

[CHAPTER 522]

AN ACT

To authorize grantees of recreational demonstration project lands to make land exchanges relating to such properties, and for other purposes.

August 3, 1950
[H. R. 3284]
[Public Law 640]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That, in order to facilitate the administration of former recreational demonstration project lands and to consolidate the holdings of the grantees to whom such lands have been or may be granted pursuant to the Act of June 6, 1942 (56 Stat. 326), the Secretary of the Interior may authorize any such grantee to exchange or otherwise dispose of any lands or interests in lands conveyed to it in order to acquire other lands or interests therein of approximately equal value.

Certain land grantees.
Authority to exchange lands.

16 U. S. C. §§ 459-459t; Sup. III, § 459t et seq.

For the aforesaid purpose, the Secretary is authorized to execute a release, as to the particular lands involved, of any condition providing for a reversion of title to the United States, that may be contained in the conveyance by the United States to said grantee. No such release shall be executed, however, unless the grantee shall agree, in form satisfactory to the Secretary, that the lands to be acquired by it shall be subject to the conditions contained in the original conveyance from the United States, except that in lieu of a provision for reversion, the grantee shall agree to convey said lands to the United States upon a finding by the Secretary in accordance with the procedure provided in said Act of June 6, 1942, that the grantee has not complied with such conditions during a period of more than three years. Lands so conveyed to the United States shall be subject to administration or disposition in like manner as recreational demonstration project lands that revert to the United States under the terms of the aforesaid Act.

Release.

Approved August 3, 1950.

[CHAPTER 523]

AN ACT

To amend the Federal Aid to Wildlife Restoration Act, as amended.

August 3, 1950
[H. R. 3906]
[Public Law 641]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 8 (a), added by the Act of August 18, 1941 (55 Stat. 631), to the Act of September 2, 1937 (50 Stat. 917), entitled "An Act to provide that the United States shall aid the States in wildlife-restoration projects, and for other purposes", is hereby amended by deleting therefrom the words and figures reading "not exceeding \$25,000 for Alaska, and \$10,000 each for Hawaii, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands", and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures reading "not exceeding \$75,000 for Alaska, not exceeding \$25,000 for Hawaii, and not exceeding \$10,000 each for Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands".

55 Stat. 632.

16 U. S. C. § 669g-1.

Approved August 3, 1950.

[CHAPTER 524]

AN ACT

To amend section 2 (a) and section 7 of the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended, to make failure of registration a continuing offense, and to continue the obligation of officers, directors, and persons acting as such, to comply with the Act despite dissolution of a foreign agent.

August 3, 1950
[H. R. 4386]
[Public Law 642]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the first paragraph of section 2 (a) of the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938,

Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, amendments.

52 Stat. 632.
22 U. S. C. § 612 (a).

Registration.

entitled "An Act to require the registration of certain persons employed by agencies to disseminate propaganda in the United States and for other purposes", approved June 8, 1938, as amended (56 Stat. 248), is amended to read as follows:

"SEC. 2. (a) No person shall act as an agent of a foreign principal unless he has filed with the Attorney General a true and complete registration statement and supplements thereto as required by this section 2 (a) and section 2 (b) hereof or unless he is exempt from registration under the provisions of this Act. Except as hereinafter provided, every person who is an agent of a foreign principal on the effective date of this Act shall, within ten days thereafter and every person who becomes an agent of a foreign principal after the effective date of this Act shall, within ten days thereafter, file with the Attorney General, in duplicate, a registration statement, under oath, on a form prescribed by the Attorney General, of which one copy shall be transmitted promptly by the Attorney General to the Secretary of State for such comment, if any, as the Secretary of State may desire to make from the point of view of the foreign relations of the United States. Failure of the Attorney General so to transmit such copy shall not be a bar to prosecution under this Act. The obligation of an agent of a foreign principal to file a registration statement shall, after the tenth day of his becoming or acting as such agent, continue from day to day, and discontinuance of such activity shall not relieve such agent from his obligation to file a registration statement for the period during which he acted within the United States as an agent of a foreign principal. The registration statement shall include the following, which shall be regarded as material for the purposes of this Act:—"

52 Stat. 633.
22 U. S. C. § 617.

SEC. 2. Section 7 of such Act is amended to read as follows:

"SEC. 7. Each officer, or person performing the functions of an officer, and each director, or person performing the functions of a director, of an agent of a foreign principal which is not an individual shall be under obligation to cause such agent to execute and file a registration statement and supplements thereto as and when such filing is required under sections 2 (a) and 2 (b) hereof and shall also be under obligation to cause such agent to comply with all the requirements of sections 4 (a), 4 (b), and 5 and all other requirements of this Act. Dissolution of any organization acting as an agent of a foreign principal shall not relieve any officer, or person performing the functions of an officer, or any director, or person performing the functions of a director, from complying with the provisions of this section. In case of failure of any such agent of a foreign principal to comply with any of the requirements of this Act, each of its officers, or persons performing the functions of officers, and each of its directors, or persons performing the functions of directors, shall be subject to prosecution therefor."

Supra.

52 Stat. 632, 633.
22 U. S. C. §§ 614 (a),
(b), 615.

Approved August 3, 1950.

[CHAPTER 525]

AN ACT

August 3, 1950
[H. R. 5990]
[Public Law 643]

To provide for the construction, development, administration, and maintenance of the Baltimore-Washington Parkway in the State of Maryland and its extension into the District of Columbia as a part of the park system of the District of Columbia and its environs by the Secretary of the Interior, and other purposes.

Baltimore-Washing-
ton Parkway.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That all lands and easements heretofore or hereafter acquired by the United States for the right-of-way for the parkway which is being constructed by the