TENTH LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF CHUUK

CHUUK STATE LAW NUMBER 10-09-12

FIRST REGULAR SESSION, FIRST SPECIAL SESSION, SEPTEMBER, 2009

ACT NO: 10-12

AN ACT

Amending Sections 2, 4, 7, 9 and 11 of CSL No. 8-05-04 known as the Chuuk State Compact Fund Control Commission pursuant to Article 6 of the Fiscal Procedure Agreement implementing the Compact of Free Association between the Government of the Federated States of Micronesia and the Government of the United States as applicable to Chuuk State Government as sub-grantee, by reducing its members from seven (7) to hve (5) to change period for regular meeting, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Chuuk State Legislature:

Section 1. <u>Amendment.</u> Section 2 of CSL No. 8-05-04 is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 2. <u>Definition and Rules.</u> Unless the provisions or the context
 otherwise require, these general provisions, rules of construction and words have
 the following definition; and shall govern the construction of this Act.

(h (1)"Board" is the Board of Directors for the Commission created under this Act whose members consist of five Χ. (5) members appointed as specified herein. ()(2)"Cause" includes three consecutive absences of Board 10 member from attending three consecutive meeting of 11 the Commission, or any act of a Board member which may constitute a violation of a Board Member's duty to 13 the Commission, or any act of misconduct.

(3) "Commission" means the Chuuk State Compact Fund
15 Control Commission ("CFCC") established for fiscal
16 control and accounting procedures of any and all
17 expenditures of funds deriving from the Compact
18 entered into between the Government of the United
19 States as amended and its related agreements.

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 "Compact" means the Compact of Free Association

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implementing agreement of the Compact, as amended. 5 (6)"Payroll" refers to the bi-weekly payment of salary or 6 remuneration to exempt and is restricted to those 7 employees and contractors of Chuuk State Government 8 and is restricted to those payments made directly, in an 9 automated fashion, from the Chuuk State financial 10management System and for which there is an accurate 11 and complete electronic data File that can be 12 immediately provided to the commission or its bi-13 weekly basis and/or upon demand by the Commission 14 or its Secretariat.

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15(7)"Routine expenses and Minimal Expenses" refers to16those expenditures made from the various Compact17sector funds as may be defined by the Commission."

18 Section 2. <u>Amendment.</u> Section 4. of CSL No. 8-05-04 is hereby amended to
 19 read as follows:

"Section 4. Establishment and Organization of Authority. Pursuant to 20 Article VIII of the Chuuk State Constitution, there is hereby established a Chuuk 21 22 State Compact Fund Control Commission created under this Act which shall consist five (5) members, confirmed by the Senate as follows, except the Director 23 of Department of Administrative Services who shall serve as permanent member 24 25 of the Commission by nature of the position, two-members representing the FSM 26 National Government and from abroad who is an expert in financial management 27 and control as recommended to the Governor by the President of the Federated 28 States of Micronesia one member from Non Compact Sector and one member 29 from the private sector..

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a) one member from Non Compact Sector Program;

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b) one member from the private sector;

CHUUK STATE LAW NUMBER 10-09-12 1 c) one member representing the FSM National Government as 2 recommended to the Governor by the President of the 3 Federated States of Micronesia; 4 d) one member from abroad who is an expert in governmental 5 finance, management and control as recommended to the 6 Governor by the President of the Federated States of 7 Micronesia; 8 e) Director of the Department of Administrative Services who 9 shall serve as an Ex-Officio member of the Commission with 10voting power." 11 Section 3. Amendment. Section 7 of CSL No. 8-05-04 is hereby amended to read as follows: 12 "Section 7. Chairman. The Commission shall every two years elect one 13 of its members as Chairman. The Chairmanship may rotate among the members. 14 The Chairman shall preside at all meetings of the Commission as deemed 15 16 necessary. 17 The Commission shall have a regular meeting once a) 18 every quarter; 19 b) A special session may be held at any time between 20 regular meetings, as provided above at the call of the 21 Chairman or by the request of at least three members of 22 the Commission, or by written request by the Governor 23 of Chuuk State." Section 4. Amendment. Section 9 of CSL No. 8-05-04 is hereby amended to read 24 25 as follows: 26 "Section 9. Quorum. A majority of three members of the Commission 27 shall constitute a quorum. The vote of majority of the quorum present which shall include the concurring votes of the members representing the FSM National 28 29 Government and the member appointed from abroad shall be required to make 30 any action of the Commission effective except as provided herein".

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Section 5. <u>Amendment.</u> Section 11 of CSL No. 8-05-04 is hereby amended to
 read as follows:

3 "Section 11, Secretariat; Appointment/Compensation. The Commission shall appoint the Secretariat subject to not less than three (3) affirmative votes of 4 5 the Commission for the appointments. Said Secretariat shall, on behalf of the 6 Commission Administer and implement decisions and policies of the Commission 7 and discharge those Powers, duties, purposes, functions, and jurisdictions 8 hereunder or which hereafter by Law may be vested in the Commission, as may 9 be delegated through regulations, orders, or directive of the Commission. The 10 Secretariat shall be responsible for the daily operation and management of the 11 Office of the Commission and may hire other employees including experts and 12 consultants to enable the Secretariat to carry out the Commission's and the 13 Secretariat functions and responsibilities under this Act."

14 Section 6. <u>Effective Date</u>. This Act shall take effect upon approval by the 15 Governor, or upon its becoming law without such approval.

Signed by Singkoro Harper, Speaker

Attested:

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Herter/Sorim, Chief Clerk

House of Representatives Chuuk State Legislature

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November 26, 2009 Date: Signed by:

Mark Mailo, President Senate Chuuk State Legislature

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Approved by:

Wesley W. Simina, Governor Chuuk State Government

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101. 18, 200 J Date:

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