

AN ACT

To amend Public Law No. 6-109, as amended by Public Law No. 1-2, to prescribe the time the Micronesian Washington Liaison Officer shall render his annual report in person to the Congress, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Section 2 of Public Law No. 6-109, as amended by Public Law
2 No. 1-2, is hereby amended to read as follows:


3 "Section 2. The Liaison Officer shall maintain the office
4 headquarters in Washington, D.C., and shall have the power to
5 employ such secretarial, clerical, technical, and professional
6 assistants as he may deem necessary to the fulfilling of his
7 duties and responsibilities, subject to appropriations for his
8 office. He shall represent the people of the Federated States of
9 Micronesia on a full-time basis before the Congress of the United
10 States and before the various departments and agencies of the
11 Federal Government and other organizations, public and private,
12 on all matters pertaining to the Federated States of Micronesia,
13 and shall actively and fully advocate all programs and policies
14 duly adopted by the Government of the Federated States of Micro-
15 nesia. He shall not bind or commit the Government of the Trust
16 Territory of the Pacific Islands without specific authority to do
17 so. He shall also assist the public officials of the Federated
18 States of Micronesia with respect to all matters necessary and
19 pertaining to the conduct of their offices, and shall render a
20 report on his activities in person to the Congress of the Federated
21 States of Micronesia once a year during the first regular session
22 of the calendar year beginning in 1980. He shall be subject to the

1 direction of the President of the Federated States of Micronesia on
2 the conduct of his office and shall submit a monthly report of his
3 activities to him."

4 Section 2. This act shall become law upon approval by the President of
5 the Federated States of Micronesia, or upon its becoming law without such
6 approval.

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