

AN ACT

To appropriate the sum of \$325,000 from the General Fund of the State of Yap for the purpose of professional retainer services for the Governor during Fiscal Year 2025, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. The sum of \$325,000, or so much thereof
2 as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the
3 General Fund of the State of Yap for the purpose of
4 providing funding to fund professional retainer services
5 for the Governor during Fiscal Year 2025. Such services
6 shall be in regards to the proposed United States of
7 America defense site establishment and development in the
8 State of Yap.

9 Section 2. Conditions and Restrictions.

10 (1) The sum appropriated by this Act shall not
11 be advanced unless a duly executed contract has been
12 signed by all parties.

13 (2) All funds appropriated by this Act shall be
14 maintained under the authority of the Director of the
15 Office of Administrative Services and subject to
16 quarterly payments, the first of which shall be made upon
17 execution of a contract.

18 (3) Funds herein appropriated shall be allotted

1 in full for contractual services.

2 Section 3. Allotment and Management of Funds, and
3 Lapse Date.

4 (1) The sum appropriated by this Act shall be
5 allotted to the Governor.

6 (2) The Governor shall be responsible for
7 ensuring these funds are used only for the purpose
8 specified under Section 1 of this Act. The authority to
9 obligate the funds appropriated by this Act shall lapse
10 as of September 30, 2025, and any part of this
11 appropriation not obligated as of September 30, 2025
12 shall revert to the General Fund of the State of Yap.

13 Section 4. Reports. The Governor, through an
14 executed contract, and after the first payment pursuant
15 to the contract is made, shall require the performance
16 and financial monthly reports for each month of the
17 contract in the fiscal years no later than the last
18 working day of the month. Each report shall include,
19 but not limited to, complete descriptions of the
20 obligations incurred against the respective apportioned
21 funds appropriated by this Act, and the details of the
22 performance pursuant to contract. Such reports shall be

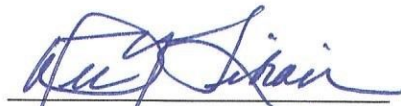
1 submitted to the Legislature for review.

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


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6 **Vetoed by Governor on:** November 18, 2024

7 **Legislative Reading:** January 21, 2025

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9 **Final Passage:** January 21, 2025

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11 **Certified by:** 
12 Dee N. N. Libian
13 Chief Clerk

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15 Nicholas Figirlaarwon
16 Speaker

17 **Approved by:** 
18 Charles Chieng
19 Governor

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