced by: /s/ Isaac V. Figir
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