ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF YAP
Fourth Regular Session
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(Finance)

Bill No. 11[1]-239

A BILL FOR AN ACT

To appropriate $5,800 from the General Fund of the State of Yap for the purpose of providing funding to fund Yap State Election Office during Calendar Year 2026, and for other purposes.

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

Section 1. The sum of $5,800, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the General Fund of the State of Yap for the purpose of providing funding to fund the Yap State Election Office ballot boxes during Calendar Year 2026. The funds would be from the nomination petition fees collected pursuant to Section 503 (b) of Title 7 in the Yap State Code.

Section 2. Conditions and Restrictions.

(2) All funds appropriated by this Act shall be maintained under the authority of the Director of the Office of Administrative Services.

(3) The Director shall ensure funds are disbursed as a grant in the form prescribed and approved for such purposes.

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

(1) The sum appropriated by this Act shall be allotted to the Election Commissioner.

(2) The Election Commissioner shall be responsible

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for ensuring these funds are used only for the purpose specified under Section 1 of this Act. The sum appropriated by this Act shall be administered in accordance with the provisions of applicable law, including, but not limited to, the State Financial Management Act of 1983 and the State Contracts Act. The authority to obligate the funds appropriated by this Act shall lapse as of December 31, 2026. Any part of the funds appropriated by this Act not obligated by December 31, 2026 shall revert to the General Fund of the State of Yap.

Section 4. Reports. The Election Commissioner shall submit to the Governor to include for submission to the Legislature the performance and financial quarterly reports for each of the quarters in each fiscal year no later than twenty days after the end of each quarter. Each quarterly report shall include, but not limited to, complete descriptions of the obligations incurred against the funds appropriated by this Act, and the status of the funds as of the end of the completed quarter.

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

Date: 8/13/26 Introduced by: _____
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