

# PUBLIC LAWS OF THE SEVENTY-SECOND CONGRESS

OF THE

## UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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HERBERT HOOVER, President; CHARLES CURTIS, Vice President; GEORGE H. MOSES, President of the Senate *pro tempore*; JOHN N. GARNER, Speaker of the House of Representatives; HENRY T. RAINEY, Speaker of the House of Representatives *pro tempore*, June 13 to 18, 1932; WILLIAM B. BANKHEAD, Speaker of the House of Representatives *pro tempore*, June 20, 1932; JOHN McDUFFIE, Speaker of the House of Representatives *pro tempore*, July 16, 1932.

### [CHAPTER 1.]

#### JOINT RESOLUTION

To permit the temporary entry into the United States under certain conditions of alien participants and officials of the Third Olympic Winter Games and of the games of the Tenth Olympiad to be held in the United States in 1932.

December 19, 1931.  
[H. J. Res. 72.]  
[Pub. Res., No. 1.]

*Resolved by the Senate and the House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That alien participants, officials, and other accredited members of delegations to the Third Olympic Winter Games and to the games of the Tenth Olympiad to be held in the United States in 1932, and members of the immediate families and servants of the foregoing, all the foregoing who are nonimmigrants, if otherwise admissible into the United States under the immigration laws, shall be exempted from the payment of the tax of \$8 prescribed by section 2 of the Immigration Act of 1917, and exempted from the fees prescribed under the law to be collected in connection with executing an application for a visa and visaing the passport or other travel document of an alien for the purpose of entering the United States as a nonimmigrant, and such aliens shall not be required to present official passports issued by the governments to which they owe allegiance: *Provided*, That such aliens shall be in possession of official Olympic games identity cards duly visaed without charge by American consular officers abroad: *And provided further*, That such aliens shall comply with regulations not inconsistent with the foregoing provisions which shall be prescribed by the Secretary of Labor and the Secretary of State: *Provided, however*, That nothing herein shall relieve an alien from being required to obtain a gratis nonimmigrant visa if coming to the United States as a nonimmigrant, or an immigration visa if coming to the United States as an immigrant: Be it further *Resolved*, That such aliens shall be permitted the free entry of their personal effects and their equipment to be used in connection with the games, under such regulations as may be prescribed by the Secretary of the Treasury.*

Olympic games, 1932.  
Temporary admission into United States of alien participants, etc.

Exempted from tax, etc.  
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Passports.

*Provisos.*  
Identification required.

Regulations to be prescribed.

Visa requirements.

Entry of personal effects, etc.

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