

A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 22-157, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 22-179 and 22-205, by amending sections 5 and 6 thereof, to change the use and allottee of fund previously appropriated therein, to fund public projects and social programs for the people of Chuuk State, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Section 1. Section 5 of Public Law No. 22-157, as
2 amended by Public Laws Nos. 22-179 and 22-205, is hereby further
3 amended to read as follows:

4 "Section 5. Of the \$2,800,000 appropriated under this
5 act, \$1,200,000 shall be apportioned for public projects
6 and social programs for the people of Chuuk State.

7	state of Chuuk.....	\$	1,200,000
8	(1) At Large.....		180,000
9	(a) Administrative support costs		
10	(including any prior obligations)		40,000
11	(b) Housing repairs and renovations.		30,000
12	(c) Fishing projects..... [22,000]		<u>18,991</u>
13	(d) Water projects.....		10,000
14	(e) Students financial assistance [10,000]		<u>6,700</u>
15	(f) Contributions to State, Municipal		
16	and Community activities, events, and programs		30,000
17	(g) Land transportation..... [38,000]		<u>44,309</u>
18	(2) Election District No. 1.....		200,000

1	(a) Mortlock Island Development	
2	Authority subsidy.....	\$ 125,000
3	(b) Solar freezers.....	25,000
4	(c) Mortlock Sport Council.. [20,000]	<u>15,000</u>
5	(d) Mortlock leadership and	
6	Mortlock Mayors association..... [0]	<u>5,000</u>
7	(e) Mortlock Island Development	
8	Authority's vessel operation.....	30,000
9	(3) Election District No. 2.....	200,000
10	(a) Humanitarian assistance.....	75,000
11	(b) Housing renovation and improvement.	40,000
12	(c) Land transportation.....	30,000
13	(d) Human remains repatriation.....	10,000
14	(e) Students financial assistance...	10,000
15	(f) Fishing projects.....	10,000
16	(g) Administrative supports costs...	15,000
17	(h) Travel needs.....	10,000
18	(4) Election District No. 3.....	220,000
19	(a) Housing repair/renovation.....	50,000
20	(b) Meeting Halls.....	10,000
21	(c) Travel needs.....	10,000
22	(d) SNDA administrative support costs	
23	(prior and current obligations).....	40,000
24	(e) Humanitarian relief program.....	10,000
25	(f) Contributions to Community events,	

1	activities and programs	\$	20,000
2	(g) POL/Charters/Freight.....		10,000
3	(h) Students financial assistance...		20,000
4	(i) Sewing projects.....		10,000
5	(j) Fishing projects.....		20,000
6	(k) Land transportation.....		20,000
7	(5) Election District No. 4.....		200,000
8	(a) Fishing projects.....		40,000
9	(b) Housing renovation.....		30,000
10	(c) Food relief program.....		30,000
11	(d) FDA administrative support costs		25,000
12	(e) Social Security Premium payments		5,000
13	(f) Office rental.....		15,000
14	(g) Land transportation.....		35,000
15	(h) Referral program/repatriation of		
16	human remains		20,000
17	(6) Election District No. 5.....		200,000
18	(a) POL/Freight/Charter.....		45,000
19	(b) Administrative support cost.....		20,000
20	(c) Solar light/power system.....		50,000
21	(d) Low income housing subsidy.....		20,000
22	(e) Municipal governments		
23	activities/programs		20,000
24	(f) Office rental-current and		
25	outstanding payment		15,000

1 (g) Fishing projects.....\$ 30,000"

2 Section 3. Section 6 of Public Law No. 22-157, as amended by
3 Public Law No. 22-179, is hereby further amended to read as
4 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 sections 3 and 4 of this act shall be
18 the President of the Federated States of Micronesia or
19 his designee; EXCEPT THAT, the allottee of funds
20 appropriated under section 3(1) of this act shall be the
21 Governor of Kosrae State or his designee; the allottee
22 of funds appropriated under section 3(2) of this act
23 shall be the Mayor of Lelu Town Government or his
24 designee; the allottee of funds appropriated under
25 subsections 4(1)a, 4(1)(b), 4(1)(c), 4(2)(a), 4(2)(b),

1 4(2) (d), 4(2) (g), 4(2) (i) and 4(3) (c) of this act shall
2 be the Secretary of the Department of Transportation,
3 Communications and Infrastructure or his designee; the
4 allottee of funds appropriated under subsections 4(2) (c)
5 and 4(3) (b) of this act shall be the Secretary of Health
6 and Social Affairs or her designee; the allottee of
7 funds appropriated under subsection 4(2) (e) of this act
8 shall be the President of COM-FSM; the allottee of funds
9 appropriated under subsection 4(2) (f) of this act shall
10 be the FSM NOC; the allottee of funds appropriated under
11 subsections 4(1) (d), 4(1) (e), 4(2) (h) of this act shall
12 be the Secretary of the Department of Education or his
13 designee; the allottee of funds appropriated under
14 subsections 4(3) (a), 4(3) (d), 4(3) (e), 4(3) (f) and
15 4(3) (g) of this act shall be the Pohnpei Transportation
16 Authority (PTA); the allottee of funds appropriated
17 under subsections 4(3) (h) of this act shall be the
18 Pohnpei Utility Corporation (PUC); the allottee of funds
19 appropriated under sections 4(3) (j) and 4(3) (n) of this
20 act shall be the Meninkeder Lapalap of Madolenihmw; the
21 allottee of funds appropriated under sections 4(3) (k)
22 and 4(3) (m) of this act shall be the Vice President of
23 the Federated States of Micronesia or his designee; the
24 allottee of funds appropriated under section 4(3) (l) of
25 this act shall be the Secretary of the Department of

1 Education or his designee;. The allottee of funds
2 appropriated under section 5(1) of this act shall be the
3 At-large office. The allottee of the funds appropriated
4 under section [~~subsections 5(1) and~~] 5(6) of this act
5 shall be the Governor of Chuuk State or his designee;
6 the allottee of the funds appropriated under subsection
7 5(2) of this act shall be the Mortlocks Island
8 Development Authority (MIDA); the allottee of the funds
9 appropriated under subsection 5(3) of this act shall be
10 the Mayor of Weno Municipal Government or his designee;
11 the allottee of the funds appropriated under subsection
12 5(4) of this act shall be the Southern Namoneas
13 Development Authority; the allottee of the funds
14 appropriated under subsection 5(5) of this act shall be
15 the Faichuk Development Authority. The authority of the
16 allottee to obligate funds appropriated by this act
17 shall lapse on September 30, [~~2024~~] 2026."

18 Section 3. This act shall become law upon approval by the
19 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its
20 becoming law without such approval.

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22 Date: 4/3/24

Introduced by: /s/ Fabian S. Nimea
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