A BILL FOR AN ACT

To further amend title 55 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia, as amended, by adding a new subchapter XII to chapter 6 to establish a Maritime Surveillance Revolving Fund, and for other purposes.

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

1. Section 1. Title 55 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia, as amended, is hereby further amended by adding a new subchapter XII to chapter 6 to establish a Maritime Surveillance Revolving Fund.

2. Section 2. Title 55 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia, as amended, is hereby further amended by adding a new section 671 to subchapter XII of chapter 6, to read as follows:

   "Section 671. Establishment. There is hereby created and established a Maritime Surveillance Revolving Fund, separate from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia and all other funds."

3. Section 3. Title 55 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia, as amended, is hereby further amended by adding a new section 672 to subchapter XII of chapter 6, to read as follows:

   "Section 672. Purpose. The purpose of the Fund is to provide reliable funding for fuel to support the operational needs of the patrol and surveillance boats of the national government of the Federated States of Micronesia."

4. Section 4. Title 55 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia, as amended, is hereby further amended by adding a new subchapter XIII to chapter 6 to establish a Maritime Surveillance Reserves Fund, and for other purposes.
Micronesia, as amended, is hereby further amended by adding a new section 672 to subchapter XII of chapter 6, to read as follows:

"Section 673. Deposits. All future appropriations for the Fund as well as revenues received pursuant to the provisions of section 403(2) of title 24 shall be deposited in the Fund. Any unexpended moneys in this Fund shall neither revert to the General Fund nor lapse at the end of the fiscal year; PROVIDED, HOWEVER, that any amount in excess of $500,000 shall be paid into the General Fund."

Section 5. Title 55 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia, as amended, is hereby further amended by adding a new section 674 to subchapter XII of chapter 6, to read as follows:

"Section 674. Administration. The fund shall be administered by the President of the Federated States of Micronesia, or his designee, who shall establish procedures necessary and appropriate for the effectuation and implementation of the provisions of this subchapter."

Section 6. 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: 5/14/10

Introduced by: /s/ Joe N. Suka

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(by request)