AN ACT

APPROPRIATING FORTY THOUSAND DOLLARS ($40,000.00) OUT OF THE GENERAL FUND OF THE TRUK DISTRICT LEGISLATURE, NOT OTHERWISE APPROPRIATED, FOR THE PURPOSE OF RECONDITIONING AND TRANSPORTING ONE REEFER BARGE TO TRUK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE TRUK DISTRICT LEGISLATURE THAT:

Section 1. Appropriation. There is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the Truk District Legislature, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of forty thousand dollars ($40,000.00) for the purpose of reconditioning and transporting one reefer barge to Truk.

Section 2. Administration. The monies herein appropriated shall be administered by the District Administrator, who is hereby directed to endeavor to obtain from the surplus stores of the United States armed forces, or from such other sources as may be appropriate, one reefer barge with at least six hundred fifty (650) tons of freezer capacity; to have said reefer barge reconditioned, if necessary; and to have said reefer barge transported to Mone, Truk; provided, however, that the District Administrator shall not procure such reefer barge if the monies herein appropriated are insufficient for such procurement, reconditioning, and transportation.

Section 3. Reefer Barge Administration. The reefer barge when acquired and located in Truk shall be operated by the District Government for the benefit of the general public; or shall be operated for the benefit
of the general public under such conditions as the District Administrator shall deem appropriate by such private person or firm as submit the lowest responsible bid for the provision of such management services; or shall be leased by the person or firm submitting the highest bid therefore; provided, however, that no contract or lease executed pursuant to this Section shall exceed five (5) years in duration, including any extension or renewals thereof.

Section 4. Disposition of Revenues. All revenues received pursuant to Section 3. of this Chapter, whether received by the Government or the private person or firm operating the reefer barge for the benefit of the general public; and including any lease payments, shall be deposited into the General Fund of the Truk District Legislature and shall be available for appropriation by the Legislature; provided however, that if the reefer barge is not operated on a leasehold basis, expenditures necessary for the proper operation, maintenance and repair of the reefer barge shall first be deducted from such revenues.

Section 5. Reversion. Any moneis herein appropriated not expended or obligated at the end of Fiscal Year 1973 shall revert to the General Fund of the Truk District Legislature.
Section 6. **Effective Date:** This Act shall become effective upon its approval by the District Administrator, or upon its otherwise becoming law without such approval.

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

Attested to: /s/ Keichiro Gerhart  
Keichiro Gerhart, Secretary  
Truk District Legislature

Date: 7-6-72

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

Date 7-24-72