

AN ACT

To further amend title 50 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia, as amended, by amending section 204 to eliminate the requirement that application and renewal fees be uniform, by amending section 205 to allow for a shorter period of validity of passports for certain persons to be established by regulations, by amending section 207 to increase the amount of funds in the Passport Revolving Fund, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Section 204 of title 50 of the Code of the
2 Federated States of Micronesia is hereby amended to read as
3 follows:

4 "Section 204. Fees.

5 An application for a passport shall be accompanied by
6 the payment of a fee. An application for renewal of a
7 valid passport shall be accompanied by a fee. The
8 President may by executive order or regulation establish
9 different fees for application or renewal."

10 Section 2. Section 205 of title 50 of the Code of the
11 Federated States of Micronesia, as amended by Public Law No. 10-
12 140, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

13 "Section 205. Duration of Passports.

14 A passport shall be valid for a period of ten years from
15 the date of issuance or renewal, except a shorter period
16 of validity may be established by regulation for minors,
17 senior citizens, and holders of official and diplomatic
18 passports."

1 Section 3. Section 207 of title 50 of the Code of the
2 Federated States of Micronesia is hereby amended to read as
3 follows:

4 "Section 207. Passport Revolving Fund.

5 (1) There is created and established the Passport
6 Revolving Fund, hereinafter referred to as the 'Fund,'
7 separate from the General Fund of the Federated States
8 of Micronesia and all other funds.

9 (2) The purpose of the Fund is to establish an ongoing
10 revolving fund to allow appropriations for, and revenues
11 from, the issuance and renewal of passports to be used
12 for passport issuance and renewal.

13 (3) All future appropriations for, and revenues
14 received from the issuance and renewal of passports
15 shall be deposited in the Fund; provided, that at no
16 time shall the total of monies in the Fund exceed
17 \$100,000; and provided further, that any revenues
18 received from the issuance and renewal of passports
19 which would cause the total amount of monies in the Fund
20 to exceed \$100,000 shall be deposited in the General
21 Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia; except that
22 during the fiscal year ending in September 2006, the
23 total amount of monies in the Fund shall not exceed
24 \$500,000. Any unexpended monies in this Fund shall not
25 revert to the General Fund nor lapse at the end of the

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