
A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend section 12 of Public Law No. 20-42, as amended by Public Law Nos. 20-64, 20-67, 20-83, 20-94 and 20-103 to designate a new allottee for a certain line item, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Section 12 of Public Law No. 20-42, as amended
2 by Public Law Nos. 20-64, 20-67, and 20-83, is hereby further
3 amended to read as follows:

4 "Section 12. Allotment and Management of Funds and
5 Lapse Dates.

6 (1) General provisions.

7 (a) All funds appropriated by this act shall be
8 allotted, managed, administered and accounted for in accordance
9 with applicable law, including, but not limited to, the
10 Financial Management Act of 1979.

11 (b) The allottees shall be responsible for ensuring
12 that these funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are
13 used solely for the purposes specified in this act, and that no
14 obligations are incurred in excess of the sums appropriated.

15 (2) Allottees. The allottees of the funds appropriated by
16 this act are as follows:

17 (a) Section 2 - the allottee of these funds shall be the
18 President of the Federated States of Micronesia;

19 (b) Section 3 - the allottee of these funds shall be the

1 Speaker of the Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia;

2 (c) Section 4 – the allottee of these funds shall be the
3 Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Federated States of
4 Micronesia;

5 (d) Section 5 – the allottee of these funds shall be the
6 Public Auditor of the Federated States of Micronesia;

7 (e) Sections 6 through 9 – the allottee of these funds
8 shall be the President of the Federated States of Micronesia;
9 PROVIDED, HOWEVER, that for the following subsections of
10 sections 8 through 9 of this act:

11 (i) Section 8(1)(g) – the allottee of these funds
12 shall be the Chair of the Joint Committee on Compact Review and
13 Planning;

14 (ii) Section 8(9) – the allottee of these funds shall
15 be the Speaker of the Congress of the Federated States of
16 Micronesia;

17 (iii) Section 8(12)(a) – the allottee of these funds
18 shall be the President of the College of Micronesia-FSM;

19 (iv) Section 8(12)(e) through (h) – the allottee of
20 these funds shall be the Chief Justice of the respective State
21 Supreme Court;

22 (v) Section 9(1) – the allottee of these funds shall
23 be the President of the College of Micronesia-FSM;

24 (vi) Section 9(16)(a) – the allottee of these funds
25 shall be the President of the Federated States of Micronesia;

1 EXCEPT THAT, for the share of funds from this line item for the
2 Conservation Society in Chuuk, the allottee shall be the
3 Governor of the State of Chuuk, AND, for the share of funds from
4 this line item for the Conservation Society in Yap, the allottee
5 shall be the Governor of the State of Yap, AND, for the share of
6 funds from this line item for the Conservation Society in
7 Kosrae, the allottee shall be the Kosrae Civil Society;

8 (vii) Section 9(16)(f) – the allottee of these funds
9 shall be the Governor of the State of Yap;

10 (viii) Section 8(12)(v) through (y) – the allottee of
11 these funds shall be the Governor of the respective State.

12 (ix) Section 8(6)(j) – the allottee of funds shall be
13 the FSM Embassy, Beijing, China;

14 (x) Section 8(6)(k) – the allottee of these funds
15 shall be the FSM Embassy, Suva, Fiji;

16 (xi) Section 8(12)(z) – the allottee of these funds
17 shall be the Governor of the State of Yap;

18 (xii) Section 9(4)(q) – the allottee of these funds
19 shall be the Open Access Entity.

20 (3) Lapse date. The authority of the allottees to obligate
21 funds appropriated by this act shall lapse as of September 30,
22 2018; PROVIDED, HOWEVER, that the funds appropriated under
23 section 9 of this act shall not lapse.”

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1 Section 2. This act shall become 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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5 Date: 9/26/18

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