

A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 17-36, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 17-48, 17-78, 17-87, 18-36, 18-60, 18-65, 18-84, 19-22 and 19-109, by amending sections 5 and 6 therein, to change the use and lapse date of certain funds previously appropriated therein to fund public projects and social programs in the state of Chuuk, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Section 5 of Public Law No. 17-36, as amended  
2 by Public Law No. 17-48, is hereby further amended to read as  
3 follows:

4 "Section 5. Of the sum of \$2,100,000 appropriated by this  
5 act, \$900,000 is apportioned for Chuuk State for public  
6 projects and social programs.

7	State of Chuuk .....	\$	900,000
8	(1) At-Large .....		150,000
9	(a) Chuuk Non-Government		
10	Organizations subsidy .....		15,000
11	(b) Contribution to Chuuk Museum		
12	construction .....		8,000
13	(c) Partial payment on		
14	water source lease (Nefo) .....		8,000
15	(d) Roads/seawalls/bridges		
16	improvement and beautification .....		10,000
17	(e) Low Income Housing subsidy .....		5,000
18	(f) Chuuk Sports Activities/Events		
19	and Infrastructures .....		2,000

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1	(g) School graduations and related	
2	activities/ Youth Programs .....	\$ 30,000
3	(h) Contributions/ Assistance	
4	to State, Municipal and Community events,	
5	programs and activities .....	15,000
6	(i) Reimbursement payment for	
7	POL and Charters .....	12,000
8	(j) Social Security outstanding	
9	premium subsidy .....	10,000
10	(k) Tonoas Municipal subsidy .....	5,000
11	(l) CSCIP (administrative	
12	support services) .....	-0-
13	(m) Communities/Farmers/Students land	
14	transportation .....	30,000
15	(2) Election District No. 1 .....	150,000
16	(a) Solar system project .....	50,000
17	(b) Mortlocks Goodwill games .....	30,000
18	(c) Schools and dispensaries	
19	improvement and/or matching fund .....	15,000
20	(d) Transportation needs .....	5,000
21	(e) Mortlocks projects related	
22	freight costs .....	5,000
23	(f) Entrepreneurship and	
24	business start up .....	15,000
25	(g) Mortlock Island Development	

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1	Authority subsidy .....	\$	10,000
2	(h) Students financial assistance...		10,000
3	(i) Faith-walk Christian college subsidy		5,000
4	(j) Communication system project....		5,000
5	(3) Election District No. 2.....		150,000
6	(a) Rural roads rehabilitation.....		45,000
7	(b) Northern Namoneas Social		
8	and Economic Development Authority .....		55,000
9	(c) Muncipal government		
10	subsidies for three municipal governments:		
11	(i) Weno Municipality.....		25,000
12	(ii) Fono Municipality.....		10,000
13	(iii) Piis-Paneu Municipality....		10,000
14	(d) Housing Renovation Supplement-Fono		
15	and Piss-Paner municipalities .....		5,000
16	(4) Election District No. 3.....		150,000
17	(a) Southern Namoneas Development		
18	Authority subsidy .....		25,000
19	(b) Office space rental (SNDA).....		5,000
20	(c) Tsis municipal		
21	municipal election office .....		2,500
22	(d) Southern Namoneas community		
23	halls repair/renovation .....		25,000
24	(e) Fishing project.....		30,000
25	(f) POL and Charter.....		10,000

1	(g) Manuku dispensary project.....\$	5,000
2	(h) Low income housing subsidy.....	25,000
3	(i) Medical assistance to	
4	non-insured patients .....	5,000
5	(j) CSCIP subsidy.....	5,000
6	(k) Southern Namoneas cultural	
7	celebration/activities .....	5,000
8	(l) Senior citizens financial	
9	assistance/contributions .....	5,000
10	(m) Nechap super dispensary.....	2,500
11	(5) Election District No. 4.....	150,000
12	(a) Fishing project.....	30,000
13	(b) Low income housing subsidy.....	25,000
14	(c) Students financial assistance...	10,000
15	(d) Student/farmers land transportation	15,000
16	(e) Leadership (State, municipal and	
17	traditional) exposure and travel .....	25,000
18	(f) Medical referral and	
19	repatriation of human remains.....	10,000
20	(g) FDA contractual services and	
21	administration cost .....	10,000
22	(h) Sewing project.....	10,000
23	(i) CSCIP subsidy.....	5,000
24	(j) Eipweipw fishing market.....	5,000
25	(k) Legal fees.....	5000

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1	(6) Election District No. 5.....\$	150,000
2	(a) Sea cucumber farm project [ <del>30,000</del> ]	<u>18,196</u>
3	(b) Fishing projects.....	50,000
4	(c) Office rental .....	5,000
5	(d) Solar system project.....	5,000
6	(e) Farming projects.....	7,000
7	(f) students financial assistance	
8	and tuition debts payment at COM-FSM.....	10,000
9	(g) Transportation needs.....	18,000
10	(h) Contractual service for	
11	short-term contract .....	7,000
12	(i) Municipal government vehicle purchase	18,000
13	(j) <u>Community housing improvement and</u>	
14	<u>renovation .....</u>	<u>11,804"</u>

15 Section 2. Section 6 of Public Law No. 17-36, as amended  
 16 by Public Laws Nos. 17-48, 17-78, 17-87, 18-36, 18-65, 18-84,  
 17 19-22 and 19-109, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

18 "Section 6. Allotment and management of funds and  
 19 lapse date. All funds appropriated by this act shall  
 20 be allotted, managed, administered and accounted for  
 21 in accordance with applicable laws, including, but not  
 22 limited to, the Financial Management Act of 1979. The  
 23 allottee shall be responsible for ensuring that these  
 24 funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are  
 25 used solely for the purpose specified in this act, and

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1           that no obligations are incurred in excess of the sum  
2           appropriated. The allottee of the funds appropriated  
3           under Section 2 of this act shall be the Governor of  
4           Yap State. The allottee of funds appropriated under  
5           sections 3 and 4 of this act shall be the President of  
6           the Federated States of Micronesia or his designee;  
7           EXCEPT THAT, the allottee of funds appropriated under  
8           subsection 4(1)(b), 4(3)(a) and (b) of section 4 of  
9           this act shall be the Pohnpei Transportation  
10          Authority. The allottee of funds appropriated under  
11          subsection 4(2)(j) of section 4 shall be the Chief  
12          Magistrate of Sokehs Municipal Government. The  
13          allottee of funds appropriated under subsections 5(1),  
14          5(3) and 5(6) of section 5 of this act shall be the  
15          Governor of Chuuk State or his designee. The allottee  
16          of funds appropriated under subsection 5(2) of section  
17          5 of this act shall be the Mortlock Islands  
18          Development Authority; the allottee of funds  
19          appropriated under subsection 5(4) of section 5 of  
20          this act shall be the Southern Namoneas Development  
21          Authority. The allottee of funds appropriated under  
22          subsection 5(5) of section 5 of this act shall be the  
23          Faichuk Development Authority. The allottee of funds  
24          appropriated under subsection 5(6)(f) shall be the  
25          President of COM-FSM. The authority of the allottee

1           to obligate funds appropriated by this act shall lapse  
2           on September 30, [~~2018~~] 2019."

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

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7 Date: 5/29/17

Introduced by: /s/ Robson U. Romolow  
Robson U. Romolow

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