specified from time to time in the appropriation concerned, and without regard to the civil service and classification laws and titles II and III of the Federal Employees Pay Act of 1945; and (g) the erection on leased property of specialized facilities and working and living quarters when the Secretary of Commerce determines that this will best serve the interests of the Government."

59 Stat. 296, 298; 68 Stat. 1109. 5 USC 911 *et seq.*, 921 *et seq.*

15 USC 278a.

SEC. 2. Such Act is further amended in section 11, paragraph (a) by striking out the word "therein" and substituting therefor the word "herein".

Repeal.

SEC. 3. The Act entitled "An Act to provide authority for certain functions and activities in the Department of Commerce and for other purposes" approved July 21, 1950, is hereby repealed in its entirety.

64 Stat. 370. 15 USC 285, 286.

Approved September 2, 1958.

Public Law 85-891

September 2, 1958 [S. 4249]

AN ACT

To authorize a program for the conservation, restoration, and management of the rare Hawaiian Nene goose.

Hawaiian Nene goose, preservation.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That whereas there are less than fifty Nene geese in the wild state in the Territory of Hawaii, and this unique, native species of waterfowl is threatened with imminent extinction, the Secretary of the Interior is hereby authorized and directed to promote a program of research, propagation, and management necessary to effect the restoration of this threatened species in its natural habitat.

Appropriation.

SEC. 2. The sum of $15,000 per annum is hereby authorized to be appropriated each year for a period of five years to carry out the purposes of this Act.

Approved September 2, 1958.

Public Law 85-892

September 2, 1958 [S. 3942]

AN ACT

For the relief of certain distressed aliens.

Nationals of Portugal and the Netherlands, relief.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That, notwithstanding the provisions of any other law, there are hereby authorized to be issued (A) fifteen hundred special nonquota immigrant visas to aliens, specified in section 2 of this Act, and (B) a number of special nonquota immigrant visas not to exceed the annual quota allocated under the Immigration and Nationality Act to the quota area of the Netherlands to aliens specified in section 3 of this Act seeking to enter the United States as immigrants. The spouse of any such alien and his unmarried sons or daughters under twenty-one years of age, including stepsons or stepdaughters, and sons or daughters adopted prior to July 1, 1958, if accompanying them, may be issued special nonquota immigrant visas notwithstanding the numerical limitations herein provided.

66 Stat. 169. 8 USC 1101.

SEC. 2. Visas authorized to be issued under clause (A) of section 1 of this Act shall be issued only to nationals or citizens of Portugal who, because of natural calamity in the Azores Islands subsequent to September 1, 1957, are out of their usual place of abode in such islands and unable to return thereto, and who are in urgent need of assistance for the essentials of life.

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