

A BILL FOR AN ACT

To amend Public Law No. 19-152, by amending sections 2 and 6 thereof, to change the use and allottee of certain funds previously appropriated therein for the purpose of funding public projects and social programs for the people of Yap and Chuuk States, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Section 2 of Public Law No. 19-152 is hereby
2 amended to read as follows:

3 "Section 2. Of the sum of \$700,000 appropriated by
4 this act, \$100,000 is apportioned for Yap State for
5 public projects and social programs.

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| 6 | (1) State of Yap | \$ | 100,000 |
| 7 | (a) [Medical referrals] <u>Payment of</u> | | |
| 8 | <u>patients' debts to Yap Memorial Hospital....</u> | | 100,000 |

9 Section 2. Section 6 of Public Law No. 19-152, is hereby
10 amended to read as follows:

11 "Section 6. Allotment and management of funds and
12 lapse date. All funds appropriated by this act shall
13 be allotted, managed, administered and accounted for
14 in accordance with applicable laws, including, but not
15 limited to, the Financial Management Act of 1979. The
16 allottee shall be responsible for ensuring that these
17 funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are
18 used solely for the purpose specified in this act, and
19 that no obligations are incurred in excess of the sum

1 appropriated. The allottee of the funds appropriated
2 under section 2 of this act shall be the Governor of
3 Yap State or his designee. The allottee of funds
4 appropriated under sections 3 and 4 of this act shall
5 be the President of the Federated States of Micronesia
6 or his designee, PROVIDED THAT the allottee of funds
7 appropriated under subsections 3(a), 3(b), 3(c), 3(d)
8 and 3(e) of this act shall be the Mayor of Lelu Town
9 Government or his designee; the allottee of funds
10 appropriated under subsections 3(f) and 3(g) of this
11 act shall be the Mayor of Tafunsak Municipal
12 Government or his designee; the allottee of funds
13 appropriated under subsections 4(1)(b) and 4(3)(d) of
14 this act shall be the Pohnpei Transportation Authority
15 (PTA); the allottee of funds appropriated under
16 subsections 4(2)(a), 4(2)(b), 4(2)(c) and 4(2)(d) of
17 this act the Secretary of the Department of
18 Transportation, Communications and Infrastructure or
19 his designee. The allottee of funds appropriated
20 under subsections 5(1), 5(3) and 5(6) of this act
21 shall be the Governor of Chuuk State or his designee.
22 The allottee of funds appropriated under subsection
23 5(2) of this act shall be the Mortlock Islands
24 Development Authority. The allottee of funds
25 appropriated under subsection 5(4) of this act shall

1 be the [~~Faichuk Development Authority~~] Southern
2 Namoneas Development Authority or its designee. The
3 allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 5(5)
4 of this act shall be the [~~Southern Namoneas~~
5 ~~Development Authority~~] Faichuk Development Authority
6 or its designee. The authority of the allottee to
7 obligate funds appropriated by this act shall lapse on
8 September 30, 2018.

9 Section 3. This act shall become law upon approval by the
10 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its
11 becoming law without such approval.

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13 Date: 3/29/17

Introduced by: /s/ Joseph J. Urusemal
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