

NINTH CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

SECOND REGULAR SESSION, 1995

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 9-140, C.D.1, C.D.2,
C.D.3

AN ACT

To amend Public Law No. 9-30 to appropriate the sum of \$193,000 from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1996, as supplemental funding for the operations of the legislative branch, by amending the title for the purpose of correcting an error in the sum total therein, by amending section 2 for the purposes of transferring to Staff Offices - Travel \$50,000 that was inadvertently included in Office of the Speaker and Members - Travel, to appropriate \$17,000 for the Congressional Library that was inadvertently omitted from the budget, and to appropriate \$22,000, \$40,000, \$64,000 and \$50,000 to the Kosrae, Pohnpei, Chuuk and Yap Congressional Delegation Offices respectively to fund follow-up conferences on the National Economic Summit and for other needs, and by amending section 16 for the purpose of changing the allottee of certain funds, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. The title of Public Law No. 9-30 is hereby amended to read
2 as follows:

3 "An act to appropriate the sum of \$27,349,780 from the General
4 Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending
5 September 30, 1996, for the operations of the Executive Branch,
6 Legislative Branch, Judicial Branch, Public Auditor, agencies of the
7 National Government, and for special programs, grants, subsidies,
8 contributions, and refunds of the National Government during fiscal
9 year 1996; to establish a budget for Compact sections 214(b),
10 215(a)(2), 216(a)(2), 216(a)(3), and 221(b) and to appropriate
11 special funds available therefor under the Compact; to establish a
12 development budget and to appropriate funds available therefor
13 under the Compact; to establish employment ceilings; and for other
14 purposes."

15 Section 2. Section 2 of Public Law No. 9-30 is hereby amended to read
16 as follows:

17 "Section 2. Operating expenses of the Legislative Branch.
18 The sum of \$2,883,700, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is
19 hereby appropriated from the General Fund of the Federated States
20 of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1996, for the
21 operations of the Legislative Branch of the National Government of
22 the Federated States of Micronesia during fiscal year 1996. The sum

1	appropriated by this section shall be apportioned as follows:	
2	(1) Office of the Speaker and Members	
3	(a) Personnel expenses.....	\$ 400,100
4	(b) Travel	530,000
5	(c) Contractual services, grants,	
6	subsidies, and contributions	282,800
7	(d) Others	-0-
8	(2) Staff Offices	
9	(a) Personnel expenses.....	842,600
10	(b) Travel	127,200
11	(c) Recruitment and repatriation.....	30,000
12	(d) Contractual services, grants,	
13	subsidies, and contributions	71,000
14	(e) Others	132,000
15	(3) Kosrae Delegation Office	62,000
16	(4) Pohnpei Delegation Office.....	120,000
17	(5) Chuuk Delegation Office.....	196,000
18	(6) Yap Delegation Office.....	90,000"

19 Section 3. Section 16 of Public Law No. 9-30 is hereby amended to read
20 as follows:

21 "Section 16. Allotment and management of funds and lapse date. All
22 funds appropriated by this act shall be allotted, managed,
23 administered, and accounted for in accordance with applicable law,
24 including, but not limited to, the Financial Management Act of 1979;
25 PROVIDED, however, that the allottees for the funds appropriated

1 under subsections (2)(l)(i), (2)(l)(ii) and (2)(l)(iv) of section 11 of
2 this act shall be the Governors of the respective States and the
3 allottee for the funds appropriated under subsection (2)(l)(iii) of
4 section 11 of this act shall be the Director of Public Safety for the
5 State of Chuuk and that all funds appropriated under subparagraph
6 (l) of section 11 of this act shall not be disbursed from the General
7 Fund to the allottees unless the President certifies that the State
8 involved has entered into a joint law enforcement agreement for the
9 period of October 1, 1995 to September 30, 1996, with the National
10 Government pursuant to chapter 12 of title 12 of the Code of the
11 Federated States of Micronesia; and PROVIDED FURTHER, that all
12 funds appropriated to Chuuk State under subsection (3) of section
13 10 of this act shall be retained in the General Fund of the Federated
14 States of Micronesia until a scholarship recipient is identified to the
15 President or the President's designee, at which time scholarship funds
16 in the amount of the scholarship award shall be disbursed directly to
17 the appropriate educational institution in the form of a two-party
18 check payable to both the scholarship recipient and the educational
19 institution he or she is attending; and PROVIDED FURTHER, that the
20 allottees for the funds appropriated under paragraph (o) of
21 subsection 2 of section 11 of this act shall be the Chief Justices of
22 the respective states; and PROVIDED FURTHER, that the allottee for
23 the funds appropriated under subsection (1) of section 13 of this act
24 shall be the Director of the Office of Administrative Services. Each
25 allottee shall be responsible for ensuring that these funds, or so much

1 thereof as may be necessary, are used solely for the purposes
2 specified in this act, and that no obligations are incurred in excess of
3 the sum appropriated. The authority of the allottees to obligate
4 funds appropriated by this act shall lapse as of September 30, 1996;
5 PROVIDED, however, that the authority of the allottees to obligate
6 funds appropriated by sections 7, 9, 10, 11(2)(s), and 13 shall not
7 lapse."

8 Section 4. This act shall become law upon approval by the President of
9 the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its becoming law without such
10 approval."

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President
Federated States of Micronesia

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