

AN ACT

To amend section 11 of Public Law No. 15-55, as amended, to allow one-time reprogramming from the personnel line item of the Department of Foreign Affairs to meet the rent and other costs of the Tokyo Mission Office associated with the fluctuating yen exchange rate, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Section 11 of Public Law No. 15-55, as amended, is
2 hereby amended to read as follows:

3 "Section 11. Reprogramming. Reprogramming of funds into
4 or from the personnel budget line items shall not be
5 permitted, except that reprogramming from the personnel
6 budget of the Department of Foreign Affairs is allowed
7 for one time only on or before the end of Fiscal Year
8 2009 in an amount not to exceed \$60,000 for rent and
9 other costs of the Tokyo Mission Office associated with
10 the fluctuating yen exchange rate. The President, Speaker
11 and Chief Justice may reprogram up to 10% to or from the
12 funds appropriated in sections 2 (Operating expenses of
13 the Executive Branch), 3 (Operating expenses of the
14 Legislative Branch), and 4 (Operating expenses of the
15 National Judicial Branch) respectively. Reprogramming of
16 funds within a department, office or agency shall be
17 effected by the head of such department, office or
18 agency by specifying in writing to the Secretary of

1 Finance and Administration, FSM National Government, the
2 accounts for which funding is either increased or
3 decreased. The President shall report to Congress within
4 one month of the last day of each financial quarter all
5 amounts reprogrammed inter or intra a department, office
6 or agency.

7 Section 2. Effective Date. This act shall become law upon
8 approval by the President of the Federated States of Micronesia or
9 upon its becoming law without such approval.

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September 29, 2009

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