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The Honorable Semeon J. Phillip Speaker 13th Kosrae State Legislature Tofol, Kosrae FM 96944

Dear Speaker Phillip:

Your Joint Committee on Ways & Means (W&M) and Health & Social Affairs (H&SA), to which was assigned L.B. No. 13-25 entitled, "To appropriate the sum of \$41,532,163 from the Public Sector Infrastructure Fund of the Kosrae State Treasury for the purpose of funding the Kosrae Hospital; and for other purposes," begs leave to report as follows:

COMMITTEE ACTION:

Your joint committee met in an Executive Meeting on April 20th, 2023, following the Closing Day Session of the 1st Special Session and decided to dispose its action on L.B. No. 13-25.

COMMITTEE FINDINGS:

The intent of the subject bill is clearly stated in its title.

During the committee's brief deliberations, the members were made aware that this has already been awarded and the members noted this to be a rubber-stamping effort on their part. Hence, the members collectively agreed to move forward with the bill.

COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

With the aforementioned findings, Your Joint Committee on W&M and H&SA hereby recommends the reporting out of L.B. No. 13-25 and further passage in its first and final readings.

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Respectfully submitted,

S.C.R. No. May 2023RE: L.B. No. 13-25

S.C.R. No. 13-<u>29</u> May <u>9</u>, 2023 RE: <u>L.B. No. 13-25</u>

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