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A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend title 2 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia, as amended, by amending section 209, and to further amend title 3 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia, as amended, by amending section 301, for the purpose of increasing the salaries of certain officials of the National Government, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Section 209 of title 2 of the Code of the
2 Federated States of Micronesia is hereby amended to read as
3 follows:

4 "Section 209. Salaries for President and Vice
5 President. As of the date of the commencement of
6 their terms of office, the President of the
7 Federated States of Micronesia shall receive a
8 salary of ~~\$52,000~~ \$45,000 per annum, and the Vice
9 President shall receive a salary of ~~\$30,000~~ \$42,000
10 per annum. The President or Vice President
11 shall continue to receive the salary set
12 hereby until their successors take office.
13 Should a vacancy in either office occur, the
14 successor shall be entitled to the salary
15 attendant to the office assumed as of the date
16 Federated States of Micronesia is hereby further
17 amended to read as follows:

18 Section 2. Section 301 of title 3 of the Code of the
19 Federated States of Micronesia is hereby amended to read as
20 follows:

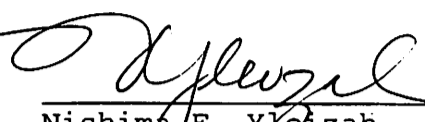
21 "Section 301. Compensation Levels. Upon the
22 presentation of credentials and qualification
23 thereof, a Member of the Congress of the Federated
24 States of Micronesia shall be entitled to receive
25 compensation at the rate of ~~\$27,000~~ \$32,000 per

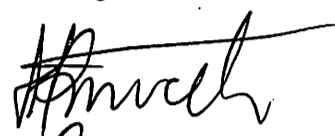

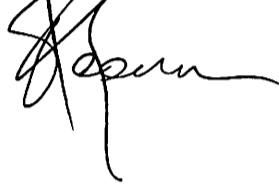
1 annum as of the date his term of office begins and
2 shall remain eligible therefor until the Member's
3 term expires or until a vacancy has been declared in
4 his or her office. The Speaker, upon his election
5 as the Speaker, shall be entitled to receive
6 compensation at the rate of ~~\$30,000~~ \$34,000 per
7 annum and shall remain eligible therefor until a new
8 Speaker assumes the office or until a vacancy in the
9 Office of the Speaker has been declared. A Member
10 appointed or elected to fill a vacancy in the
11 Congress shall be entitled to receive compensation
12 upon taking the oath of office as a Member of the
13 Congress. The official expense allowance shall not
14 exceed \$3,000."

15 Section 3. Effective date. The salary increases so
16 enacted for the Members and the Speaker of the Congress will
17 not become effective until the term of office begins for the
18 next Congress. The salary increases so enacted for the
19 President and Vice-President will not become effective until
20 the terms of office begin for the next President and Vice-
21 President.

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

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5 Date: 3/17/97 Introduced by: 
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