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AN ACT

To appropriate the sum of \$35,000 from the General Fund of the State for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997 for the purpose of funding Chuuk State's donation for attorney's fees in Civil Case No. 1995-085, State of Chuuk, et al v. Secretary of the Department of Finance, FSM, et al, and for other purposes.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CHUUK STATE LEGISLATURE:


1           Section 1. The sum of \$35,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby  
2 appropriated from the General Fund of the State for the fiscal year ending September 30,  
3 1997, for the purpose of funding Chuuk State's donation for attorney's fees in Civil Case  
4 No. 1995-085, State of Chuuk, et al v. Secretary of the Department of Finance, FSM, et  
5 al.

6           Section 2. The sum appropriated by Section 1 shall be administered by and is  
7 allotted to the Governor of Chuuk State, who shall be responsible to the Legislature for  
8 ensuring that these funds are used only for the purposes specified in Section 1, and in  
9 accordance with the State Financial Management Act and generally accepted accounting  
10 practices, and that no obligations are incurred in excess of the sum appropriated.  
11 Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, this appropriation shall be non-lapsing. Any  
12 funds remaining at the complaint of Civil Case No. 1995-085 shall revert to the General  
13 Fund of the State.

14           Section 3. The Governor of the State of Chuuk shall submit a report to the  
15 Legislature on or before September 30, 1997, which shall:

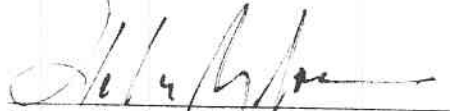
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17                   against the sum appropriated by Section 1, and indicate the  
18                   status of the funds as of September 1, 1997; and  
19                   2) indicate the planned use, during fiscal year 1997, of funds not  
20                   obligated as of September 1, 1997; PROVIDED, that a  
21                   supplemental report covering the actual use and obligation of  
22                   the funds shall be submitted to the Legislature, or an  
23                   appropriate committee thereof, by October 20, 1997.


1 Section 4. This Act shall take effect upon approval by the Governor, or upon its  
2 becoming law without such approval.  
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Signed by:   
Masachiro Christlib, Speaker  
House of Representatives  
Chuuk State Legislature

Date: Sept. 9, 1997

Attested:

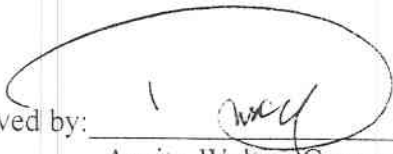
  
Herter Sorim, Chief Clerk  
House of Representatives  
Chuuk State Legislature

Signed by:   
Detor Santor, President  
Senate  
Chuuk State Legislature

Attested:

  
Ismael Dobich, Chief Clerk  
Senate  
Chuuk State Legislature

Date: Sept. 10, 1997

Approved by:   
Ansito Walter, Governor  
Chuuk State Government

Date: Sept 12, 1997