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A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 18-99, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 18-106, 18-113, 18-121, 19-05, 19-34, 19-57, 19-74, 19-107, 20-18, 20-24, 20-80, 20-112, 21-28, 21-106, 21-131, 21-177 and 22-129, by amending section 6 thereof, to extend the lapse date of funds previously appropriated therein, to fund public projects and social programs for the people of the states of Yap, Kosrae, Pohnpei and Chuuk, 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. 18-99, as amended by  
2 Public Laws Nos. 18-113, 18-121, 19-05, 19-34, 19-107, 20-18, 20-24,  
3 20-112, 21-28, 21-131 and 22-129, is hereby further amended to read  
4 as follows:

5           "Section 6. Allotment and management of funds and lapse  
6 date. All funds appropriated by this act shall be  
7 allotted, managed, administered and accounted for in  
8 accordance with 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 or his designee. The allottee of funds  
17 appropriated under section 3 shall be the President or

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1 his designee, EXCEPT THAT the allottee of funds  
2 appropriated under section 3(a), (b), (c), (d), (e),  
3 (f), (g), (h), (i), (j), (k), (l), (m), (n), (o), (u)  
4 and (y) shall be the Mayor of Lelu Town Government. The  
5 allottee of funds appropriated under section 4 of this  
6 act shall be the President or his designee, EXCEPT that  
7 the allottee of funds appropriated under section 4(1)(a)  
8 shall be the Secretary of the Department of Education;  
9 the allottee of funds appropriated under sections  
10 4(1)(c), 4(1)(e), 4(1)(h), 4(2) and 4(3)(a) to 4(3)(j)  
11 shall be Secretary of the Department of Transportation,  
12 Communications and Infrastructure or his designee; the  
13 allottee of funds appropriated under section 4(1)(d)  
14 shall be the Pohnpei Port Authority; the allottee of  
15 funds appropriated under section 4(1)(f) shall be the  
16 Nett District Government; the allottee of funds  
17 appropriated under section 4(1)(g) shall be the  
18 Secretary of the Department of Resources and  
19 Development. The allottee of funds appropriated under  
20 sections 5(1) and 5(6) of this act shall be the Governor  
21 of Chuuk State or his designee. The allottee of funds  
22 appropriated under subsection 5(2) of this act shall be  
23 the Mortlock Islands Development Authority. The  
24 allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 5(3) of  
25 this act shall be the Mayor of Weno Municipal Government



1 or his designee. The allottee of funds appropriated  
2 under subsection 5(4) of this act shall be the Southern  
3 Namoneas Development Authority. The allottee of funds  
4 appropriated under subsection 5(5) of this act shall be  
5 the Faichuk Development Authority. The authority of the  
6 allottee to obligate funds appropriated by this act  
7 shall lapse on September 30, [~~2024~~] 2026.”

8 Section 2. This act shall become law upon approval by the  
9 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its  
10 becoming law without such approval.

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12 Date: 5/14/24

Introduced by: /s/ Quincy Lawrence  
Quincy Lawrence

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