PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 6377
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SIXTH CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

FOURTH REGULAR SESSION, 1990

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 6-302, C.D.1, C.D.2, C.D.3

Public Law No. 6 - 9 7

AN ACT

To appropriate the sum of \$200,000 from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1991, for the purpose of providing funds for political education on proposed amendments to the Constitution of the Federated States of Micronesia adopted by the Constitutional Convention and the Congress, to provide for National Government assistance for political education for the proposed amendments to the Constitution of the Federated States of Micronesia, and for other purposes.

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

- 1 Section 1. National Government assistance for political
- 2 education. The National Government, through the Office of
- 3 the President, shall provide assistance to each of the State
- 4 Political Education Coordinating Committees in their work of
- 5 providing for political education for the proposed amendments to
- 6 the Constitution of the Federated States of Micronesia. The
- 7 National Government will assist primarily by providing resource
- 8 material from the Constitutional Convention or the Congress for
- 9 the political educational program in each of the States. This shall
- 10 include, but not be limited to, appropriate committee reports,
- 11 journal entries, and constitutional amendment proposals. National
- 12 Government assistance may also include, but not be limited to,
- 13 assistance with legal and other types of technical staffing for the
- 14 political education program.
- 15 Section 2. State Coordinating Committees.
- 16 (1) State Coordinating Committees authorized. Each of the
- 17 four States are hereby authorized to establish State Political
- 18 Education Coordinating Committees for the purpose of providing
- 19 political education on the constitutional amendment proposals adopted
- 20 by the Constitutional Convention and the Congress to the residents of
- 21 each of the respective States of the Federated States of Micronesia.
- 22 (2) Funding. The allottee of funds authorized and



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1	appropriated under this act is hereby authorized to allot funds to
2	each of the State Coordinating Committees to facilitate political
3	education in each of the States; PROVIDED, however, that no funds
4	appropriated under this act shall be used to compensate members or
5	staff of State Coordinating Committees; and PROVIDED FURTHER, that
6	nothing in this section shall be construed to prohibit per diem,
7	stipend or travel expenses of members or staff of State Coordinating
8	Committees when members or staff are traveling away from their
9	residence on the business of the State Coordinating Committee.
10	Section 3. Appropriation. The sum of \$200,000, or so much
11	thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the General
12	Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending
13	September 30, 1991, for political education on proposed amendments
14	to the Constitution of the Federated States of Micronesia adopted by
15	the Constitutional Convention and the Congress.
16	Section 4. Apportionment. The sum appropriated under section 3
17	of this act shall be apportioned as follows:
18	(1) Chuuk
19	(2) Kosrae 20,000
20	(3) Pohnpei
21	(4) Yap 50,000
22	(5) Printing of Convention Journal 30,000
23	Section 5. Management of funds and lapse date. The allottee
24	of funds appropriated by this act shall be the President of the
25	Federated States of Micronesia or his designee. All funds

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1	appropriated under this act shall be allotted, managed, administered,
2	and accounted for in accordance with the Financial Management Act of
3	1979. The authority of the allottee to obligate funds appropriated
4	by this act shall not lapse.
5	Section 6. Effective date. This act shall become law upon
6	approval by the President of the Federated States of Micronesia or
7	upon its becoming law without such approval.
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