

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 15-48

RE: C.B. NO. 15-76/W&M

SUBJECT: AMENDING SECTION 2 OF PUBLIC LAW NO. 14-107, AS AMENDED, TO CHANGE THE USE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN FOR POHNPEI STATE.

NOVEMBER 21, 2007

The Honorable Isaac V. Figir
Speaker, Fifteenth Congress
Federated States of Micronesia
Third Special Session, 2007

Dear Mr. Speaker:

Your committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred C.B. No. 15-76, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 14-107, AS AMENDED, BY AMENDING SECTION 2 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE OF CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED FOR POHNPEI STATE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.",

begs leave to report as follows:

The intent and purpose of the Bill are expressed in its title.

Your Committee on Ways and Means has considered this bill to amend the use of \$100,000 previously appropriated in subsection 4(a)(ii) of Section 2 of Public Law No. 14-107. The \$100,000 is previously appropriated to fund Calvary School classroom construction, a line item project for Election District No. 1, State of Pohnpei.

The funding for this specific project (Calvary School classroom construction) has not been obligated and expended for its purported use. The FSM Department of Finance and Administration has certified that the amount of funding for the said project is still available. Therefore, your Committee wishes to change the use of this \$100,000 from "Calvary School classroom construction" to "Likie Road Paving".

Your Committee on Ways and Means is in accord with the intent and purpose of C.B. No. 15-76 and recommends its passage on First Reading, and that it be placed on the calendar for Second and Final Reading in the form attached hereto as C.B. No. 15-76.

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Respectfully submitted,

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