

## [CHAPTER 121]

## AN ACT

To provide for emergency flood-control work made necessary by recent floods, and for other purposes.

June 23, 1947  
[H. R. 3792]

[Public Law 102]

Appropriation authorized.  
*Post, p. 187.*

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the sum of \$15,000,000 is hereby authorized to be appropriated as an emergency fund to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of War and the supervision of the Chief of Engineers for the repair, restoration, and strengthening of levees and other flood-control works which have been threatened or destroyed by recent floods, or which may be threatened or destroyed by later floods: Provided, That pending the appropriation of said sum, the Secretary of War may allot, from existing flood-control appropriations, such sums as may be necessary for the immediate prosecution of the work herein authorized, such appropriations to be reimbursed from the appropriation herein authorized when made: Provided further, That funds allotted under this authority shall not be diverted from the unobligated funds from the appropriation "Flood control, general", made available in War Department Civil Functions Appropriation Acts for specific purposes.*

SEC. 2. The provisions of section 1 shall be deemed to be additional and supplemental to, and not in lieu of, existing general legislation authorizing allocation of flood-control funds for restoration of flood-control works threatened or destroyed by flood.

Approved June 23, 1947.

Allotments from existing appropriations.

## [CHAPTER 124]

## AN ACT

To amend the Act entitled "An Act to provide for a permanent Census Office", approved March 6, 1902, as amended (the collection and publication of statistical information by the Bureau of the Census).

June 25, 1947  
[S. 614]

[Public Law 103]

32 Stat. 52.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 7 of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for a permanent Census Office", approved March 6, 1902, as amended (U. S. C., title 13, sec. 111), is amended by adding at the end of the first sentence thereof the words: "Provided, That where the doctrine, teaching, or discipline of any religious denomination or church prohibits the disclosure of information relative to membership, such information shall not be required."*

Approved June 25, 1947.

## [CHAPTER 125]

## AN ACT

To regulate the marketing of economic poisons and devices, and for other purposes.

June 25, 1947  
[H. R. 1237]

[Public Law 104]

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

## TITLE

SECTION 1. This Act may be cited as the "Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act".

## DEFINITIONS

SEC. 2. For the purposes of this Act—

a. The term "economic poison" means any substance or mixture of substances intended for preventing, destroying, repelling, or mitigating any insects, rodents, fungi, weeds, and other forms of plant

"Economic poison."