

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, 18-65, 18-84 and 19-22, by amending section 6 thereof, for the purpose of changing the lapse date of certain funds previously appropriated therein, to fund public projects and social programs for each of the states, and for other purposes.

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

1           Section 1. Section 6 of Public Law No. 17-36, as amended  
2 by Public Laws Nos. 17-48, 17-78, 17-87, 18-36, 18-65, 18-84 and  
3 19-22, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

4           "Section 6. Allotment and management of funds and  
5 lapse date. All funds appropriated by this act shall  
6 be allotted, managed, administered and accounted for  
7 in accordance with applicable laws, including, but not  
8 limited to, the Financial Management Act of 1979. The  
9 allottee shall be responsible for ensuring that these  
10 funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are  
11 used solely for the purpose specified in this act, and  
12 that no obligations are incurred in excess of the sum  
13 appropriated. The allottee of the funds appropriated  
14 under Section 2 of this act shall be the Governor of  
15 Yap State. The allottee of funds appropriated under  
16 sections 3 and 4 of this act shall be the President of  
17 the Federated States of Micronesia or his designee;  
18 EXCEPT THAT, the allottee of funds appropriated under

1 subsection 4(1)(b), 4(3)(a) and (b) of section 4 of  
2 this act shall be the Pohnpei Transportation  
3 Authority. The allottee of funds appropriated under  
4 subsection 4(2)(j) of section 4 shall be the Chief  
5 Magistrate of Sokehs Municipal Government. The  
6 allottee of funds appropriated under subsections 5(1),  
7 5(3) and 5(6) of section 5 of this act shall be the  
8 Governor of Chuuk State or his designee. The allottee  
9 of funds appropriated under subsection 5(2) of section  
10 5 of this act shall be the Mortlock Islands  
11 Development Authority; the allottee of funds  
12 appropriated under subsection 5(4) of section 5 of  
13 this act shall be the Southern Namoneas Development  
14 Authority. The allottee of funds appropriated under  
15 subsection 5(5) of section 5 of this act shall be the  
16 Faichuk Development Authority. The allottee of funds  
17 appropriated under subsection 5(6)(f) shall be the  
18 President of COM-FSM. The authority of the allottee  
19 to obligate funds appropriated by this act shall lapse  
20 on September 30, 2018."

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

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September 29 \_\_\_\_\_, 2016

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/s/ Peter M. Christian

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