
AN ACT

To further amend Yap State Law No. 11-80, as amended by Yap State Laws No. 11-104 and 11-107, by further amending Section 2, concerning conditions and restrictions of funds, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Yap.

1 Section 1. Section 2 in Yap State Law No. 11-80 is
2 hereby amended to read as follows:

3 "Section 2. Conditions and Restrictions.

4 (1) Funds herein appropriated under U.S.

5 Federal Grants shall not be available for obligation for
6 their planned uses by the respective agencies until the
7 respective grants have been awarded and the respective
8 cash amounts have been drawn down by the State and are
9 deposited in their respective State accounts and
10 available for disbursement.

11 (2) Lump-sum budget amounts shall not be
12 advanced to any agency, with the exception of Yap
13 Visitors Bureau, at the beginning of the fiscal year.
14 Memorandum of agreement (MOA) or other forms of agreement
15 the purpose of which is to obligate and disburse to a
16 respective agency its annual budget as approved herein,
17 including reimbursements to such agencies for payments
18 for expenditures under their respective budget, is

1 prohibited; PROVIDED, however, that appropriated
2 funds for Yap Visitors Bureau shall be granted
3 pursuant to Section 2 of Yap State Law No. 4-81 and
4 Section 2 of Yap State Law No. 6-24. All funds
5 appropriated by this Act shall be maintained under the
6 authority of the Director of the Office of Administrative
7 Services, with the exception of Yap Visitors Bureau
8 funds.

9 (3) Funds herein appropriated, with the
10 exception of funds appropriated for Yap Visitors Bureau,
11 shall be allotted only on a quarterly basis, except where
12 it is essential for the effective and efficient
13 performance of the duties and responsibilities of an
14 agency to allot certain lump-sum amounts at the beginning
15 of the fiscal year such as for the purchase of fixed
16 assets and for contractual services.

17 (4) Unless otherwise specified in this Act,
18 funds appropriated herein for personnel shall not be
19 reprogrammed for other uses; except the Legislature
20 specifically approves the following:

21 (a) Election Commissioner's Office
22 may reprogram \$3,000 from Personnel to Fixed Assets.

1 (b) Office of the Governor may
2 reprogram no more than \$25,000 from Personnel for State
3 Funeral expenses.”

4 Section 2. This Act shall take effect upon the
5 approval by the Governor, or upon its becoming law
6 without such approval.

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9 **Final Passage:** June 10, 2025
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11 **Certified by:** 
12 Dee N. N. Jiklan
13 Chief Clerk

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16 Nicholas Figirilaarwon
17 Speaker
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Approved by: 
Francis Itimai
Acting Governor

6/10/25
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6/12/2025
Date