

**NINTH KOSRAE STATE LEGISLATURE  
First Regular Session  
February 12, 2007**

**Thursday  
February 15, 2007**

**FOURTH DAY**

NO SESSION

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**Friday  
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**FIFTH DAY**

NO SESSION

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**Saturday  
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**SIXTH DAY**

NO SESSION

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**Monday  
February 19, 2007**

**SEVENTH DAY**

NO SESSION

**NINTH KOSRAE STATE LEGISLATURE**  
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**February 12, 2007**

**Tuesday**  
**February 20, 2007**

**EIGHTH DAY**

Len Ak-Oalkosr ke First Regular Session lun Ninth Kosrae State Legislature sifil folokeni ke Tuesday, February 20, 2007 ke ao 10:01 am a session srakpana presided sel Acting Speaker Albert T. Welly.

Acting Speaker Welly: Ke pacl se inge nga lungse sifil fwak kulo ma lulap nusin God ke pacl wo, paing kowos members, mwet nukewa ma oasr ke pacl se inge. Ingena ngac ngisre kutan som ke item 2, Moment of Silent Prayer.

Moment of silent prayer oayapa akfulatyeyuk.

Roll call akfasryeyuk pac sel Chief Clerk Elley, ma kalem pa oasr pusen members 11 present. Speaker Jackson, Senator Martin, a Senator William elos wangin (absent), excused, ke session day se inge.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo ma lulap Chief Clerk, record el show tu kut meet quorum, kut ku in transact business lasr misenge u. Kut oasr ke item 4, Consideration of Journal.

**Consideration of Journal**

*Adoption of Third Day – First Regular Session*

Acting Speaker Welly: Acting Floor Leader Abraham?

Acting Floor Leader Abraham: Kulo ma lulap Speaker, tuwo nusuwo kewa, mwet ma oasr in gallery, staff ma oasr yorosr a mwet mutacta an kewa. Ke pac fwak tuwo nusuwo su wi porongo tukeni lasr misenge u, oana sie fin an u ku off-island. Speaker, ke pacl se nge nga move adoption lun len ak-tolu ke first regular session lun Legislature se misenge u, so move?

Acting Vice Speaker Phillip: Second.

Acting Speaker Welly: Moved and seconded adoption lun Third Day Journal ke First Regular session lun Ninth Legislature. Discussion, comments, fwak lun members? Fin a wangin ne ke pacl se nge kut akola kutan som ke motion. Kowos nukewa ma inese mu Third Day Journal in ku in adopted ke len misenge u say aye, lain say nay, motion carried.

*Journal ke Third Day ke First Regular Session lun Ninth Kosrae State Legislature adopted ke len misenge u, Tuesday, February 20, 2007.*

### Governor's Message

- No. 9-05-** Submitting for information and use copy of Institutional Capacity Building Roadmap for the Government of the Federated Sates of Micronesia. [W&M]
- No. 9-06-** Transmitting a proposed bill for consideration and action, to amend Title 9, Section 9.202 to increase sales tax on certain luxury items imported and sold in within the State of Kosrae. [W&M]
- No. 9-07-** Transmitting a proposed bill for consideration and action, to amend Title 9, Section 9.201 to decrease number of days within which a seller is required to remit the sales tax to the State. [W&M]

Senator Siba: Speaker, nga move recess kitin pacl?

Acting Speaker Welly: Short recess.

Session recessed ke ao 10:06 am a reconvened ke ao 10:10 am

Acting Speaker Welly: Kut folok nuke session, fin a list comment lowos ke Governor's Message, kut som nuke item 6, miscellaneous communication, Mr. Chief Clerk?

### Miscellaneous Communications

- No. 9-08-** From Mr. Grant Jonas, transmitting Malem Council Ordinance No. 6-16 regarding nighttime curfew for juveniles for comments. [J&GO]
- No. 9-09-** From Mr. Fred N. Skilling, forwarding copy of his letter to Acting Governor Jackson and Acting Speaker Welly, request a courtesy visit. [COW]
- No. 9-10-** From Senator Judith Won Pat, forwarding copy of her letter to Speaker Lyndon Jackson, regards to Kosrae State Legislature's membership contribution to APIL for 2006-2007. [W&M/J&GO]
- No. 9-11-** From Mr. Aren Palik, forwarding copy of his letter to Speaker Charles Chieng, regards to Yap's representative to the Pacific Island Development Bank. [R&D/J&GO]
- No. 9-12-** From Mr. Haser Hainrick, provides FY06 Single Audit Status Report #5. [W&M]

**No. 9-13-** From Mr. Charles Johnson, providing Pohnpei Legislature Resolution No. 133-07, requests the Congress to reconsider Public Law No. 14-90. [COW]

**No. 9-14-** From Mr. Charlton Timothy, forwarding copy of his letter to Chief Justice for the Kosrae State Land Court. [J&GO]

Acting Speaker Welly: Oasr comments lun members, kusen siuk ke Miscellaneous Communication? Acting Floor Leader Abraham?

Acting Floor Leader Abraham: Kulo ma lulap Speaker, saap tia ma ma se tusruktu Miscellaneous Communication No. 9-10. Nga ke etu la office lun Speaker an oasr e yac ke communications se ngacn?

Acting Speaker Welly: In kasru, nuke fee, contribution nuke APIL, 06-07, saap enenu in akfasryeyuk fin a paye kalem luk u angacn neke pacl se nge.

Acting Floor Leader Abraham: Kulo ma lulap Mr. Speaker, fin a pa ngacn understanding u kut ngisre in angacn.

Acting Speaker Welly: Koal, office u a fwa liye la mea status lun ip lun Legislature nuke communication se ngacn in ku in respond pac. Oasr pac other comments lun members? Fin a lisr kut som nuke item 7, Introduction of Bills. Oasr members lungse introduce bills?

### **Introduction of Bills**

**L.B. No. 9-16-** **A BILL FOR AN ACT;** To repeal State Law No. 9-172; a state law that amended Section 18.601(3) of the Kosrae State Code by establishing a new public service compensation plan; and for other purposes.

Introduced by Senator Lipar L. George

Assigned to the Committee on J&GO

**L.B. No. 9-17-** **A BILL FOR AN ACT;** To amend State Law No. 8-171, Section 3, to reduce the amount appropriated to the Legislature for representation funds by \$14,000 and to appropriate the amount of \$14,000 to fund the operations of the four municipalities governments in the State of Kosrae; and for other purposes.

Introduced by Senator Lipar L. George

Assigned to the Committee on W&M

**L.B. No. 9-18-**      **A BILL FOR AN ACT;** To enact a new Title 11, Chapter 7 of the Kosrae State Code to provide for and regulate the partition of real property in the State of Kosrae, and for other purposes.

Introduced by Acting Speaker Albert T. Welly

Assigned to the Committee on R&D

**L.B. No. 9-19-**      **A BILL FOR AN ACT;** To amend Title 9, Section 9.202 of the Kosrae State Code regarding the sales tax imposed on certain items imported into and sold within the State; and for other purposes.

Introduced by Senator Ilai D. Abraham by request

Assigned to the Committee on W&M

**L.B. No. 9-20-**      **A BILL FOR AN ACT;** To amend title 9.201 of the Kosrae State Code regarding the sales tax imposed on certain items imported into and sold within the States; and for other purposes.

Introduced by Senator Ilai D. Abraham by request

Assigned to the Committee on W&M

**L.B. No. 9-21-**      Relating to repeal of Title 16, Chapter 2 of the Kosrae State Code and proposing coding for a new Title 16, Chapter 2 of the Kosrae State Code to create a new Probate Code for the State of Kosrae.

Introduced by Acting Speaker Albert T. Welly

Assigned to the Committee on J&GO

### **Introduction of Resolutions**

**L.R. No. 9-06-**      **A RESOLUTION;** On behalf of the State of Kosrae respectfully requesting the Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia to repeal or reconsider Public Law No. 14-90.

Introduced by Acting Speaker Albert T. Welly

Assigned to the Committee of the Whole

### **Report of Standing Committees**

SCR No. 9-01 – R&D – RE: L.B. No. 9-01 – RECOMMENDS PASSAGE

Acting Speaker Welly: Mr. Acting Floor Leader?

Acting Floor Leader Abraham: Kulo ma lulap Speaker, nga move SCR No. 9-01 in ku in adopted misenge?

Senator Benjamin: Second.

Acting Speaker Welly: Moved and seconded SCR No. 9-01 in ku in adopted. Discussion? Fin a wangin discussion, kusen siuk, kowos nukewa insese mu SCR No. 9-01 in adopted say aye, lain say nay, motion carried.

*SCR No. 9-01 adopted ke len misenge u, Tuesday, February 20, 2007.*

Acting Speaker Welly: Mr. Chief Clerk?

Chief Clerk Elley: Listr Mr. Acting Speaker.

Acting Speaker Welly: Fin a listr kut som nuke....ke wangin koanon item 10,11,12,14, kut som nuke 15, Consideration of Bills.

### **Report of Select Committee**

NONE

### **Report of Committee of the Whole**

NONE

### **Assignment of Measure**

*See Referral Sheet No. 9-03 as attached*

### **Unfinished Business**

NONE

### **Consideration of Bills**

A. FIRST READING:

L.B. No. 9-01 – FOR PASSAGE ON FIRST READING – R&D

Acting Speaker Welly: Acting Floor Leader Abraham?

Acting Floor Leader Abraham: Move L.B. No. 9-01 in ku in pass first reading misenge?

Acting Vice Speaker Phillip: Second.

Acting Speaker Welly: Moved and seconded L.B. No. 9-01 in ku in pass ke read se met. Discussion, kusen siuk lun members? Senator Siba?

Senator Siba: Speaker Welly, paing kom, ngan paing pac Presiding ku piang pac Honorable Members wi pac mwet se luo ma oasr pac nge. Met liki ngacn oru sramsram luk ke report u nga kaksakin pac oralla lun report.....oh okay, Speaker nga sramsram ke 02, tulala koluk ngac misla win inse nge.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo ma lulap Siba, oasr pac comment lun members nuke sramsram nuke pacl se nge? Kut oasr e ke L.B. No. 9-01, up for first reading. Nga akilen tu wangin further comment, ingena kut som. Kowos nukewa inese mu L.B. No. 9-01 in pass ke read se met say aye, lain say nay, kulo ma lulap.

*L.B. No. 9-01 passed ke first reading la misenge, Tuesday, February 20, 2007.*

Acting Speaker Welly: Kut som nuke item 15, ke wangin ngacn kut a som nuke item 16, miscellaneous business?

### **Consideration of Resolutions**

NONE

### **Miscellaneous Business**

Acting Speaker Welly: Acting Floor Leader Abraham?

Acting Floor Leader Abraham: Kulo ma lulap Mr. Speaker, Speaker sista koluk oasr Standing Committee Reports luo ye mutuk, fin wi lela lun members nga ke folok nuke Standing Committee Report, item no. 9 ngacn ku in insert reports luo nge, with that nga move?

Senator Saimon: Second.

Acting Speaker Welly: Moved and seconded, no objection kut a som nuke item 9, Report of Standing Committee.

### **Report of Standing Committee**

Acting Floor Leader Abraham: Kulo Speaker, ngac met liki win na nga move SCR No. 9-02 a SCR No. 9-03 in ku in inserted nuke calendar lasr misenge u, so move?

Acting Vice Speaker Phillip: Second.

Acting Speaker Welly: Moved and seconded SCR No. 9-02 a 03 in ku in inserted a place ke calendar misenge. Discussion ke placement lun Report luo ngacn? Som nuke 02 met? Senator Palsis?

Senator Palsis: Kulo Speaker, tuwo, ngacn paing kom wi members saya wi mwet ke gallery misenge u ku mwet ma akola in long ke session lasr u. Saap losr luk ke report u la ke paragraph ak-luo safla ngacn in ku in nunakmunas akkalemyeyuk kutu in detail kalmiyacn paragraph se ngacn nuke privacy lun mwet driver ngacn ku the right extends the vehicle, la mea kalmiyac?

Senator Benjamin: Speaker, point of clarification?

Acting Speaker Welly: Senator Benjamin?

Senator Benjamin: Ku kom declared ku....

Acting Speaker Welly: Ngac dispose pa nge motion san, kewana nuke ma nge, kut som place tufa nga yield floor back nusel Senator Palsis fin a wo. Fin kom incese mu placement lun SCR No. 9-02 a 03 in akul angacn nuke pacl se nge say aye,. lain say nay, motion carried. Palsis kom further, floor u srakna oasr sum?

Senator Palsis: Kulo Speaker, nga finsrak in ku in elaborate kutu sin paragraph se ngacn nusik ngacn kalem na paye kac?

Acting Speaker Welly: Chairman Saimon?

Senator Saimon: Speaker, kulo ma lulap, fin paye, met liki ngacn ku in paing kom, members nukewa a oayapa mwet ma oasr pac ke chamber ke pacl se nge. Fin paye a fwal ngacn topuk kusen siuk se lal Palsis ingena ke paragraph se ma el cited ngacn, nga mu el ip se ma el kusen siuk kac ngacn el akkalemye mukena la constitution el akilen mukena privacy lun mwet nukewa, el som pac neke stosa ngacn, akilenyuk pac privacy la u tu ke interest lun State el ku pa in regulate oiyac ma driver se ku mwet ma okwac vehicles ngacn e orekmakin ke yok na ke inkaneke lun public road. Nga mu pa ngacn ma nga ku in sang kasru, fin tia kalem nga mu members saya ngacn in ku in kasru, kulo.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo Senator Saimon ke kasru an, oasr pac members ku in kasrel Palsis? Senator Skilling?

Senator Skilling: Kulo Speaker, paing kom, mwet nukewa. Nga nikin la Palsis elac srackna enenu kasru tu nga kena point out la ma ma oan luin paragraph se ngacn ma tuku sin LC, opinion lal nuke sukanum lun committee nuke appropriateness lun bill se nge, pa na insertion se ngacn on ke paragraph se ngacn, kulo ma lulap.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo ma lulap Senator Skilling, Palsis srakna oasr sum floor? Senator Siba?

Senator Siba: Speaker, kulo ma lulap, paing kowos pac, nga welul Senator Palsis ke paing ma el oru a. Speaker, wangin citation ma luk nuke report u tu nga ke kusen siuk na nuke intention lun report u ku yok na intention lun sie lwemlwem ma report u tuku reflect inge. A met liki na ma nukewa nga ke applaud sel pac introducer ku author ke bill se ma report se nge el resulted kac nge. Ma se nga liye an Speaker, nga ke kusen siukin

la ke kut oralla kain in masap nge la kuta ku in monitori, kut a ku in regulatei kain in oiyac nge, oana ngacn liye mu pus pana masap kut oralla ku kain in misdemeanor acts ma orekla tari ke pusren masap kofla enforce iyuk. Kutu ma nga esam ngacn, orekla sie lwemlwem ke kutu pacl somla a liksreni el prohibiti, el fore bite noise in orekla ke kais soko stosa ma a tu nuisance nusin public su ma el oana sie ke emission noise ku musical noise. Kutu pac ma nga esam ngacn, orekla pa mu mwet u in tia pac muta ke an lung ke kapun stosa natulos ke sripen elos a penalize pac, la ma nge kut ukwe fasru ne misenge? La el liksreni....nga lulalfongi mu el liksreni kasru ip lun safety lasr u tu enforcement la u pa kusen siuk nusik u. Tuku pac ke lwemlwem se misenge nge su ma reported nge, la kut a ku in controli kain se ngacn in fwal nuke moul lun mwet lasr ke kao iyasr ku ke kut tia pana, Government tia pana facilitate masap lun inkanek an fwal nuke masap na paye lun inkanek an pa problem u. Oana ngacn liye mu arla wo lwemlwem u tusruktu kutan sulpac ngetnget liye nuke ip saya ngacn, pusla ma kut liye mu el tiana save nuke orekmakinyan inek lasr u. Fin pa nuke bicycle lun tulik srisrik natusr ngacn ku nga etu la inkul luk a pa pac sie an ma bicycle ngacn roprop kac, nga arla elya kac, tu nga elyac pac kac fin kais sie drivers ngacn el neglectedi pac masap srisrik nge ku lwemlwem srisrik nge, a oralla pac oiyac wo se tu la enforce iyuk fuka kain ngacn? Kusen siuk luk u nga mu yok tusruktu nga limit iyac nuke lwemlwem ma report u tuku srike u. Fin a ku in oasr comments sin committee nga ke long pac la mea oasr neke pacl se nge, kulo.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo ma lulap Senator Siba, Senator Saimon?

Senator Saimon: Kulo Speaker, nga mu oana ke saflayan fwak lal Siba a, la oasr comment lun committee nuke....ke nga long concern se lal ngacn nga liye mu tia ma nusin committee mukena in ku in topuk. Ke nga liye u measures nge tuku sin kais sie members nge, committee mukwikwi kac fwal nuke finsrak lun kais sie measures nge. Na ke nga long concern la Siba ingena nge nga liye tu ma nuke ip enforcement. Nga mu tia pacl sefana raised concern se lal nge, tu nuke bill se nge nga mu el tuku ange wi finsrak sefana pa in ku in kasru karingin drivers nge in tia sulpac utuk stosa tulik se muta fin yepac ku ke niac ku in tia muta ke window an ke pacl stosa ngacn kasrusr an, pa na ngacn finsrak lun bill se ngacn. Oapana kutu oana ke nga fwak u oapana kutu bills nukewa saya ma masap lac pac, finsrak u pa in ku in ke liyeyuk mu elyac se pa ngacn u in ku in oasr masap ma orekla in karingin na ip lasr kac u finsrak mu in ku in falla angacn. Tu nuke ip lun karingin enforcei masap kain angacn u, nga mu kut a sie pana story nusik. Tu nga mu in kalem pana la enenu se pa ngacn, masap nge fin a orekla in ku in oasr sripa, in ku in enforce iyuk in mu finsrak, liye ku concern lun ku intent lun bill u nge in tia sikyak ke sie pacl ma kut liye mu elyac nge, kulo ma lulap.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo ma lulap Senator Saimon, Senator Skilling kasru?

Senator Skilling: Kulo ma lulap Speaker, nga fin ku in add nuke sramsram tari ac, nga liksreni na welul Siba ke liye lal u, paye nga mu pus na masap ku lwemlwem ma orekla oasr, enforcement pa kut fail kac u. Na oru nga finsrak in oasr fine ma office an a ku in take action nukac la a ku in sulpac point out kain in failure nge nusin an ma enenu in carry out responsibilities nge in ku in orek. Nga kena welul Siba in akkalemye la fine kut liye mu masap nge a orekla kofla enforce iyuk ke kutu pacl u, nga mu bottom line pa

enenu in oasr masap nge meyen consequences ma kut akilen nge pa masap nge orekla nukac u. Oru nga wi finsrakin mu in oasr sokla ku inquiry ma orek nuke an ma carry out enforcement nge, fine in oasr pac masap ma in karingin none action ke enforcement nga ke pac in oasr sokla nukac, kulo ma lulap.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo Senator Skilling, kut srakna oasr e ke report nuke concern se ma mutawaak sel Senator Palsis, oru kut a akola in ku in dispose report u kut tufa som. Fin a wangin further kusen siuk nuke report an kut som, Acting Floor Leader Abraham?

Acting Floor Leader Abraham: Speaker, fin paye nga ke move report se nge in ku in adopted ke pacl se nge?

Acting Vice Speaker Phillip: Second.

Acting Speaker Welly: Moved and seconded SCR No. 9-02 in ku in adopted. Fin a liss discussion lowos kac an, kowos nukewa in sese mu SCR No. 9-02 in adopted say aye, lain say nay, motion carried.

*SCR No. 9-02 adopted ke len misenge u, Tuesday, February 20, 2007.*

Acting Speaker Welly: Floor u srakna oasr sum Acting Floor Leader Abraham?

Acting Floor Leader Abraham: Speaker, further move SCR No. 9-03 in ku pac in adopted ke pacl se nge?

Senator Saimon: Saimon: Second.

Acting Speaker Welly: Moved and seconded SCR No. 9-03 in ku in adopted. Discussion, comments? Fin a wangin kut akola in ku in dispose, kom fin in sese nuke SCR No. 9-03 in ku in adopted say aye, lain say nay, motion carried.

*SCR No. 9-03 oayapa adopted misenge, Tuesday, February 20, 2007.*

Acting Speaker Welly: Acting Floor Leader Abraham?

Acting Floor Leader Abraham: Kulo ma lulap, Speaker, luksei pacl u ke kut srakna oasr ke report u, nga ke move fin oh sin members kutan ku in putati nuke item no. 11, Report lun COW. Nga liye oasr report se pac touyak ingena nu yorosr, oru ngac move COW Report No. 9-02 in ku in adopted pac misenge?

### **Report of Committee of the Whole**

Acting Speaker Welly: Moved and seconded COW Report No. 9-02 in adopted....in place. Discussion? Fin in sese say aye, lain say nay, motion carried.

*COW Report No. 9-02 placed nuke calendar misenge u, Tuesday, February 20, 2007.*

Acting Speaker Welly: Ingena kut srakna oasr ke COW Report No. 9-02. Further discussion lun members? Acting Floor Leader Abraham?

Acting Floor Leader Abraham: Information? Ku mea kalem lom ke pacl se nge, kut insert, kut akola in adopt report u ke pacl se nge?

Acting Speaker Welly: Aok, Acting Floor Leader, kut akola kutan dispose.

Acting Floor Leader Abraham: Fin a pa ngacn understanding la u nga ngisre kutan adopt report se ngacn?

Acting Vice Speaker Phillip: Second motion say Speaker?

Acting Speaker Welly: Moved and seconded kutan adopt COW Report No. 9-02. Senator Palsis?

Senator Palsis: Met liki kut a vote lac an, nunakmunas nge ke....ku in clarify win kutu srik ke report u fin ku? Nga lulalfongi mu ke public hearing sac nga wi, oana ngacn kalem ke ma etal fwak mu money ke Compact Projects nge efin exhausted e som nuke General Fund na orekmakiyac an ku orekmakinyuk nuke ma nukewa etal lungse, kalmiyac a wanginla money ke projects ngan, a tia ku in continue na. Sripa an pa in orekla in ku in sang off-set ma kut akilen misenge. Na elyac luk kac an ke report an fwak ange u ke oan ke report u, e oru projects lasr nge fin a continue in sulpac orek, e kofla orekla pac, meyen fwak ke report u mu etal prioritize iyac ma a som nukac. Nga ke committee in nunakmunas.....meyen nga wi elyac ke...nga elyac ke projects nge yok, nga tia elyac ke ma ma etal a fwa oru tok liki ma nge, oru nga ke in kalem.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo ma lulap Palsis, nga akola ngacn ngisre committee in kasru, Chairman Skilling?

Senator Skilling: Kulo Speaker, ngacn srike na la ngac ku in kasrel Palsis. Ke nga wi hearing a oana in ma nga is ac pa etal ne fwak mu ma nge som ke general fund ac enenu in sulpac re-appropriated pa saflaiyan sramsram laltal a, understanding a pa enenu money ngacn in sulpac re-appropriated fine som in cover deficit sac. Oru nga mu concern se lal Palsis nge ku in nude ke pacl se nge. Nuke projects ma intended money nge nukac a, ma ma yolyak pa nge, safla tari projects a, close out na money nge yolyak na oru enenu in folokla nuke general fund orekmakinyuk nuke sripa ma state so decide in orekmakin. Pa nge ma nga is ke hearing a, afin stuela ngac enenu pac correction sin oana sie member, kulo ma lulap.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo Senator Skilling, oasr pac kasru lun other members? Acting Floor Leader Abraham?

Acting Floor Leader Abraham: Speaker, ngac tia kasru siuk se ingena a, sista koluk, fin Palsis el satisfy ke top a, nga oasr ke siena side ingena. Ngac yield win nusel Palsis met?

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo ma lulap Acting Floor Leader Abraham. Senator Palsis fwa Siba?

Senator Palsis: Kulo Speaker, ke page 2 ke report an ke paragraph se emet ngacn ke sramsram se lal Skilling ngacn, la pa nge kalmiyac. Oana in intention lun bill u pana fwak ke ma se ngan, in sang off-set iyac deficit se ma kalem ingena nge, a fwak tok mu in prioritize iyac kutu ma ma enenu in orekma kac, kutan reappropriate. Pa nga fosak kac u.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo Senator Palsis, Senator Siba kom sruk poum piang sac?

Senator Siba: Kulo ma lulap Speaker, nga liye pac concern lal Palsis u, pa nga orekin fwak comment se luk saap a kuna in kasru ma. Fin pa ngacn concern lal an oana ngacn long ke hearing a mu projects ngacn el tui, lapse date an pa elyac u, nga suk communication se ma tuku yurin National Government ngacn liye, pa pac ngacn sie ma statoi kutan oru lwemlwem se ngacn. Tusruk oana ngacn liye mu saap fwak lal Palsis u a koflana in sulpac folokla nuke kain in projects ngacn. Saap etal priority mu fin a orekla lapse date se ngacn balance se ma realized mu etal project mu 1.2 ngacn enenu in ku in tuku srike in afunla kutu short fall ke operation lun Government u. Tu ke el kusen siukin project u oana ngacn liye mu a kofla sulpac folok nuke projects ma orek ne safla a lapse date pa sona orekla u, kulo ma lulap.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo Senator Siba, ngac akilanul Acting Vice Speaker Phillip?

Acting Vice Speaker Phillip: Speaker, kulo ma lulap. Wangin ma a liksreni ekla liki top lal Senator Skilling a oayapa Senator Siba nusel Senator Palsis u. Ngan wi na fwak la ma se nge, attempt se nge el tuku ke prompting lun Delloitte & Touche, auditor lun state government. Srike u pa in ku in panang in funds nukewa ma oasr yolyak tukun projects nge kewa el closed in ku in reverted ku in tuku nuke General Fund. Ke oiyac met a ke sripen funds nge el tuku ke Compact Capital a kowos etu la fund se ngacn el wanginla misenge, fin oasr ma e properly close misenge wangin fund se an se ngacn a properly som nukac. Na oru enenu in ku in naweyukla in mu ku in tuku nuke General Fund. Nga add na nuke top ma kalem itukyung nusel Senator Skilling a Senator Siba, finsrak in kasru.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo ma lulap Acting Vice Speaker Phillip. Senator Benjamin?

Seanator Benjamin: Kulo ma lulap, ngacn wi pac paing kom ku membership wi mwet ma oasr in chamber u olitu. Ma nga konaak ke hearing ku liye luk ke lwemlwem se nge pa intent lun bill se nge el srike elan free up money se ma el restricted. Kut etu la CIP u el orekla nuke CIP Project. Fine ma nge e nana som nuke General Fund, la el pangpang CIP Fund ku General Fund, elac nana folokla nuke General Fund, tu ma se ma yok sripac ke bill se nge pa in free up restricted fund se nge nuke unrestricted in mu panang in ku in orekmakinyuk nuke elya ma kut face misenge ke ma ma kut fototola kac.

Nga mu pa nge ma yok sripa u, ma nge e nana som, folokla, tu ma se ma yok u pa in free up in mu orekmakinyuk in sang kasru elyac se ma kut nukewa etu misenge, kulo Speaker.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo Senator Benjamin, Senator Saimon?

Senator Saimon: Kulo ma lulap Speaker, ke report u nga sign with reservation ke sripen nga mu kutu concern luk ku nukanla luk nge pa pana members raise ke pacl se nge. Tu kusen siuk luk ku nukanla luk nuke report se nge, nga kusen siuk nuke paragraph se emet an verses ma fwak ke paragraph ak-luo an ngacn. Na ke kut filiyac mu primary intention lun bill se ngacn pa ngacn, in ku in off-set deficit se ngacn, na kut fwak pac ten ke paragraph se ten nge la elac, ma kut aetuila kac ingena u pa money ngacn fin folok elac re-appropriated e yorosr. Nga mu in pusra se nge kasrela kutu elyac luk ngacn, tusrukto ac enenu paragraph se e lung ngacn in oasr? Pa oralla elyac se luk ngacn la fin kut a kalmiyac pa yuruk kuna in ngacn liye mu pacl ma appropriation ngacn orekla kut a ngetnget liye, fin ma a tu sang tunggal fwak se ngacn, enenu kutan appropriate. Pana nge kusren siuk se luk ingena nge, nukanla se luk ingena ke....la fin siuk luk u pa la paragraph se nge arla enenu in oan kac ke report sac? Kulo.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo Senator Saimon, Acting Vice Speaker Phillip, kasru siuk lal Saimon u?

Acting Vice Speaker Phillip: Aok Speaker, nga finsrak ngacn ku in kasru. Nga mu kusen siuk se lal nge tuku reflecti pana ku top nukac u el reflecti pac sie issue ma walil se nge wi ku Legislature Branch muta akukuin yurin Executive pacl nukewa u. Fwak u pa take lun Legislature ke pusren FMA ku Management Act lasr u pa any fund ma mokleyukla ke State Treasury, enenu in by way of a Legislative appropriation. A kowos etu pana la ke accounting approaches lalos nge elos liye mu elos simply move funds from one place to another. Tu nga mu issue se nge el kalem lac tukun Public Hearing lasr a la kut a insisted mu in pa nge ma kut fwasr kac u, la ela som in orekmakinyuk in off-set iyac deficit ma kut sramsramkin nge ku ela som in sano new appropriation, ma ngacn enenu in tupan orekma lun Legislature. Nga mu ip se ngacn kalem, finsrak u mu kalem se ngacn in ku in pa akfasryeyuk ke tukun ma nge ku in fwela u, kulo.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo Acting Vice Speaker, Saimon?

Senator Saimon: Kulo ma lulap Speaker, nga mu nga long nga mu kalem fin kut is sramsram se ingena a, nga finsrak mu in pa ngacn, saap pana oru nga raise. Nga elyackin mukena in ange oru kut tu....tu bind ikuti kut in liye e ke pacl se ma kut oru actions lasr nuke bills ma a tuku nge, kulo ma lulap.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo ma lulap Saimon, Senator Skilling?

Senator Skilling: Kulo Speaker, ngac kena point out la ke sripen report se pa nge u understanding a nga mu kut nukewa kalem kac, a fwa reflected e ke bill a ke pacl se ma kut ngisre in tari tuku nuke re-appropriation.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo Senator Skilling, kut akola kutan ku in dispose, kom fin in sese mu COW Report No. 9-02 in adopted say aye, lain say nay, motion carried.

*COW Report No. 9-02 adopted pac misenge, Tuesday, February 20, 2007.*

Acting Speaker Welly: Acing Floor Leader Abraham?

Acting Floor Leader Abraham: Kulo Speaker, paye kut putati oasr ke bill calendar ingena? Nga move kut in oasr ke bill calendar ingena in oralla action lun Legislature ke report ekasr ma tari ingena a?

Acting Vice Speaker Phillip: Second.

Acting Speaker Welly: Moved and seconded, kut a som nuke bill calendar ingena pa nge, item 14, Mr. Chief Clerk? Acting Floor Leader Abraham?

### **Consideration of Bills**

Acting Floor Leader Abraham: Speaker, fin paye kut oasr ke Bill Calendar ingena, ngac akola ngacn move....met liki win na in place L.B. No. 9-03, 9-06, 9-10 ke calendar lasr misenge u, nga moved?

Senator Palsis: Speaker, point of information? La bill ngacn ma ke report ekasr ma kut adopt a? Nga etu ma ngacn a automatic oan loa tari, kut tia enenu kutan place.

Acting Speaker Welly: Koal, Acting Floor Leader, pa ngacn ma ngacn el automatic kewana bill tolu ngacn.

Acting Floor Leader Abraham: Kulo ma lulap, fin el automatic nuke bill calendar, bill se met an nga ke move L.B. No. 9-03 in ku in pass first reading?

Acting Vice Speaker Phillip: Second.

Acting Speaker Welly: Moved and seconded L.B. No. 9-03 in pass ke first reading la. Discussion? Senator Palsis?

Senator Palsis: Speaker, kulo ma lulap. Saap, sista koluk ke fwak luk u tu lain luk ke bill u ke sripen oana nga fwak piang a, nga elya mu pacl nukewa kut orekmakin money ke capital project nge money nge enenu in oan na account la nukac. Na intention lun bill se nge oralla in tu wanginla, in som nuke sripan ma in sang akwoye operation lasr u, nga etu la projects nge eneneyuk na paye ingena ke orekma u. Kut fin sramsram ke paving, sramsram ke RS4,5 ma, ma ngacn srakna enenu in fwasr fin a oasr money. Na nga nikin la a tu wo sin an US ma la etal fin use money nge na kut tu use nuke operation lasr u pac, nga nikin la paye a ku in falla angacn, fin committee ku in kasreyu, meyen money ngacn tia ma lasr a kut tuku use kutan tu orekmakin luwac ngacn, balance ngacn nuke ma kut lungse in sang off-set iyac deficit ku misa lasr nge. Pa na nga elya ke bill u

kac u mu saap ngac tia supporti, nga finsrak money u in som na ke ma ma tuku nukac an, earmark tuku nuke ma se nge tuku te kut ekula ke money lun mwet saya ku government saya, kulo ma lulap.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo ma lulap Palsis, Senator Siba?

Seantor Siba: Kulo ma lulap Senator Siba, kulo ke pacl u. Ke kut oasr pac ke bill u nga long pusral Palsis nga ke convince ilyac elan supporti bill u, ke sripen CIP Projects ngacn, kut nofona etu la CIP Projects ngacn el tuku ke Comapct I, ingena ke kut oasr ke Amended Comapct nge nofona CIP Projects ngacn el saap el close with a balance. Na saap concern lal Palsis u arla wo, fin money ngacn tuku, fin a earmark paye wo in aksafyeyukla na projects ngacn, tusruk ma se ma enenu in kalem an, proects CIP nge el wanginla misenge, el tuku funded misenge ke amended Comapct ye Sector ku ye IDP listing lun State Government lasr u, saap projects ngacn pa pana pick-up ke IDP listing lasr u. Tu elya lun State misenge u oru panang saap National Government elos liye pac, nga fwak piang a la oasr pac message se tuku yorol President, in ku in oralla, States in ku in oralla lapse date, kais sie lwemlwem in approve iyuki in oralla kais sie lwemlwem ngacn fin oasr balance se ma realize in kais sie State ngacn in ku in kasrelos nuke ma ma elos prioritize iyac an, kulo ma lulap Speaker.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo ma lulap Senator Siba, Acting Vice Speaker Phillip?

Acting Vice Speaker Phillip: Speaker, kulo ma lulap. Ngan kasru pana akkonye fwak ingena a la wanginla controls ma oan fin Compact I funds, nofona strings ngacn el lifted, money ngacn enenu in available nusin an ma State Governments ma a enenu in som nu yoro an, tusruktu oana fwak lun communications ma kutu sesr cited ngacn, tia ku in akfasryeyukla ma nge sin National Government nekena State el oralla approach se nge, el extend lapse date, kulo.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo ma Acting Vice Speaker Phillip, Senator Skilling?

Senator Skilling: Speaker, nga mu yok sripa pac kutan kalem kac la without this lapse date money se nge e oan na mutul ne mutulac na, wangin a tia ku in sulpa orekmakinyuk.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo Senator Skilling, Floor Leader Abraham?

Acting Floor Leader Abraham: Speaker, nga akkalemye nunak luk ke bill u, kowos kalem ke report a la nga sign the report with reservation. Sripa luk ke with reservation u pa nga kofla liksreni digest statement ma orekla ke public hearing ke bill se nge a. Ke figure ma kut kalem kac nge final report ma sang support bill se nge el tuku ke 2.2 balance, len se ma hearing a el tuku ke 1.2 million dollars balance. Ma nge pa oru oana ngacn liye mu oasr na observation luk ke oiyacn treatment lun fund ma oasr yorosr misenge u. Oana ngacn liye mu enenu pac in detail iyuki, piyac project lula nge ma oasr balance kac nge ngacn etu met liki, a report se ma sang support finsrak lun bill u el tuku arlana kao, nga kao kin ke liyeyac u. Oru pa oru nga sign report with reservation, oasr na ma nga ke enenu na paye kac. Kutu problem lasr misenge u pa nga nunku mu fin paye

oasr balance se ma oasr ke 1.2, a apkuran na in pave out problem se ma face out nuke next two quarters ke fiscal year u. Oana pac sramsram lun witness ke len sac a akkalemye la a ku pa in srik liki ngacn, na sensen ke sramsram ke orek ke report u tuna ma etal a ku in sifana muta ngo prioritize iyac spending lun balance se ma e oasr kalem u. Wangin lain luk nuke bill u tu sramsram ma orek sang atoll bill u pa nga sensenkin nge. Nga ke in oasr na paye figure se ma kalem mu pa ngacn possible figure se ma kut ngetngetkin a wangin plan lalos nuke figure se ma e oasr nge. Pa nge liye luk ke pacl se nge ke bill u, lainyan bill u nga tia lain tusruktu transaction ma a fwa orek ke balance se ma a oasr u wi balance na paye se ma e kalem u pa nga ke liye mu in oasr met liki kut take action ange u, kulo Speaker.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo ma lulap Acting Floor Leader Abraham. Ingena Chair elac akilen any motion ma in ku in table in ku in further inquiry, fin a wangin na kut a som as entertain. Kut a akola kutan oru decision lasr ke....Acting Vice Speaker Phillip?

Acting Vice Speaker Phillip: Speaker, nunakmunas ngacn fwakla on record ke sripen oasr fwakya, oana in oasr nukanla la piyac actual balance se kut sramsramkin nge, members in sulpac make reference nuke Governor's Message 9-02. Balance se of 2.4 ku 2.2 something ma kut sramsramkin nge el meyen spreadsheet se ngacn el run na neke 2003, up to 2003 projects, a communication se ngacn el tuku naak neke 05. Tuku 05 supposeitly, pa nge reality u, nofonna projects ma tuku under Comapct I a el covered ke sheet se ma tuku ke 9-02 nge, pa 1.2 balance se nge, kulo.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo, Acting Floor Leader Abraham?

Acting Floor Leader Abraham: Kulo, ke sripen statement se ingena a, take it into account mu kut liksreni na kalem kac ingena la pa nge sie source of funding ma available kutan orekmakin ke problem lasr misenge u.

Acting Speaker Welly: Senator Benjamin kasru?

Senator Benjamin: Aok, ke kalem luk ke mwe sramsram se nge u, lupa kut sramsram kac nge el wangin, el wangin cash kac, el tia money ma kut ku in sang kasre kut ke problem lasr ingena ke shortage lasr ke budget u, tu el sang, el ku in sang kasru deficit lasr u meyen paper money pa nge, el som na correct iyac document ma orekla tari ke konaak lun audit. Pa na nge sripa sefana, in orekmakinyuk nuke shortage lasr ingena a tia ku, meyen tia munin money pa kut sramsram kac nge, its only...a som oralla na correction ku correct iyac findings ma orekla tari sin audit u in mu aksrikyela lupa lulap kalem ke deficit. Pa nge ma nga kalem kac u, kulo.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo Senator Benjamin, floor u srakna oasr sum Acting Floor Leader Abraham?

Acting Floor Leader Abraham: Kulo ma lulap, na fin angacn afin a pa ngacn understanding u liksreni na akfosyeyuyak pac. Meyen fin oasr balance se kut srike kutan divert nuke General Fund, etal tia ku in orekmakin ke lungse laltal unless by

appropriation, through an appropriation. Other problem ma sikyak ingena u pa etal fin oralla deficit se sang money nge sang akfalye, oana ngan liye mu el it's an illegal move to transact money lun government oana ngacn, kena lungse laltal etal srakla inse nge sang run deficit se ma orekla sin state, oru nga sulpana liksreni fosak.

Acting Speaker Welly: Fin wangin objection ngac...Chair a akilen short recess.

*Session recessed ke ao 10:55 am a reconvened ke ao 11:19 am*

Acting Speaker Welly: Kut sifil folok nuke session, kut srakna oasr e ke bill calendar, L.B. No. 9-03 nuke first reading la, oasr pac further discussion? Acting Floor Leader Abraham?

Acting Floor Leader Abraham: Speaker, kulo. Move nuke previous question nuke L.B. No. 9-03?

Acting Vice Speaker Phillip: Second.

Acting Speaker Welly: Moved and seconded previous question nuke L.B. No. 9-03. Fin insese say aye, lain say nay. Kom fin insese mu L.B. No. 9-03 in ku in pass ke read se met say aye, lain say nay, motion carried.

*L.B. No. 9-03 passed ke first reading la misenge, Tuesday, February 20, 2007.*

Acting Speaker Welly: Floor Leader Abraham?

Acting Floor Leader Abraham: Speaker, move pac L.B. No. 9-06 in ku pac in pass first reading misenge?

Senator Saimon: Second.

Acting Speaker Welly: Moved and seconded L.B. No. 9-06 in pass ke read se met. Discussion? Fin a wangin, kom fin insese mu.....Senator Timothy?

Senator Timothy: Speaker, sista koluk oasr discussion luk ke bill se nge. Nga liye mu bill se ngacn a tiana cover na paye full intention lun bill se ngacn ke fwak na mu "driving with a child on the driver's lap and or standing or sitting at the driver's window". An se ngacn pa nga ke kusen siuk kac u la efu ku in driver's window an mukena, efu ku tia windows nge kewa ke veichle soko an? La nga ku in siuk sin auhor an la a ku in offer sie amendment an in ekula "or standing or sitting at any window" while the veichle is running. Kusen siuk luk pa, pa ngacn na paye intention lun bill se ngacn nusel auhor la el lungse in restrict ku tulokinya na tu lun san ke driver's window? Sik safety pa luin veichle soko an an nukewa a nga liye pac la kutu tulik nge unattended ke back seat, elos tuna ke window. Na panang nga siuk la nga ku in offer in amended topic san?

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo Senator Timothy, Saimon kasru?

Senator Saimon: Kulo ma lulap Speaker, nga mu tia koluk, nga mu wo liye pac ma raised ngacn ingena ngacn tu aok, oana ke bill u ma na oan in bill u ingena ngacn sripa se el tu filiyac na mu drivers window ngacn pa meyen sensen ma mwet se ngacn ela us tulik se ngacn, meyen el fin tia muta fin yepacl elac tu yorol tu ke window se ngacn. Saap pa na ngacn sripa se ma....tu nga mu kain naweyuk angacn u kowos fin liye mu a wo, nga akkalemye mukena la pa ngacn sripa se ma oru oan angacn ke bill u, kulo ma lulap.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo ma lulap Senator Saimon, Acting Vice Speaker Phillip?

Acting Vice Speaker Phillip: Saap in kasru siuk lal Senator Timothy u, nga ke wi pac ngisre author elan ku in respond nukac la mea na paye focus se lun attempt se lal nge? Yuruk nga palye mu meyen driver se ngacn pa operate veichle se ngacn, tulik se ngan in tia distract liki concentration lal nuke driver lal an pa el srike elan addressi u. Elac fin a ku in top nukac ange?

Acting Speaker Welly: Chair elac akilanul Senator Skilling?

Senator Skilling: Kulo Speaker, nga kalem ke sramsram u a kusen siuk ma oasr ke pacl se nge u, tu ngacn in top in fototo intend lun bill u oana ke Phillip el cite an ma ke ma a tu distract driver se ngacn immediately pa intend lun bill u. Nga mu ma saya ngacn a wangin pac elayc in oasr pac ke lwemlwem tu intend lun bill u el specifically focus nuke immediate nuke problem se ma a tu tuku nusin driver se ngacn, pa oru driver side mukena pa bill u cite nge, kulo ma lulap Speaker, nga finsrak in kasru.

Acting Speaker Welly: Senator Timothy, srakna pa ngacn kasru, kom fin a satisfy kut akola kutan dispose motion, Acting Floor Leader Abraham?

Acting Floor Leader Abraham: Speaker, oana ngacn liye oana Senator Timothy el sramsram kac u. Sramsram ke liye luk na paye ke ma ma oasr fin an u misenge u. Saap kut sramsramkin stosa soko ma tulik san muta kac an, ke liye lasr misenge u tulik nge muta met ku muta tok, ke kom bypass soko veichle u etal srike pac etal in touch. Na la fin kut orek masap kut a oru na nuke stosa soko ma kasrusr ngacn sayan mea a cause nusin other veichle ma a coming through the way? Saap nga mu pa finsrak lal Senator Timothy u, nga tia etu paye tusruktu oana ngacn liye paye enenu na paye in oasr karinginyac kewa vehicle lukwa ma pass each other ngacn, oasr na pacl ma tulik nge attempt in sroyak liki window nge touch incoming veichle soko.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo Acting Floor Leader, nga srakna isusla floor u nuke...nga akilen pac mu Senator Timothy el satisfy pac ke akkuteya lun introducer nuke interest lal as an introducer ke bill u, Senator Benjamin?

Senator Benjamin: Kulo ma lulap, nga nunku mu pukanten oiya ma ku in oralla ma kut sensenkin u, nuke bill u el som na nuke operator se u nga mu a wo ma saya tuku ke different view nge in tuku ke different proposal liki na in tuku nuke ma se nge tu akfosye, kulo.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo Senator Benjamin, ingena nga akilen la Senator Timothy el satisfy ke kasru ma tuku akkuteyuk sel introducer. Kut akola kutan dispose motion in pass L.B. No. 9-06 in falla ke read se met. Kom fin insese say aye, lain say nay, motion carried.

*L.B. No. 9-06 oayapa passed first reading la misenge, Tuesday, February 20, 2007.*

Acting Floor Leader Abraham: Speaker, oayapa move ke pacl se nge L.B. No. 9-10 in ku in pass first reading?

Acting Vice Speaker Phillip: Second.

Acting Speaker Welly: Moved and seconded L.B. No. 9-10 in pass ke read se met. Discussion? Fin a wangin comment, discussion lun members kut akola kutan....Senator Siba?

Senator Siba: Speaker, tulala koluk, ngacn fwak na in record la ke ma nga long ke hearing a bill se nge el tuku ke sripen kut a mu mea, tu orekla kain oiyac se nge nuke srital se ma molin tulik srital ma fwasr ingena a, na nga mu kut nukewa eis tari ma ma elos fwak sang excusei ma sac a tu bill se nge tuku in karingin kain oiyac ngacn. Nga kulo ma lulap nusel author ke el tuku ke kain oiyac se nge, nga finsrak in misenge falla ke oasr lwemlwem se nge in tia sulpa akluo iyuk kain se ngacn, kulo ma lulap.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo Senator Siba, Acting Floor Leader Abraham?

Acting Floor Leader Abraham: Kulo ma lulap, ngacn oralla pusra se luk ke bill se nge met liki el pass first, final reading la u. Nga lut la ku in sikyak ange misenge, ke Constitution lasr u arla liksreni akkalemye la wangin money ku in tifoki ke pocket lun an Kosrae nekena by law, by act of the Legislature. La kut sulalalfongi ma oasr ke masap misenge u? Oru nga concern mukena ke ip se nge meyen oasr karinginyac misenge, wangin masap tusruktu saap enforcement la an pa panang eneneyuk in arla liksreni kalem u, paye na paye la munas na paye enforcement lun masap lasr u. Nga liye pac ke report ma sikyak yoroltal nge, etal admit la wangin enforcement. Pa na nge ma nga ke fwak ke sripen ke bill u met liki el pass action lun Legislature, kulo.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo ma lulap Acting Floor Leader Abraham. Fin lisr comment kut som dispose motion L.B. No. 9-10 in ku in pass ke read se met. Kowos nukewa insese say aye, lain say nay, motion carried.

*L.B. No. 9-10 oayapa passed ke first reading la misenge, Tuesday, February 20, 2007*

### **Miscellaneous Business**

Acting Speaker Welly: Kut putati oasr ke item 16, miscellaneous business. Senator Benjamin, akilen kutu mwet tok oh ngo fin a oasr pac mwet lasr? Senator Benjamin floor u oasr sum?

Senator Benjamin: (inaudible)....wi kawuk se lasr kewa ma sonna absent, a fwak na elan aol an Lelu ke sie pacl nge nuke Sroasr Masap, elu Kiupu Palik. Kulo ma lula Kiupu ke oasr lom misenge u, kut in sang sie pas an lal, nunuakmunas? (paspas).

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo ma lulap Senator Benjamin, Senator Palsis?

Senator Palsis: Speaker, kas fototo ke oan ke communication se ma tuku tu...nga mu arla...oasr suwos lun mwet in oralla resignation lal ke orekma lal tu nga ngetla liye lusan pacl ma kut traini nuke kais sie orekma ne saflaiya na arla yokelik Kosrae, saflaiya tui liki orekma u sroang nuke orekma saya. Ingena nga lulalfongi mu oasr pac mwet se a sukok kutan sulpa akkeyela. Nga sramsram ke Principal Justice lasr ingena nge, oru tia position se ngacn mukena tu oasr position Kosrae ma nga etu mu pa nga nge oreya, training u yokla, money u state tola yokla, saflaiya mwet ngacn sro nuke orekma elos lungse, nga etu la suwos an ma laltal tu nga arla nunku yok ke kut oru ange u, kulo, sramsram fototo na.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo ma lulap Senator Palsis, nga lulalfongi la fwak lom an a paye, an nukewa a sulala lun mwet an pa ngacn tu kulo kac. Kulo ma lulap. Acting Vice Speaker Phillip?

Acting Vice Speaker Phillip: Speaker, kulo ma lulap, nga ke fwak enenu se ku ngusr se, finsrak mu committee ma a jurisdiction la u pa oan fwa u pa enenu in kasru karingin pac. Ke session misenge u kut consider sie bill ma tuku funded ke Foreign Assistance Funds, Forestry appropriation sac. Nga etu mu a enenu in oasr local match nuka a nga etu pac mu el oasr pac tari orekla met, tusruktu fwak luk u pa masap karinginyan state movement of funds el oralla pac in ku in oasr requirement se an nukewa ma suk in ku in oasr kasru ke foreign assistance sources in ku in secure iyac met approval lun Legislature. Fin wangin approval se ngacn, mark se lun Legislature ke package se ngacn na enenu in tia release iyuki alukela an Kosrae. Nga fwak ange ke sripen situation lasr misenge u el ma pac osweyukla kutu sin elya ma oasr nge ma ke akin activities nge, oana in srikla monitoring lun an ma fwal in monitor a control an wi kut yang sifana in ku in review and approve met tufa Department se ku Agency se ma suk kain assistance nge el forward iyac package se lal. Saap ip se ma nga ke ngisre nge pa fin a ku committee ma mukwikwi la karingin u in ku in sokla kain sources nukewa ma wana oasr kasru la nuke projects ku proposals ma muta som enenu maching portion se ngacn in ku in at least oasr indication lasr nusin donors nge ku sources nge la oasr internal lost lasr ma enenu elos in ku in liye, fin elos liye mu wangin Legislative approval se ku indication se nukac elos in ku etu la pa nge internal controls lasr u, la a ku in jeobertise pac funds ma elos a supama yorolos ngacn. Nga finsrak mu in ku in oasr yurin committee in ku in sokla, nga etu la a upac, almost impossible tu at least control se nuke kutu sin ma ma complicate iyac finances lasr u, kulo Speaker.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo ma lulap Acting Vice Speaker, nga lulalfongi mu a pa ngacn sie ma yok enenu kutan loang nukac, oru nga lulalfongi mu kutu sin kain in fine NGO's ma kut enenu kutan ku in oasr pac matching ma. Oru kut a ngisre fin a ku W&M in kasre kut ke saap sokeni nofonna kain project ma kut enenu in require ikut pacl fasru u ku fine pacl se nge in mu kasru pac members, kulo. Floor Leader?

Acting Floor Leader Abraham: Sisa koluk Speaker, nga etu la kaingla pacl u tusruktu ngacn ngisre minute luo yana recess?

Acting Speaker Welly: Fin a wangin objection kut a recess.

*Session recess ke ao 11:35 am a reconvened ke ao 11:42 am*

Acting Speaker Welly: Kut folok nuke session, kut srakna oasr ke item 16, miscellaneous business. Srakna pacl u ma lowos tufa nga aksafye. Koal, ngac sramteak tufa fin oasr ma mwet se met se in fwa akola. President lun Development Bank lun Nation u wi staff lal, arla news na wowo pac, wo in kutan sulpa wo la mutun term pa nge, oru nga lulalfongi mu elos sifana ngisre Chairman lowos an in ku in kasru next meeting lun committte lun R&D ku W&M etal a fwa sifana share pac akyokye ma se luo ma mwena kom in etu, fweyana project, kut sramsram ke project, arla fine project sie luo ma yok ma enenu kutan etu pac. Oru nga mu pa nge ma nga ke sulkakin ke pacl se nge tukun toeni se litua. Political Debate, uh se ma oru kain nge etal ngisre iwac se nge nuke ao 06:00 oyeku, nga finsrak mu in mwesas suwos etal in ku in akmesasye. Ma safla se ngacn, Executive ngisre member se luo ma mesas, elos akola in som welcomei pac VIP ma a tuku piang u ngacn, oru nga eis ma nge sin lefal Leah ngi kutan oralla pac ngusr mulala nusin mwet se mwet se la kutu mwet ekin Dignitaries ngacn a tuku ke flight misenge u, kutu tuku tari. Sayan ma ngacn kutena members ma sonna liksreni sruokya mea kunasr nuke Thursday, Friday, nunakmunas akkalemye, pangon kut, staff in kasru mea ip kunom nuke len ma kut wi pac akoo. Koal, oasr ma sin oana sie member? Senator Timothy?

Senator Timothy: Nga kena akkalemye nusum Speaker, colleagues luo nutik (laughter), colleagues luo wiyuk Malem nge nga nikin la mea sulala lalos u tusruktu oasr enenu se nu Malem nu yuruk oyeku, panang pacl se pana ma debate ngacn orek u ngac kofla wi debate se ngacn, kulo.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo ma lulap Senator Timothy, neke pacl se nge nga etu la session u srakna oasr in pouwos pac, kut a akola kutan ku in sang floor u nusel Acting Floor Leader, Senator Saimon?

Senator Saimon: Speaker, kut oasr ke announcement tari?

Acting Speaker Welly: Kut srakna oasr ke miscellaneous. Senator Siba?

Senator Siba: Nga muta ne esamak la oasr pac sie ordinance transmitted nu yurum, ma tuku sin Malem Municipal Government sramsramkin na yok ke curfew. Nga mu arla wo attempt se ngacn tu ke nga readi koano a nga liye pac oasr pac penalty, fee se a itukyung. Nga ke in arla kalem pac la monitoring lun kain ordinance ngacn enenu in akfasryeyuk fwal nuke oralla lalos an. Sripa oru nga srukak an pa saap ke mutacta lasr nuke office lasr Lelu a elos kamtui pac kain oiyac se ngacn a ke kut etu an Kolonia, Pohnpei ma elos oru pac kain oiyac se ngacn. Nga nikin la oana oasr mea ma sikyak pa elos tuku oru kain oiyac se ngacn, tusruktu la e fwal ku sufal nuke oiyacn mwet lasr u, nga mu saap e kuna in fwal kutu, sufal kutu. Saap yok iyacn fwal an pa in ku in karingin

public places ngacn, in ku in karingin peace nuke kais sie communities ngacn. Tu nga ke liye mu kais sie Municipal ma actually oru kain srikasrak nge in ku in fungyang nukac, fin pa oasr akul se ma elos oralla mu pa ngacn ao se ma mutawaak u, in ku in kalem sin community an, in tia sroala na ke ordinance mu pa ngacn kut nukewa etu la pa ngacn ao san, tu in oasr ma se sang forewarni community an mu in mutawaak ke particular time se ngacn. Nga sramsramkin na yok ke ip lun wistle se ku etal in ngisrala pac tapeng lom alu in tuktuki pacl tolu, kain oiyac ngacn, kulo ma lulap.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo ma lulap Senator Siba, kom akkalemye oingacn oru nga esamak pac ngacn ku in aol kowos lac, aolla office, lah se nge in ku in akilen mwet lasr fin an Malem nuke aknasnas ma volunteer work ma elos oru neke ip lun jurisdiction lun State. Na nga liksreni liye mu enenu in yukinyuk pac kain in angacn, nekena fwal pac nuke pwe inkanek, tia Malem mukena tu oiyac ma elos akkalemye ke nga liye mu fwal kutan ku in oralla pusra, fine ma ngacn el show la paye, pa ngacn nunak wo in ku in kasru akngetye pacl u neke putati lun money u. Oru nga liksreni wi members nukewa in fwak kulo ma lulap nusin mwet lasr nukewa, Otta nukewa ke mura lasr Malem ke nunak, oiyac wowo nge, kulo ma lulap. Senator Benjamin?

Senator Benjamin: Kulo ma lulap, kowos sramsramkin ma ngacn ne nga esamak ma se, nga yume liye litua. Oasr tracker soko nutin Public Work muta kasru pac imon shoulder ke inek u nge, arla wo orekma lun ma se nge ku orekma lun mwe orekma se nge tu oasr na na elya luk nga liye ke oru lalos u, oralla nasnasla a sulpa oralla fokfok. La oana oasr inkanek, nga nikin la efu ku kasrusr u mwet se in tu muta loangyak fwa, oana ngacn mu paiyac mwet sac e follow ma sac in rake ela ku fine fwars met liki in sista kaki ku mea ma ma sac furokyac te akfokfokela. Ma nge nga srunga sramsramkin inse nge, nga mu ma srisrik tu continuous ma se nge, oana kut in kofla liye la piyac oiyac wowo in orekla ke ma se nge in mu improve quality lun orekma lun machine se nge. Oru Speaker, nga lulalfongi kom mu kom a ku in communicate kasru elos in suk la piyac inkanek ma a sang akwoyela kulansap lun mwe kulansap se nge. Ma na paye se la ma na wowo se, el ku in sang oralla inek Kosrae u nofon in level ku in ngetnget wowo, beutification tu orekmakinyac sesr arla tiana fwal. Oru fin a kom ku in kasre kut suk ku oralla dailouge nusin mwet ma responsible nukac ngacn in suk inkanek in improvement, kulo ma lulap Speaker.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo ma lulap Senator Benjamin, nga mu office u a ngisre angacn, kut a ngisre pac la committee lun R&D a wi kut kasru, saap ku in kut lulalfongi la fol lun pacl u pa pac oralla angacn, tu kut a liye kasru sramsram suk inkanek in akasrui ke liye lom an. Nga akilen mu lisr ma yuruwos members, aksuwosye fwak se piang sac a, etal sul ekula mu tia misenge pa welcoming nuke mwet...a litu. Oru pa ngacn kas ma tuku pac ke pacl se nge. Kut som nuke item 17, announcement?

### **Announcement**

Chairman Saimon: Kulo Speaker, ngan ku in akasmakinye na members lom ke J&GO, attachment se pa oan ke order lasr misenge u ngacn, oasr Public Hearing se lasr tukun na session in Chamber misenge, kulo ma lulap.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo Saimon, Chairman Siba?

Chairman Siba: Kulo Speaker, nga siuk committee lom ke R&D in ku in mutana minute luo tukun session misenge u nuke assignment lalos, kulo.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo Chairman Siba, Chairman Skilling?

Chairman Skilling: Speaker, ngac ngisre pac committee lun H&SA fin mesas in ku in osun litu met liki session, ao se met liki afin oasr session litu, ao se met liki.

Acting Speaker Welly: Kulo ma lulap Chairman Skilling, nga akola ngacn ku in akilenul Acting Floor Leader Abraham?

Acting Floor Leader Abraham: Speaker, met liki ngacn oralla next day session u W&M wangin tukeni la neke kut sifilpac akola nuke meeting lasr tusruktu nga akilen paper lasr misenge u oasr na bill mutawaak tuku ke local revenue, ngac taltal nusuwo ke sripen W&M a kofla pick up nekena oasr ma kalem. Pacl se nge nga ngisre session in mongla ke pacl se nge folok litu ke ao 10:00?

Senator Benjamin: Second.

Acting Speaker Welly: Moved and seconded kutan recess misenge, folok litu ke ao 10:00 am. Kom insese say aye, lain say nay, motion carried.

Acting Speaker Albert T. Welly el declared session ke Eighth Day lun Ninth Kosrae State Legislature in recessed misenge, Tuesday, February 20, 2007 ke ao 11:52 am a in sifil folokeni ke Wednesday, February 21, 2007 ke ao 10:00 am.

Respectfully submitted,

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