

[CHAPTER 61]

JOINT RESOLUTION

Declaring Joseph P. Kennedy eligible for appointment as a member of the United States Maritime Commission.

March 30, 1937
 [S. J. Res. 110]
 [Pub. Res., No. 19]

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That notwithstanding the provisions of Section 201 (b) of the Merchant Marine Act, 1936, approved June 29, 1936, Joseph P. Kennedy is declared to be eligible for appointment as a member of the United States Maritime Commission.

United States Maritime Commission.
 Joseph P. Kennedy declared eligible for appointment as a member of.
 49 Stat. 1985.
 46 U. S. C., Supp. II, § 1111.

Approved, March 30, 1937.

[CHAPTER 64]

AN ACT

To amend section 704 of the Merchant Marine Act of 1936 (49 U. S. Stat. L. 2008-2009).

April 1, 1937
 [H. R. 4951]
 [Public, No. 27]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 704 of the Merchant Marine Act of 1936 (49 U. S. Stat. L. 2008-2009) be amended to read as follows:

Merchant Marine Act of 1936, amendment.
 49 Stat. 2008.
 46 U. S. C., Supp. II, § 1194.
 Charter or sale of vessels acquired by Commission.
 Temporary operation in foreign commerce, by private operators; time limitation.

“SEC. 704. All vessels transferred to or otherwise acquired by the Commission in any manner may be chartered or sold by the Commission pursuant to the further provisions of this Act. All vessels transferred to the Commission by this Act and now being operated by private operators on lines in foreign commerce of the United States shall be temporarily operated by the Commission for its account by private operators until such time and upon such operating agreements as the Commission may deem advantageous, but the Commission shall arrange as soon as practicable to offer all such lines of vessels for charter as hereinafter provided, preference to be given to present operators, and all operation of the Commission's vessels by private operators under such operating agreements shall be discontinued within one year after the passage of this Act: *Provided*, That nothing herein contained shall prevent private operators, under such operating agreements, commencing voyages prior to said expiration date and completing them thereafter: *Provided further*, That nothing contained herein shall be construed as limiting or affecting the power of sale under provisions of section 705 of this Act.”

Proviso.
 Completion of voyages begun before expiration date.
 Sale provisions not affected.

Approved, April 1, 1937.

[CHAPTER 69]

JOINT RESOLUTION

Making funds available for the control of incipient or emergency outbreaks of insect pests or plant diseases, including grasshoppers, Mormon crickets, and chinch bugs.

April 6, 1937
 [S. J. Res. 75]
 [Pub. Res., No. 20]

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That for the application of such methods of control of incipient or emergency outbreaks of insect pests or plant diseases, including grasshoppers, Mormon crickets, and chinch bugs, as, in the judgment of the Secretary of Agriculture, may be necessary, in cooperation with such authorities of the States concerned, organizations or individuals as the Secretary may deem necessary to accomplish such purposes, including the employment of persons and means in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, printing, rent outside of the District of Columbia, and for

Insect pest and plant disease control.
 Appropriation authorized for.
 Post, pp. 120, 514.

Personal services, etc.