TWENTY-THIRD CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

FOURTH REGULAR SESSION, 2024

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 23-145

P.C. NO. 23-369

PUBLIC LAW NO. 23-97

AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 20-155, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 20-177, 20-188, 21-61, 21-88, 21-119, 21-150, 22-08, 22-43, 22-119 and 23-53, by amending section 6 thereof, for the purpose of extending 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. 20-155, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 20-177, 20-188, 21-119, 21-150, 22-43, 22-119 2 3 AND 23-53, is hereby further amended to 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 under section 2 of this act shall be the Governor of Yap 14 15 State or his designee; PROVIDED THAT the allottee of 16 funds appropriated under subsection 2(c) of this act 17 shall be the Speaker of the Congress of the Federated

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1	States of Micronesia or his designee. The allottee of		
2	funds appropriated under section 3 of this act shall be		
3	the Governor of Kosrae State or his designee. The		
4	allottee of funds appropriated under section 4 of this		
5	act shall be the President of the Federated States of		
6	Micronesia or his designee; PROVIDED THAT the allottee		
7	of funds appropriated under subsections 4(1)(c) of this		
8	act shall be the Secretary of the Department of Health		
9	and Social Affairs or his designee; the allottee of		
10	funds appropriated under subsections 4(2)(a), 4(2)(b)		
11	and 4(3)(h) of this act shall be the Pohnpei		
12	Transportation Authority; the allottee of funds		
13	appropriated under subsections $4(2)(c)$, $4(2)(d)$, $4(2)(e)$		
14	and 4(2)(g) of this act shall be the Secretary of the		
15	Department of Transportation, Communications and		
16	Infrastructure or his designee; the allottee of funds		
17	appropriated under subsections $4(3)(a)$, $4(3)(e)$ and		
18	4(3)(f) of this act shall be the Luhken Moanlap of		
19	Kitti; the allottee of funds appropriated under		
20	subsection 4(3)(g) of this act shall be the Secretary of		
21	the Department of Education or his designee. The		
22	allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 4(3)(d)		
23	of this act shall be the Secretary of the Department of		
24	Resources and Development or his designee. The allottee		
25	of the funds appropriated under subsections 5(1) and		

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1	5(6) of this act shall be the Governor of Chuuk State or
2	his designee; the allottee of the funds appropriated
3	under subsection 5(2) of this act shall be the Mortlocks
4	Island Development Authority (MIDA); the allottee of
5	funds appropriated under subsection 5(3) of this act
6	shall be the Mayor of Weno Municipal Government or his
7	designee; the allottee of the funds appropriated under
8	subsection 5(4) of this act shall be the Southern
9	Namoneas Development Authority; the allottee of the
10	funds appropriated under subsection 5(5) of this act
11	shall be the Faichuk Development Authority. The
12	authority of the allottee to obligate funds appropriated
13	by this act shall lapse on September 30, 2026."
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1	Section 2. This act shall b	ecome law upon approval by the
2	President of the Federated States	of Micronesia or upon its
3	becoming law without such approval	
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7		<u>June 28</u> , 2024
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11		/s/ Wesley W. Simina
12		Wesley W. Simina President
13		Federated States of Micronesia
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