
A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 21-157, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 21-179, 21-216, 22-17, 22-35 and 22-44, by amending section 6 thereof, for the purpose of changing the lapse date of funds previously appropriated therein, to fund public projects and social programs for the people of Yap, Kosrae, Pohnpei and Chuuk States, 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. 21-157, as amended by
2 Public Laws Nos. 21-216 and 22-44, is hereby further amended to
3 read as follows:

4 "Section 6. Allotment and management of funds and lapse
5 date. All funds appropriated by this act shall be
6 allotted, managed, administered and accounted for in
7 accordance with applicable laws, including, but not
8 limited to, the Financial Management Act of 1979. The
9 allottee shall be responsible for ensuring that these
10 funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are used
11 solely for the purpose specified in this act, and that
12 no obligations are incurred in excess of the sum
13 appropriated. The allottee of the funds appropriated
14 under section 2 of this act shall be the Governor of Yap
15 or his designee, PROVIDED THAT the allottee of funds
16 appropriate under subsection 2(d) of this act shall be
17 the President of COM-FSM. The allottee of the funds

1 appropriated under subsection 3(1) of this act shall be
2 the Governor of Kosrae or his designee. The allottee of
3 the funds appropriated under subsection 3(2) of this act
4 shall be the Mayor of Lelu Town Government or his
5 designee. The allottee of the funds appropriated under
6 section 4 of this act shall be the President of the
7 Federated States of Micronesia or his designee; PROVIDED
8 THAT, the allottee of funds appropriated under
9 subsection 4(1)(a) of this act shall be the Pohnpei
10 State Department of Land and Survey; the allottee of
11 fund appropriated under subsections, 4(1)(b), 4(2)(a),
12 4(2)(b), 4(2)(c), 4(2)(e), 4(2)(f), 4(2)(g), 4(2)(h),
13 and 4(2)(i) of this act shall be the Secretary of the
14 Department of Transportation, Communications and
15 Infrastructure or his designee;" the allottee of funds
16 appropriated under subsection 4(2)(d) of this act shall
17 be the Mayor of Kolonia Town Government or his designee;
18 the allottee of funds appropriated under subsections
19 4(1)(c), 4(1)(d), 4(3)(a), 4(3)(b) and 4(3)(c) of this
20 act shall be the Pohnpei Transportation Authority; the
21 allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 4(3)(d)
22 of this act shall be the Chief Justice of Kitti or his
23 designee. The allottee of the funds appropriated under
24 subsections 5(1) and 5(6) of this act shall be the
25 Governor of Chuuk State or his designee; the allottee of

1 the funds appropriated under subsection 5(2) of this act
2 shall be the Mortlocks Island Development Authority
3 (MIDA); the allottee of the funds appropriated under
4 subsection 5(3) of this act shall be the Mayor of Weno
5 Municipal Government or his designee; the allottee of
6 the funds appropriated under subsection 5(4) of this act
7 shall be the Southern Namoneas Development Authority;
8 the allottee of the funds appropriated under subsection
9 5(5) of this act shall be the Faichuk Development
10 Authority. The authority of the allottee to obligate
11 funds appropriated by this act shall lapse on September
12 30, [~~2022~~] 2024."

13 Section 2. This act shall become law upon approval by the
14 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its
15 becoming law without such approval.

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17 Date: 5/12/22

Introduced by: /s/ Aren B. Palik
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