

THIRD CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

SECOND REGULAR SESSION, 1983

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 3-122

AN ACT

To amend section 503 of title 24 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia to increase the monetary amount of criminal penalties for violations of section 501 of title 24 of the Code of the Federated States of Micronesia, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Section 503 of title 24 of the Code of the Federated
2 States of Micronesia is hereby amended to read as follows:

3 "Section 503. Criminal penalties.

4 (1) A person is guilty of an offense if he commits any
5 act prohibited by section 501 of this chapter.

6 (2) Any offense described as a prohibited act by
7 subsections (1)(a), (b), (c), or (g) of section 501 is
8 punishable by a fine of not more than \$200,000.

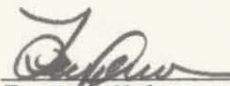
9 (3) Any offense described as a prohibited act by
10 subsections (1)(d), (e), (f), or (h) of section 501 is
11 punishable by a fine of not more than \$400,000, or imprisonment
12 for not more than two years, or both; except that if in the
13 commission of any such offense the person uses a dangerous
14 weapon, engages in conduct that causes bodily injury to any
15 officer authorized to enforce the provisions of this title, or
16 threatens any such officer with bodily injury, the offense is
17 punishable by a fine of not more than \$1 million, or imprisonment
18 for not more than ten years, or both.

19 (4) Any offense described as a prohibited act by subsection
20 (2) of section 501 is punishable by a fine of not more than
21 \$400,000. Each day of continuing violation shall be considered
22 a separate offense."

1 Section 2. This act shall become law upon approval by the
2 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its becoming
3 law without such approval.

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