

Public Law 90-275

March 28, 1968
[H. R. 12555]

AN ACT

To amend title 38 of the United States Code to liberalize the provisions relating to payment of pension, and for other purposes.

Veterans pen-
sions.
Income limita-
tions.
81 Stat. 179.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That (a) the table in subsection (b) of section 521 of title 38, United States Code, is amended to appear as follows:

"Column I		Column II
Annual income		
More than—	Equal to or but less than—	
	\$300	\$110
\$300	400	108
400	500	106
500	600	104
600	700	100
700	800	96
800	900	92
900	1, 000	88
1, 000	1, 100	84
1, 100	1, 200	79
1, 200	1, 300	75
1, 300	1, 400	69
1, 400	1, 500	63
1, 500	1, 600	57
1, 600	1, 700	51
1, 700	1, 800	45
1, 800	1, 900	37
1, 900	2, 000	29"

(b) The table in subsection (c) of such section 521 is amended to appear as follows:

Veterans with dependents.
81 Stat. 179.

"Column I		Column II	Column III	Column IV
Annual income				
More than—	but Equal to or less than—	One dependent	Two dependents	Three or more dependents
	\$500	\$120	\$125	\$130
\$500	600	118	123	128
600	700	116	121	126
700	800	114	119	124
800	900	112	117	122
900	1,000	109	114	119
1,000	1,100	107	107	107
1,100	1,200	105	105	105
1,200	1,300	103	103	103
1,300	1,400	101	101	101
1,400	1,500	99	99	99
1,500	1,600	96	96	96
1,600	1,700	93	93	93
1,700	1,800	90	90	90
1,800	1,900	87	87	87
1,900	2,000	84	84	84
2,000	2,100	81	81	81
2,100	2,200	78	78	78
2,200	2,300	75	75	75
2,300	2,400	72	72	72
2,400	2,500	69	69	69
2,500	2,600	66	66	66
2,600	2,700	62	62	62
2,700	2,800	58	58	58
2,800	2,900	54	54	54
2,900	3,000	50	50	50
3,000	3,100	42	42	42
3,100	3,200	34	34	34".

(c) The table in subsection (b) of section 541 of title 38, United States Code, is amended to appear as follows:

Widows.

"Column I		Column II
Annual income		
More than—	but Equal to or less than—	
	\$300	\$74
\$300	400	73
400	500	72
500	600	70
600	700	67
700	800	64
800	900	61
900	1,000	58
1,000	1,100	55
1,100	1,200	51
1,200	1,300	48
1,300	1,400	45
1,400	1,500	41
1,500	1,600	37
1,600	1,700	33
1,700	1,800	29
1,800	1,900	23
1,900	2,000	17".

Widow with one
child.
81 Stat. 180.

(d) The table in subsection (c) of such section 541, is amended to appear as follows:

"Column I		Column II
Annual income		
More than—	Equal to or but less than—	
	\$600	\$90
\$600	700	89
700	800	88
800	900	87
900	1, 000	86
1, 000	1, 100	85
1, 100	1, 200	83
1, 200	1, 300	81
1, 300	1, 400	79
1, 400	1, 500	77
1, 500	1, 600	75
1, 600	1, 700	73
1, 700	1, 800	71
1, 800	1, 900	69
1, 900	2, 000	67
2, 000	2, 100	65
2, 100	2, 200	63
2, 200	2, 300	61
2, 300	2, 400	59
2, 400	2, 500	57
2, 500	2, 600	55
2, 600	2, 700	53
2, 700	2, 800	51
2, 800	2, 900	48
2, 900	3, 000	45
3, 000	3, 100	43
3, 100	3, 200	41"

One parent.
80 Stat. 1157.

SEC. 2. (a) The table in subsection (b) (1) of section 415 of title 38, United States Code, is amended to appear as follows:

"Column I		Column II
Total annual income		
More than—	Equal to or but less than—	
	\$800	\$87
\$800	900	81
900	1, 000	75
1, 000	1, 100	69
1, 100	1, 200	62
1, 200	1, 300	54
1, 300	1, 400	46
1, 400	1, 500	38
1, 500	1, 600	31
1, 600	1, 700	25
1, 700	1, 800	18
1, 800	1, 900	12
1, 900	2, 000	10".

(b) The table in subsection (c) of such section 415 is amended to appear as follows:

Remarried
parent.
80 Stat. 1157.

"Column I		Column II
Total annual income		
More than—	Equal to or less than—	
	\$800	\$58
\$800	900	54
900	1,000	50
1,000	1,100	46
1,100	1,200	41
1,200	1,300	35
1,300	1,400	29
1,400	1,500	23
1,500	1,600	20
1,600	1,700	16
1,700	1,800	12
1,800	1,900	11
1,900	2,000	10".

(c) The table in subsection (d) of such section 415 is amended to appear as follows:

Two parents.

"Column I		Column II
Total combined annual income		
More than—	Equal to or less than—	
	\$1,000	\$58
\$1,000	1,100	56
1,100	1,200	54
1,200	1,300	52
1,300	1,400	49
1,400	1,500	46
1,500	1,600	44
1,600	1,700	42
1,700	1,800	40
1,800	1,900	38
1,900	2,000	35
2,000	2,100	33
2,100	2,200	31
2,200	2,300	29
2,300	2,400	26
2,400	2,500	23
2,500	2,600	21
2,600	2,700	19
2,700	2,800	17
2,800	2,900	15
2,900	3,000	12
3,000	3,100	11
3,100	3,200	10".

SEC. 3. (a) If the monthly rate of pension or dependency and indemnity compensation payable to a person under title 38, United States Code, would be less, solely as a result of an increase in monthly insurance benefits provided by the Social Security Amendments of 1967, than the monthly rate payable for the month immediately preceding the effective date of this Act, the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs shall pay the person as follows:

81 Stat. 821.
42 USC 302
note.
Monthly pension
rate provisions.

81 Stat. 821.
42 USC 302
note.

Limitations in-
crease.

73 Stat. 436.
38 USC 521
note.

72 Stat. 1227;
76 Stat. 949;
80 Stat. 1159.

Effective dates.

(1) for the balance of calendar year 1968 and during calendar year 1969, at the prior monthly rate;

(2) during the calendar year 1970, at the rate for the next \$100 annual income limitation higher than the maximum annual income limitation corresponding to the prior monthly rate; and

(3) during each successive calendar year, at the rate for the next \$100 annual income limitation higher than the one applied for the preceding year, until the rate corresponding to actual countable income is reached.

(b) Subsection (a) shall not apply for any period during which annual income of such person, exclusive of an increase in monthly insurance benefits provided by the Social Security Amendments of 1967, exceeds the amount of annual income upon which was based the pension or dependency and indemnity compensation payable to the person immediately prior to receipt of the increase.

SEC. 4. The annual income limitations governing payment of pension under the first sentence of section 9(b) of the Veterans' Pension Act of 1959 hereafter shall be \$1,600 and \$2,900, instead of \$1,400 and \$2,700, respectively.

SEC. 5. Paragraph (4) of section 3012(b) of title 38, United States Code, is amended to read as follows:

“(4) by reason of change in income or corpus of estate shall be the last day of the calendar year in which the change occurred;”

SEC. 6. (a) The first section and sections 2 and 4 of this Act shall take effect on January 1, 1969.

(b) Sections 3 and 5 of this Act shall take effect on the first day of the first calendar month following the month of initial payment of increases in monthly insurance benefits provided by the Social Security Amendments of 1967.

Approved March 28, 1968.

Public Law 90-276

AN ACT

March 28, 1968
[S. 793]

To provide for the conveyance of certain real property of the United States to the Alabama Space Science Exhibit Commission.

Alabama Space
Science Exhibit
Commission.
Conveyance.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That, subject to section 3 of this Act, the Secretary of the Army is authorized to convey without monetary consideration to the Alabama Space Science Exhibit Commission (an agency of the State of Alabama) all right, title, and interest of the United States in and to the real property described in section 2 of this Act for use as a permanent site for the Alabama Space Science Exhibit.

SEC. 2. The real property referred to in the first section of this Act is generally described as follows:

A certain tract or parcel of land containing 35.69 acres, more or less, lying and being in the northwest portion of Redstone Arsenal, in the north half of section 8, township 4 south, range 1 west, Huntsville meridian, Madison County, Alabama, lying south of the centerline of Bob Wallace Avenue, southeasterly of the southern right-of-way line of Alabama Highway 20, and northerly of a TVA power transmission line. The exact description of which is to be determined by an accurate survey and approved by the Secretary of the Army.

SEC. 3. The conveyance provided for by the first section of this Act shall be subject to the condition that the real property so conveyed