

AN ACT

To amend Public Law No. 9-30 to appropriate the sum of \$3,141,522 from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1996, by amending section 5 to appropriate \$33,300 for the FSM Banking Board to be allocated as follows: \$16,800 to fund salaries and benefits for a Financial Analyst position, \$13,500 for an office automobile, and \$3,000 to purchase a portable computer; by amending section 11 to appropriate \$37,222 to Rural Economic and Community Development Services for a continued direct telecommunications link with the Rural Economic and Community Development Services finance office in St. Louis, and to appropriate \$71,000 to contribute to unpaid FSM Amateur Sports Association expenses; by amending section 13 to appropriate \$3,000,000 to increase funds available for new loans in the Business Development Loan Fund; by amending section 14 to increase the employment ceiling for the FSM Banking Board to 3 positions, and for other purposes.

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

Section 1. Section 5 of Public Law No. 9-30 is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 5. Operating expenses of agencies of the National Government. The sum of \$1,916,220, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1996, for the operations of independent agencies, commissions, authorities, boards, bureaus, and other organizations of the National Government of the Federated States of Micronesia during fiscal year 1996. The sum appropriated by this section shall be apportioned as follows:

- (1) Micronesian Maritime Authority
 - (a) Personnel expenses..... \$ 183,530
 - (b) Travel 95,000
 - (c) Contractual services, grants, subsidies, and contributions 56,500
 - (d) Others..... 51,500
- (2) Board of Regents - College of Micronesia-FSM
 - (a) Personnel expenses..... -0-
 - (b) Travel 44,000
 - (c) Contractual services, grants, subsidies, and contributions 10,000
 - (d) Others..... \$ 31,290
- (3) Federated States of Micronesia Coconut

Development Authority	
(a) Personnel expenses.....	50,240
(b) Travel	22,000
(c) Contractual services, grants, subsidies, and contributions	80,450
(d) Others.....	14,100
(4) National Postal Service	
(a) Personnel expenses.....	479,800
(b) Travel	50,000
(c) Contractual services, grants, subsidies, and contributions	100,000
(d) Others.....	93,000
(5) FSM Banking Board	
(a) Personnel expenses.....	48,700
(b) Travel	15,300
(c) Contractual services, grants, subsidies, and contributions	15,500
(d) Others.....	25,310
(6) National Fisheries Corporation	450,000"

Section 2. Section 11 of Public Law No. 9-30 is hereby amended to read
as follows:

Section 11. Other National Government programs, grants,
subsidies, contributions, and refunds. The sum of \$2,785,731,

or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1996, for special programs, grants, subsidies, contributions, and refunds of the National Government of the Federated States of Micronesia during fiscal year 1996. The sum appropriated by this section shall be apportioned as follows:

(1) Special programs:	
(a) Trade, Training and Testing Program	\$ 307,070
(b) FSM Aquaculture Center	113,000
(2) Subsidies and contributions:	
(a) Forum Secretariat	33,000
(b) South Pacific Commission (SPC)	25,000
(c) South Pacific Regional Environmental Program	7,000
(d) United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (ESCAP)	5,000
(e) Forum Fisheries Agency (FFA)	20,000
(f) United Nations Fund for Population Activity (UNFPA)	3,000
(g) United Nations Membership Fee for the FSM (UN)	180,000
(h) Pacific Asian Travel Association	5,000
(i) Coordinating Committee for Offshore Minerals Prospecting	41,100

(j) Micronesia Legal Services Corporation	...	\$ 150,000
(k) International Civil Aviation Organization	...	31,839
(l) State Joint Law Enforcement		
(i) Kosrae	.....	70,000
(ii) Pohnpei	.....	140,000
(iii) Chuuk	.....	160,000
(iv) Yap	.....	90,000
(m) Aid to non-public schools	.....	400,000
(n) BYRD Scholarship Program	.....	15,000
(o) State Judiciaries		
(i) Kosrae	.....	65,000
(ii) Pohnpei	.....	90,000
(iii) Chuuk	.....	90,000
(iv) Yap	.....	70,000
(p) Continental Airlines Scholarship	.....	35,000
(q) Copra Subsidy	.....	200,000
(r) World Health Organization	.....	40,500
(s) COM Treaty Obligation	.....	25,000
(t) Micronesia Maritime Fisheries Academy		
(MMFA)	.....	150,000
(u) The Pacific Island Development Program..		15,000
(v) United Nations Development Program		
(UNDP)	.....	2,500
(w) Rural Economic and Community		
Development Services		

(i) Chuuk.....	\$ 24,000
(ii) Kosrae.....	11,000
(iii) Pohnpei.....	54,500
(iv) Yap.....	9,000
(v) Telecommunications link.....	37,222
 (x) Contribution to FSM Amateur Sports	
Association expenses	71,000

Section 3. Section 13 of Public Law No. 9-30 is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 13. Development budget - Appropriation. The sum of \$3,235,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1996, for capital improvement and development programs and projects of the National Government of the Federated States of Micronesia during fiscal year 1996. The funds appropriated under this section shall be deemed to come from the capital account of the Compact of Free Association. The sum appropriated by this section shall be apportioned as follows:

(1) National staff upgrading program	
(a) Office of the Public Auditor training	\$ 15,000
(b) Judiciary Branch training	10,000
(c) Other staff upgrading	105,000
(2) Business development loan fund	3,000,000
(3) Nationwide Board on environmental	
and sustainable development	105,000

(4) Architectural and engineering design of a prototype vessel for the replacement of the Micro-class vessels.....	\$	-0-
(5) Feasibility study on the establishment of a ship repair/drydock facility in the FSM		-0-
(6) Drydocking of the FSS Constitution		-0-
(7) Technical assistance program		-0-
(8) FSM consumer expenditure survey		-0-
(9) Maintenance building		-0-
(10) Facilities maintenance		-0-

Section 4. Section 14 of Public Law No. 9-30 is hereby amended
to read as follows:

"Section 14. Employment ceilings. Subsection (1) sets forth the maximum number
of positions that may be hired by branches and agencies of the National Government.

(1) Positions funded for fiscal year 1996.

Executive Branch	
Office of the President	20
External Affairs	54
Finance	100
Resources and Development	25
Transportation	15
Health Services	25
Education	17
Attorney General	121

Public Defender	27
Budget Office	12
Office of Planning and Statistics	60
Administrative Services	15
Legislative Branch	
Congress	69
Judicial Branch	
National Judiciary	27
Public Auditor	16
Agencies	
Micronesian Maritime Authority	11
Board of Regents of the	
College of Micronesia	0
Federated States of Micronesia	
Coconut Development Authority	3
National Postal Service	32
FSM Banking Board	3

(2) The number of positions authorized applies individually to each of the departments and offices of the Executive and Legislative Branches, the National Judiciary, the Public Auditor, and to the agencies as provided in subsection (1) of this section, except that the President may transfer up to 12 positions between the departments and offices of the Executive Branch. This authorization of positions covers all permanent employees and all contract personnel whose employment extends

for more than 90 days. No funds may be expended for unbudgeted positions."

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

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Bailey Olter
President
Federated States of Micronesia