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100th Congress

An Act

Aug. 18, 1987
[H.R. 2309]

To amend the Christopher Columbus Quincentenary Jubilee Act.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

SECTION 1. REFERENCES.

Except as otherwise expressly provided, whenever in this Act an amendment is expressed in terms of an amendment to a section or other provision, the reference shall be considered to be made to a section or other provision of the Christopher Columbus Quincentenary Jubilee Act (Public Law 98-375; 98 Stat. 1257).

SEC. 2. ADDITIONAL NONVOTING PARTICIPANT.

98 Stat. 1257.

Section 3(c) is amended—

(1) by inserting "(1)" after "(c)"; and

(2) by adding at the end the following:

"(2)(A) For purposes of this paragraph, the term 'country or other political entity' means any country or territory or successor political entity listed under section 212(b) of the Caribbean Basin Economic Recovery Act (19 U.S.C. 2707(b)).

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"(B) In addition to the individuals under paragraph (1), the President is authorized and requested to invite the government of any country or other political entity recommended under subparagraph (D) to appoint 1 individual to serve as a nonvoting participant under this paragraph.

"(C)(i) Not more than 1 country or other political entity may be represented under this paragraph at any time, and, except as provided in clause (ii), the term for which any such country or other entity may be so represented shall be 1 calendar year, beginning with calendar year 1988.

"(ii) In the year in which the Commission terminates, the term of appointment under this paragraph shall end on the Commission's termination date.

"(D) The Commission shall submit to the President, on an annual basis, the name of any country or other political entity which the Commission considers appropriate, except that—

"(i) no country or other political entity may be represented under this paragraph more than once; and

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"(ii) the first country to be recommended under this subparagraph shall be the Bahamas, which was the first place where Columbus landed in the course of his voyages of exploration.".

SEC. 3. OFFICIAL REPRESENTATION EXPENSES.

98 Stat. 1259.

Section 6 is amended by adding at the end the following:

"(f) In carrying out any functions or duties with respect to representatives of foreign governments, the Commission may, out of amounts available under section 7(a), expend not to exceed $7,500 in any calendar year.".

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SEC. 4. INCREASE IN MAXIMUM DONATIONS ALLOWABLE.

Gifts and property.
98 Stat. 1260.

Section 7(a) is amended to read as follows:

"(a) The Commission may accept donations of money, property, or personal services, except that—

"(1) the aggregate amount of any donations which may be accepted from an individual in any year may not exceed $250,000; and

"(2) the aggregate amount of any donations which may be accepted from a foreign government, corporation, partnership, or other person (other than an individual) in any year may not exceed $1,000,000.".

SEC. 5. APPOINTMENT OF STAFF.

98 Stat. 1261.

Section 8(b)(1) is amended to read as follows:

"(1) appoint and fix the compensation of such additional personnel as it deems advisable, without regard to the provisions of title 5, United States Code, governing appointments in the competitive service, and without regard to chapter 51 and subchapter III of chapter 53 of such title relating to classification and General Schedule pay rates, except that—

5 USC 5101 *et seq.*
5 USC 5331.
5 USC 5332.

"(A) not to exceed 20 staff members appointed under this paragraph may be paid out of amounts available under section 11, and any individual appointed to a position funded in such manner may not be paid at a rate in excess of the rate for grade GS-18 of the General Schedule; and

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"(B) any other staff member appointed under this paragraph may be paid out of amounts available under section 7(a), and any individual appointed to a position funded in such manner—

"(i) shall be so designated at the time of such individual's appointment; and

"(ii) shall not be considered an employee of the United States other than for purposes of—

"(I) chapter 81 of title 5, United States Code, relating to compensation for work injuries;

5 USC 8101 *et seq.*

"(II) chapter 11 of title 18, United States Code, relating to bribery, graft, and conflicts of interest; and

18 USC 201 *et seq.*

"(III) chapter 171 of title 28, United States Code, relating to tort claims.".

28 USC 2671 *et seq.*

SEC. 6. ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEMBERS.

98 Stat. 1261.

Section 9(b) is amended—

(1) by inserting "(1)" after "(b)";

(2) by inserting ", except as provided in paragraph (2)," after "compensation, and"; and

(3) by adding at the end the following:

"(2)(A) Persons appointed to advisory committees under section 8(b)(2) may, while away from their homes or regular places of business in the performance of services for the Commission, be allowed travel expenses, including per diem in lieu of subsistence, as authorized by section 5703 of title 5, United States Code, for persons employed intermittently in Government service.

"(B) Any amount payable under subparagraph (A) shall be paid out of amounts available under section 7(a).".

SEC. 7. OFFICIAL LOGO.

98 Stat. 1262.

(a) IN GENERAL.—Section 10 is amended—

(1) by amending subsection (a) to read as follows:

"(a)(1) For the purpose of this section, the term 'Christopher Columbus Quincentenary Logo' means the symbol or mark designated by the Commission for use in connection with the commemoration of the quincentennial of the voyages of discovery of Christopher Columbus.

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"(2) The Commission may, in accordance with rules and regulations which the Commission shall prescribe, authorize the manufacture, reproduction, use, sale, or distribution of the Christopher Columbus Quincentenary Logo.

"(3) The rules and regulations under paragraph (2) shall include provisions under which—

"(A) fees may be charged for any authorization under this subsection (including circumstances under which any such fee may be waived);

"(B) any authorization granted under this subsection shall not be subject to reassignment or transfer without approval by the Commission; and

"(C) any authorization granted under this subsection may be revoked or otherwise terminated.

"(4) Amounts charged under paragraph (3)(A) shall be available to the Commission.";

(2) in subsection (b)—

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(A) by striking "or uses any such logos, symbols, or marks, or any facsimile thereof, or in such a manner as suggests any such logos, symbols, or marks," and inserting in lieu thereof "uses, sells, or distributes the Christopher Columbus Quincentenary Logo"; and

(B) by striking the second sentence thereof; and

(3) by adding at the end the following:

Federal Register, publication.

"(c)(1) Notice of designation under subsection (a)(1) shall be published in the Federal Register.

"(2) Any rules and regulations under subsection (a), and any penalty under subsection (b), shall apply only in the case of any symbol or mark for which the Commission publishes notice of designation under paragraph (1).".

(b) SAVINGS PROVISIONS.—(1) All rules and regulations issued by the Christopher Columbus Quincentenary Jubilee Commission in connection with section 10 of the Christopher Columbus Quincentenary Jubilee Act (as in effect before the enactment of this Act) shall continue in effect, according to their terms, until modified, terminated, superseded, or repealed by the Commission.

(2) No suit, action, or other proceeding lawfully commenced before the amendments made by subsection (a) become effective shall abate by reason of the enactment of this Act. Determinations with respect to any such suit, action, or other proceeding shall be made as if this Act had not been enacted.

SEC. 8. TERMINATION DATE.

Sections 11(a), 11(b), and 12(a) are each amended by striking "November 15, 1992" and inserting in lieu thereof "December 31, 1993". 98 Stat. 1262.

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