TWENTY-THIRD CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

SECOND REGULAR SESSION, 2023   C.B. NO. 23-41

A BILL FOR AN ACT

To appropriate the sum of $500,000 from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2023, for the purpose of funding relief efforts for the victims of a recent fire in Maui, and for other purposes.

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

1   Section 1. Appropriation. The sum of $500,000 is hereby

2   appropriated from the General Fund of the Federated States of

3   Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2023.

4   Section 2. Purpose. The purpose of the appropriation in

5   section 1 is to provide funding to humanitarian and relief

6   efforts for the victims of a recent fire in Maui. The funds

7   appropriated shall be apportioned as follows:

8   1) Maui fire relief...................... $500,000

9   Section 3. Allotment and management of funds and lapse

10 date. All funds appropriated by this act shall be allotted,

11 managed, administered and accounted for in accordance with

12 applicable laws, including, but not limited to, the Financial

13 Management Act of 1979. The allottee shall be responsible for

14 ensuring that these funds, or so much thereof as may be

15 necessary, are used solely for the purpose specified in this

16 act, and that no obligations are incurred in excess of the sum

17 appropriated. The allottee of the funds appropriated under

18 this act shall be the President. The authority of the allottee

1 under this act may be sub-allotted to a cabinet secretary or

2 secretaries in accordance with the Financial Management Act and

3 shall lapse on December 31, 2023.

4   Section 4. This act shall become law upon approval by the

5 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its

6 becoming law without such approval.

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8 Date: <u>9/1/23</u>   Introduced by: <u>/s/ Quincy Lawrence</u>
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