

Public Law 337

CHAPTER 264

May 13, 1952
[H. R. 2608]

AN ACT

To amend the Federal Credit Union Act.

51 Stat. 4.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That paragraph 7 (d) of section 7 of the Federal Credit Union Act, as amended (12 U. S. C. 1757), be amended to read as follows: "or in shares or accounts of Federal savings and loan associations and in shares or accounts of any other institution, the accounts of which are insured by the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation".

Approved May 13, 1952.

Public Law 338

CHAPTER 265

May 13, 1952
[H. R. 3830]

AN ACT

To authorize the construction and equipment of a geomagnetic station for the Department of Commerce.

Department of
Commerce.
Geomagnetic
station.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there is hereby authorized to be constructed and equipped for the Department of Commerce a geomagnetic station together with necessary utilities, instruments, and appurtenances under a limit of cost of \$1,575,000: *Provided,* That such limit of cost may be exceeded or shall be reduced by an amount equal to the percentage increase or decrease, if any, in construction costs generally dating from January 1, 1951, as determined by the General Services Administrator.

Appropriation.

SEC. 2. There are hereby authorized to be appropriated to the Secretary of Commerce, out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, such sums as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of this Act: *Provided,* That such sums as appropriated, except such part thereof as may be necessary for the incidental expenses of the Department of Commerce, shall be transferred to the General Services Administration.

Approved May 13, 1952.

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CHAPTER 266

May 13, 1952
[H. R. 4337]

AN ACT

To authorize certain land and other property transactions.

General Services Administration.
Certain property transactions.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Administrator of General Services is authorized to transfer to the Department of the Navy, without reimbursement, custody and control over the following property: (a) Nine hundred and thirty-four one-thousandths of an acre of land with improvements consisting of one building and appurtenant facilities, known as Plancor 631-A, and located at 500 West Thirty-sixth Street, Chicago, Illinois; (b) thirteen and five-tenths acres of land with improvements consisting of six buildings and appurtenant facilities, known as the remaining portion of former Maritime Commission barracks at Kaiser-Swan Island Shipyard and located at Portland, Oregon; and (c) fifteen acres of land with improvements consisting of seven buildings, one outfitting pier and

appurtenant facilities, known as a portion of former Walsh-Kaiser Shipyard, and located at Providence, Rhode Island.

SEC. 2. The Administrator of General Services is authorized to accept on behalf of the United States of America, at a cost not exceeding \$1, the conveyance by the Port of Portland, Oregon, of a building known as the Child Care Center Building and located on land leased from the Port of Portland, at Portland, Oregon, and to transfer without reimbursement the custody and control over such building to the Department of the Navy.

SEC. 3. The Administrator of General Services is authorized to convey, without cost and on behalf of Reconstruction Finance Corporation, to the United States of America, one and eighteen one-hundredths acres of land, known as the remaining portion of the former Consolidated Vultee Aircraft Plant, Plancor 1644, located at Allentown, Pennsylvania, and to transfer custody and control thereof to the Department of the Navy without reimbursement.

SEC. 4. The transfers and acceptance of conveyances authorized by sections 1, 2, and 3 hereof shall not include any inventories of raw material or work in progress.

Approved May 13, 1952.

Public Law 340

CHAPTER 267

AN ACT

Granting the consent and approval of Congress to the participation of certain Provinces of the Dominion of Canada in the Northeastern Interstate Forest Fire Protection Compact, and for other purposes.

May 13, 1952
[H. R. 4764]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the consent and approval of Congress is hereby given to the participation in the Northeastern Interstate Forest Fire Protection Compact in the manner provided in, and as a party to, such compact of any Province of the Dominion of Canada which is contiguous to any State which is a party to such compact, heretofore approved by the Act entitled "An Act granting the consent and approval of Congress to an interstate forest fire protection compact", approved June 25, 1949 (63 Stat. 271).

Canada.
Forest Fire Pro-
tection Compact.
Consent of Con-
gress.

SEC. 2. In order to assist in carrying out the terms of such compact, and notwithstanding any other provisions of law—

(a) the Secretary of the Treasury, after consultation with other appropriate Federal departments and agencies, may prescribe such procedures as he shall deem necessary for the purposes of such compact for the entry to the United States of articles of any kind. He may also prescribe regulations which permit, for such purposes, the return to United States customs territory of any articles temporarily exported, and the importation for temporary storage or use of any other articles, without entry and without the payment of any duty or tax imposed upon or by reason of importation;

(b) the head of any Federal agency, other than the Treasury Department, exercising by law any authority with respect to imports or exports of any kind, may make such special rules and regulations relating to the exercise of such authority as he shall deem necessary for the purposes of such compact; and

(c) the Attorney General, in the case of the immigration laws, and the Surgeon General of the Public Health Service with the approval of the Federal Security Administrator in the case of the