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August 18, 2023

The Honorable Semeon J. Phillip  
Speaker  
13<sup>th</sup> Kosrae State Legislature  
Post Office Box 187  
Tofol, Kosrae FM 96944

Dear Mr. Speaker,

Lenwo nusum ac Honorable members ke sroasr masap ahk 13.

Nga engan in akkeyela LB 13-48 nuke pusren masap suc orella State Law No. 13-25 suc title kac an fwak oinge:

"To appropriate the sum of \$96,735.00 from the Foreign Assistance Fund of the Kosrae State Treasury for the purpose of funding the Implementation of a memorandum of agreement between Kosrae State and National Institute of Biological Resources of the Ministry of Environment of the Republic of Korea; and for other purposes;"

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Kulo ma lulap.

Sincerely yours,

Tulensa W. Palik  
Governor

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Kosrae, FSM 96944

TAFUNSAK:  
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Ramsey S. George  
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Dear Governor Palik,

I have the honor to transmit herewith for your consideration and action **L.B. No. 13-48, TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$96,735.00 FROM THE FOREIGN ASSISTANCE FUND OF THE KOSRAE STATE TREASURY FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING THE IMPLEMENTATION OF A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT BETWEEN KOSRAE STATE AND NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF BIOLOGICAL RESOURCES OF THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**, which passed the Legislature, Second Regular Session, by two-thirds of the members of the Legislature, a quorum being present.

MALEM:  
Artson S. Talley  
Sasaki L. George  
Semeon J. Phillip

UTWE:  
Andy J. Andrew  
Yamado A. Melander

Respectfully yours,

*[Signature]*  
Martha B. Talley  
Chief Clerk

Thirteenth Kosrae State Legislature

Enclosures

THIRTEENTH KOSRAE STATE LEGISLATURE  
SECOND REGULAR SESSION  
KOSRAE, FM 96944

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A BILL FOR AN ACT

TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$96,735.00 FROM THE FOREIGN ASSISTANCE FUND OF THE KOSRAE STATE TREASURY FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING THE IMPLEMENTATION OF A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT BETWEEN KOSRAE STATE AND NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF BIOLOGICAL RESOURCES OF THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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INTRODUCED BY:

Floor Leader Andy J. Andrew (By Request)

DATE:

July 13, 2023

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ACTION BY THE LEGISLATURE

PASSED FIRST READING:

August 2, 2023

REFERRING TO: CQWR No. 13-05 – Adopted on August 2, 2023

PASSED SECOND READING:

August 16, 2023

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Martha B. Talley

Chief Clerk

13<sup>th</sup> Kosrae, State Legislature



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LEGISLATIVE BILL NO. 13-48

We hereby certify that the foregoing Bill has been passed by the  
Legislature, Second Regular Session, 2023, by two thirds of the  
members of the Thirteenth Kosrae State Legislature, a quorum being  
present.

Semeon J. Phillip  
Speaker  
13<sup>th</sup> Kosrae State Legislature

Martha B. Talley  
Chief Clerk  
13<sup>th</sup> Kosrae State Legislature

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A BILL FOR AN ACT

To appropriate the sum of \$96,735.00 from the Foreign Assistance Fund of the Kosrae State Treasury for the purpose of funding the implementation of a Memorandum of Agreement between Kosrae State and National Institute of Biological Resources of the Ministry of Environment of the Republic of Korea; and for other purposes.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE KOSRAE STATE LEGISLATURE

1           Section 1. Appropriation. The sum of \$96,735.00 is hereby appropriated from the  
2 Foreign Assistance Fund of the Kosrae State Treasury for the purpose of funding the  
3 implementation of a Memorandum of Agreement between Kosrae State and the National  
4 Institute of Biological Resources of the Ministry of Environment of the Republic of Korea.

5           Section 2. Allottee and Lapse Date. All funds appropriated by this act shall be allotted,  
6 managed, administered and accounted for in accordance with applicable laws. The allottee of  
7 the fund appropriated shall be the Governor of the State of Kosrae, who shall be responsible for  
8 ensuring that these funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are used for the purpose for  
9 which are appropriated and that no obligations are incurred in excess of the sum appropriated.  
10 The authority of the allottee to obligate the fund appropriated by this act shall be until expended.

11           Section 3. Effective Date. This act shall become law upon approval by the Governor or  
12 upon its becoming law without such approval.

13 PASSED BY THE 13<sup>TH</sup> KOSRAE STATE LEGISLATURE ON THE 16<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF AUGUST,  
14 2023.

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THIRTEENTH KOSRAE STATE LEGISLATURE

THIRD SPECIAL SESSION, JULY 2023

L. B. No. 13-48

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Semeon J. Philip  
Speaker, 13<sup>th</sup> Kosrae State Legislature

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Attested by:   
Chief Clerk

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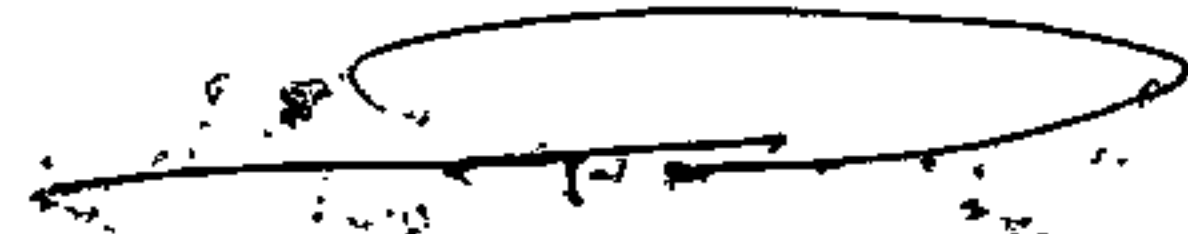
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Tulensa W. Palik  
Governor, State of Kosrae

Date: 8.17.23

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