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and twenty acres, more or less, with improvements thereon if any, comprising the abandoned Green Lake Fish Cultural Station, in Hancock County, Maine, said tract being no longer needed for fish-cultural purposes: *Provided*, That such action shall be in full recognition of any outstanding lease, license, or permit, affecting said land.

Proviso. Outstanding leases, permits, etc., recognized.

Approved, May 29, 1935.

[CHAPTER 160.]

AN ACT

To amend section 128 of the Judicial Code, as amended.

May 31, 1935. [H. R. 6114.] [Public, No. 86.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That paragraph "Third" of subsection (a) of section 128 of the Judicial Code, as amended (43 Stat. 936; U. S. C., title 28, sec. 225(a)), be, and it is hereby, amended to read as follows:

Circuit courts of appeals. Vol. 43, p. 936; U. S. C., p. 1259.

"Third. In the district courts for Alaska or any division thereof, and for the Virgin Islands, in all civil cases wherein the Constitution or a statute or treaty of the United States or any authority exercised thereunder is involved; in all other civil cases wherein the value in controversy, exclusive of interest and costs, exceeds $1,000; in all criminal cases, and in all habeas corpus proceedings; and in the District Court of the Canal Zone in the cases and modes prescribed in sections 61 and 62, title 7, Canal Zone Code (48 Stat. 1122).

Review of final decisions.

Alaska and Virgin Islands.

Canal Zone. Vol. 48, p. 1122.

Approved, May 31, 1935.

[CHAPTER 164.]

AN ACT

To amend the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, to amend the Federal Farm Loan Act, to amend the Agricultural Marketing Act, and to amend the Farm Credit Act of 1933, and for other purposes.

June 3, 1935. [S. 1384.] [Public, No. 87.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That this Act may be cited as the "Farm Credit Act of 1935."

Farm Credit Act of 1935.

SEC. 2. (a) Section 32 of the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, as amended (U. S. C., Supp. VII, title 12, sec. 1016), is further amended by striking out of the third sentence the following: "and made for the purpose of reducing and refinancing an existing mortgage".

Emergency Farm Mortgage Act, amendments. Farm Loan Commissioner; loans to farmers. Repayment provisions modified. Vol. 48, p. 48; U. S. C., p. 441.

(b) Such section 32, as amended, is further amended by striking out the fifth sentence and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Loans may be made under this section for any of the purposes for which Federal land banks are authorized by law to make loans, and for the following additional purpose, and none other: Refinancing, either in connection with proceedings under chapter VIII of the Bankruptcy Act of July 1, 1898, as amended, or otherwise, any indebtedness, secured or unsecured, of the farmer, or which is secured by a lien on all or any part of the farm property accepted as security for the loan."

Purposes of loans enlarged. *Ante*, p. 300. U. S. C., p. 333.

(c) Such section 32, as amended, is further amended by striking out the seventh sentence and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "As used in this section, (1) the term 'farmer' means any person who is at the time, or shortly to become, bona fide engaged in farming operations, either personally or through an agent or tenant, or the principal part of whose income is derived from farming operations or livestock raising, and includes a personal representative

Definitions. "Farmer". Vol. 48, p. 48.