May 20, 2025

The Honorable Semeon J. Phillip Speaker 13<sup>th</sup> Kosrae State Legistature Tofol, Kosrae 96944

Dear Mr. Speaker,

Kulo kaksakin God ke moul lasr kewa. Paing kowos ac Honorable Members ke Sroasr Masap kewa.

Nga engan in akkeyelah L.B. No. 13-185, nuke pusren masap suc orellah State Law No. 13-121 suc title kac an fahk oinge:

"TO FURTHER AMEND STATE LAW NO.12-02, AS AMENDED BY STATE LAW NOS. 12-187 AND 13-71 BY EXTENDING THE LAPSE DATE FROM SEPTEMBER 30, 2026; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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Tulensa W. Palik Governor, Kosrae State

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# THIRTEENTH KOSRAE STATE LEGISLATURE P.O. BOX 187 TOFOL, KOSRAE STATE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA 96944

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The Honorable Tulensa W. Palik Governor State of Kosrae Kosrae, FSM 96944

Dear Governor Palik,

I have the honor to transmit herewith for your consideration and action L.B. No. 13-185, TO FURTHER AMEND STATE LAW NO. 12-02, AS AMENDED BY STATE LAW NOS. 12-187 AND 13-71 BY EXTENDING THE LAPSE DATE FROM SEPTEMBER 30, 2026; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES, which has been passed by the Legislature, Eighteenth Special Session, by two-third of the members of the Legislature, a quorum being present.

Respectfully yours,

Martha B. Talley Chief Clerk

Thirteenth Kosrae State Legislature

**Enclosures** 

## **LEGISLATIVE BILL NO. 13-185**

### THIRTEENTH KOSRAE STATE LEGISLATURE EIGHTEENTH SPECIAL SESSION KOSRAE, FM 96944

### A BILL FOR AN ACT

TO FURTHER AMEND STATE LAW NO. 12-02, AS AMENDED BY STATE LAW NOS. 12-187 AND 13-71 BY EXTENDING THE LAPSE DATE FROM SEPTEMBER 30, 2026; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY:	Floor Leader Andy J. Andrew (By Request)
<b>DATE:</b> April 15, 20	25
ACTION BY THE LEGISLATU	JRE
PASSED FIRST READING:	May 13, 2025
REFERRING TO: Withdrawn	& Placed from Joint Committees on W&M/ETC&I
PASSED SECOND READING:	May 14, 2025

Martha B. Talley Chief Clerk

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UTWE: Andy J. Andrew Yamado A. Melander LEGISLATIVE BILL NO. 13-185

We hereby certify that the foregoing Bill has been passed by the Legislature, Eighteenth Special Session, 2025, by two thirds of the members of the Thirteenth Kosrae State Legislature, a quorum being present.

Semeon J. Phillip

Speaker

13th Kosrae State Legislature

Martha B. Talley

Chief Clerk

13th Kosrae State Legislature

#### THIRTEENTH KOSRAE STATE LEGISLATURE

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### A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend State Law No. 12-02, as amended by State Law Nos. 12-187 and 13-71 by extending the lapse date from September 30, 2026; and for other purposes.

#### BE IT ENACTED BY THE KOSRAE STATE LEGISLATURE

- Section 1. <u>Purpose</u>. The purpose of the act is to further amend State Law No. 12-02, as
- amended by State Law Nos. 12-187 and 13-71 to extend the lapse date to September 30, 2026.
- Section 2. <u>Amendment</u>. State Law No. 12-02, as amended by State Law Nos. 12-187 and 13-71, is hereby amended to read as follows:
- "Section 3. Allottee and Lapse Date. All funds appropriated by this act shall be allotted, managed, administered and accounted for in accordance with applicable laws.

  The allottee of the funds appropriated shall be the Governor of the State of Kosrae, who shall be responsible for ensuring that these funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are used for the purpose for which are appropriated and that no obligations are incurred in excess of the sum appropriated. The authority of the allottee to obligate funds appropriated by this act on Section 2(1) shall lapse on September 30, 2026..."
- Section 3. <u>Effective Date</u>. This act shall become law upon approval by the Governor or upon its becoming law without such approval.
- 14 PASSED BY THE 13<sup>TH</sup> KOSRAE STATE LEGISLATURE ON THE 14<sup>th</sup> DAY OF MAY,
- **15** 2025.

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## THIRTEENTH KOSRAE STATE LEGISLATURE

FIFTH REGULAR SESSION, FEBRUARY 2025

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Speaker, 13th Kosrae State Legislature	
Attested by: Masmus Chief Clerk	
Tulensa W. Palik Governor, State of Kosrae	Date: 5.20.20
Jovernor, State of Kostae	

L.B. No. <u>13-185</u>