

A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend title 11 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia, as amended, by enacting a new section 611 and for other purposes.

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

1           Section 1. Title 11 of the Code of the Federated States of  
2 Micronesia, as amended, is hereby further amended by enacting a  
3 new section 611 to read as follows:

4           "Section 611. Causing a person to contract the Human  
5           Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV).

6           (1) A person who:

7                   (a) intentionally or knowingly; or

8                   (b) recklessly under circumstances manifesting

9           extreme indifference to the value of human life,

10           causes another person, by any means, to contract any of

11           the various strains of the human immunodeficiency virus

12           or attempts, by any means, to cause another person to

13           contract any of the various strains of the human

14           immunodeficiency virus commits an offence.

15           (2) The maximum penalty for a person convicted of an

16           offence pursuant to subsection (1) of this section is

17           life imprisonment."

18

19

1  
2  
3  
4  
5  
6  
7  
8  
9  
10  
11  
12  
13  
14  
15  
16  
17  
18  
19  
20  
21  
22  
23  
24  
25

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

Date: 5/23/05

Introduced by: /s/ Ramon Peyal  
Ramon Peyal

1