
PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT OF ALLOWANCE OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOL COOKS; MAKING APPROPRIATION THEREFOR; REPEALING EXISTING LAW TO SUCH EFFECT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE TRUK DISTRICT LEGISLATURE THAT:

Section 1. Authorization. There is hereby authorized an annual appropriation of such sums as the Legislature may deem necessary and appropriate out of the General Fund of the Truk District Legislature, not otherwise appropriated, for the purpose of providing allowance for elementary school cooks in both public and non-public schools which receive United States Department of Agriculture surplus rice.

Section 2. Payment. All cooks eligible to receive allowance under this act shall be paid fifteen (\$15.00) dollars per person per month for ten (10) months of the calendar year. The cooks who are entitled to allowance under this act shall be responsible for procuring their own firewood. The district treasurer shall disburse payments upon valid presentation of a certified request therefor. Such request shall be prepared by the individual cook, signed by the principal of the school in which such cook is employed, certified by the magistrate of the municipality in which such school is located, and approved by the district director of education, or his duly designated representative.

Section 3. Exception. Notwithstanding any provisions of Section 2 of this act, no cook shall be entitled to receive any payment under Section 2 unless he fulfills his responsibilities under this act; provided further, that payments shall not be made to any cook unless the municipality in which the school at which the cook is employed is located also appropriates funds for the

purposes specified in this act.

Section 4. Cooks. All cooks employed under this act shall possess certificate issued by the Department of Public Health, certifying the cook's eligibility to handle food. All cooks shall be chosen by the Parent-Teacher Association, if there is such association in the municipality concerned, and shall meet the approval of the municipal magistrate.

Section 5. Number of Cooks. There shall not be less than one cook for every hundred (100) students or fraction thereof at each school.

Section 6. Repeal. Public Law 20-27 is hereby repealed in its entirety.

Section 7. Effective Date: This act shall become effective upon its approval by the District Administrator, or upon its becoming law without such approval.

Signed by: /s/ Hermes Matsura
Hermes Matsura, Speaker
Truk District Legislature

Attested by: /s/ Reichiro Gerhart
Reichiro Gerhart, Secretary
Truk District Legislature

Date: 7/29/73

Approved by: /s/ Juan A. Sablan
Juan A. Sablan
District Administrator, Truk

Date: 8/27/71