



**GOVERNMENT OF KOSRAE**

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June 25, 2025

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

Dear Mr. Speaker,

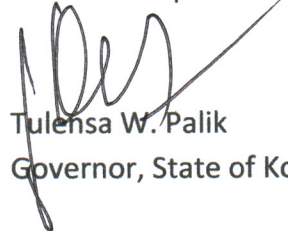
Kulo nu sin God ke moul lasr. Paing kom a Honorable Members ke Sroasr Masap kewa.

Nga engan in sulkakin nu sum la nga insese a sain L.B. No. 13-209,L.D.1, nuke pusren masap su oral State Law No. 13-132, su title ka an fwak oinge:

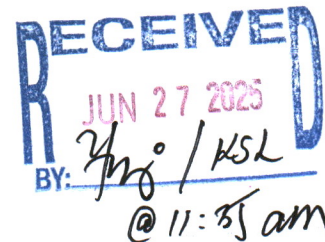
**To further amend State Law No. 13-98, as amended by State Law Nos. 13-103, 13-112, 13-119 and 13-120, by amending Section 4 at Subsection S(B) and (C), to modify the Kosrae State Legislature's FY2025 approved Budget for Others, Travel and Contractual; and for other purposes.**

Certified copy ke masap se inge pa attached nuke letter luk.

Kulo ma lulap



Tulensa W. Palik  
Governor, State of Kosrae





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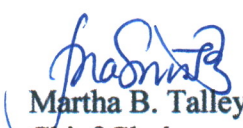
June 25, 2025

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. 13-209 L.D. 1, TO FURTHER AMEND STATE LAW NO. 13-98, AS AMENDED BY STATE LAW NOS. 13-103, 13-112, 13-119 and 13-120, BY AMENDING SECTION 4 AT SUBSECTION S (B) AND (C), TO MODIFY THE KOSRAE STATE LEGISLATURE'S FY2025 APPROVED BUDGET FOR OTHERS, TRAVEL AND CONTRACTUAL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES,** which has been passed by the Legislature, Nineteenth 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. 13-209 L.D.1**

**THIRTEENTH KOSRAE STATE LEGISLATURE  
NINETEENTH SPECIAL SESSION  
KOSRAE, FM 96944**

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**A BILL FOR AN ACT**

**TO FURTHER AMEND STATE LAW NO. 13-98, AS AMENDED BY STATE LAW NOS. 13-103,13-112, 13-119 and 13-120, BY AMENDING SECTION 4 AT SUBSECTION S (B) AND (C), TO MODIFY THE KOSRAE STATE LEGISLATURE'S FY2025 APPROVED BUDGET FOR OTHERS, TRAVEL AND CONTRACTUAL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**

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**INTRODUCED BY:** Floor Leader Andy J. Andrew

**DATE:** June 24, 2025

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**ACTION BY THE LEGISLATURE**

**PASSED FIRST READING:** June 24, 2025

**REFERRING TO:** Withdrawn & Placed from Committees on W&M/J&GO

**PASSED SECOND READING:** June 25, 2025

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



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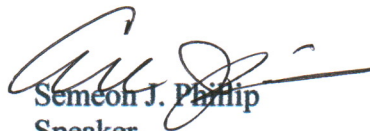
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**LEGISLATIVE BILL NO. 13-209 L.D.1**

We hereby certify that the foregoing Bill has been passed by the  
Legislature, Nineteenth Special Session, 2025, 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**

THIRTEENTH KOSRAE STATE LEGISLATURE

NINETEENTH SPECIAL SESSION, JUNE 2025

L.B. No. 13-209 L.D.1

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A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend State Law No. 13-98, as amended by State Law Nos. 13-103, 13-112, 13-119, and 13-120, by amending Section 4 at subsections (b) and (c), to modify the Kosrae State Legislature's FY2025 approved budget for Others, Travel, and Contractual; and for other purposes.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE KOSRAE STATE LEGISLATURE

1       Section 1. Purpose. The purpose of this Act is to further amend State Law No. 13-  
2       98, as amended by State Law Nos. 13-103, 13-112, 13-119, and 13-120, by amending  
3       Section 4 at subsections (b) and (c), to modify the Kosrae State Legislature's FY2025  
4       approved budget for Others, Travel, and Contractual.

5       Section 2. Amendment. State Law No. 13-98, Section 4 is hereby amended to  
6       read as follows:

7               "Section 4. Apportionment. Operation of the Legislature. The sums  
8       apportioned by Section 3 of this Act are apportioned as follows:

|                          | <u>Amended Compact Fund</u> | <u>Rev. Fund</u> | <u>U.S. Grant Fund</u> | <u>Forgn Asst. Fund</u> |
|--------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|
| 10       (a) Personnel   | -0-                         | 719,186          | -0-                    | -0-                     |
| 11       (b) Travel      | -0-                         | 105,000          | -0-                    | -0-                     |
| 12       (c) Contractual | -0-                         | 281,000          | -0-                    | -0-                     |
| 13       (d) Others      | -0-                         | 138,050          | -0-                    | -0-                     |
| 14       (e) Fixed Asset | -0-                         | 65,000           | -0-                    | -0-                     |

15       Section 3. Effective Date. This Act takes effect upon the approval of the Governor  
16       or upon its becoming law without such approval.

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TABLE FOR ATTACHMENT

To further amend State Law No. 13-08, as amended by State Law No. 13-112, 13-119, and 13-120, by amending Section 4 at subject (a) and (b) to read: "The Kosovo State Legislature (LY1022 approved budget for General Travel and Commuting and for other purposes."

REPEAL OF THE KOSOVAI STATE LEGISLATIVE

Section 1. Purpose: The purpose of this Act is to further amend State Law No. 13-

08, as amended by State Law No. 13-112, 13-119, and 13-120, by amending

Section 4 at subject (a) and (b) to read: "The Kosovo State Legislature (LY1022

approved budget for General Travel and Commuting.

Section 2. Amendment: State Law No. 13-08, Section 4 is hereby amended to

read as follows:

"Section 4. Appropriation of the Office of the Legislature. The sum

appropriated by Section 3 of this Act are appropriated as follows:

| Section 3 | Appropriated (Unit)   | Res. Fund | Leg. Council | Leg. Fund |
|-----------|-----------------------|-----------|--------------|-----------|
| 10        | (a) Personnel -0-     | 219,186   | -0-          | -0-       |
| 11        | (b) Travel -0-        | 162,000   | -0-          | -0-       |
| 12        | (c) Communication -0- | 221,000   | -0-          | -0-       |
| 13        | (d) Office -0-        | 138,750   | -0-          | -0-       |
| 14        | (e) Fixed Asset -0-   | 620,000   | -0-          | -0-       |

Section 3. The Legislature. This Act takes effect upon the approval of the Governor

or upon its becoming law without such approval.

THIRTEENTH KOSRAE STATE LEGISLATURE

NINETEENTH SPECIAL SESSION, JUNE 2025

L.B. No. 13-209 L.D.1

1 PASSED BY THE 13<sup>TH</sup> KOSRAE STATE LEGISLATURE ON THE 25<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF  
2 JUNE, 2025.

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

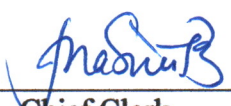
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10 Attested by:   
Chief Clerk

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Tulensa W. Palik  
Governor, State of Kosrae

Date: 6.25.25

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