

49 Stat. 305.

four feet in width and approximately five hundred feet in length adjoining the strip of land conveyed pursuant to section 4 of the Act approved May 28, 1935 (Public, Numbered 81, Seventy-fourth Congress), to provide for a roadway one hundred feet in width across the reservation. The deed of conveyance shall describe by metes and bounds the portion of the reservation transferred and the conditions imposed by section 36 of the Act of May 28, 1935 (Public, Numbered 81, Seventy-fourth Congress).

Approved, August 16, 1937.

## [CHAPTER 666]

## JOINT RESOLUTION

Authorizing the President of the United States of America to proclaim the 13th day of April of each year Thomas Jefferson's Birthday.

August 16, 1937  
[H. J. Res. 284]  
[Pub. Res., No. 60]

Thomas Jefferson's  
Birthday.  
President author-  
ized to proclaim April  
13 of each year as.

*Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That the President of the United States of America is authorized and directed to issue a proclamation calling upon officials of the Government to display the flag of the United States on all Government buildings on April 13 of each year, and inviting the people of the United States to observe the day in schools and churches, or other suitable places, with appropriate ceremonies in commemoration of the birth of Thomas Jefferson.

Approved, August 16, 1937.

## [CHAPTER 667]

## JOINT RESOLUTION

To permit articles imported from foreign countries for the purpose of exhibition at the New York World's Fair 1939, New York City, New York, to be admitted without payment of tariff, and for other purposes.

August 16, 1937  
[H. J. Res. 288]  
[Pub. Res., No. 61]

New York World's  
Fair 1939.  
Dutiable articles im-  
ported for exhibition,  
etc., admitted free,  
under regulations.

Sales permitted.

*Provisos.*  
Duty on articles  
withdrawn.

Deterioration allow-  
ance.

Marking require-  
ments.

*Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That all articles which shall be imported from foreign countries for the purpose of exhibition at the international exposition to be held at New York City, New York, beginning in April 1939 by the New York World's Fair 1939, Incorporated, or for use in constructing, installing, or maintaining foreign buildings or exhibits at the said exposition, upon which articles there shall be a tariff or customs duty shall be admitted without payment of such tariff, customs duty, fees, or charges under such regulations as the Secretary of the Treasury shall prescribe; but it shall be lawful at any time during and/or within three months after the close of the said exposition, to sell within the area of the exposition any articles provided for herein, subject to such regulations for the security of the revenue and for the collection of import duties as the Secretary of the Treasury shall prescribe: *Provided*, That all such articles, when withdrawn for consumption or use in the United States, shall be subject to the duties, if any, imposed upon such articles by the revenue laws in force at the date of their withdrawal; and on such articles, which shall have suffered diminution or deterioration from incidental handling or exposure, the duties, if payable, shall be assessed according to the appraised value at the time of withdrawal from entry hereunder for consumption or entry under the general tariff law: *Provided further*, That imported articles provided for herein shall not be subject to any marking requirements of the general tariff laws, except when such articles are withdrawn for consumption or use in the United States, in which case they shall not be released from customs custody until properly marked, but no additional duty shall be assessed because such articles were not

sufficiently marked when imported into the United States: *Provided further*, That at any time during or within three months after the close of the exposition, any article entered hereunder may be abandoned to the Government or destroyed under customs supervision, whereupon any duties on such article shall be remitted: *Provided further*, That articles, which have been admitted without payment of duty for exhibition under any tariff law and which have remained in continuous customs custody or under a customs exhibition bond, and imported articles in bonded warehouses under the general tariff law may be accorded the privilege of transfer to and entry for exhibition at the said exposition under such regulations as the Secretary of the Treasury shall prescribe: *And provided further*, That the New York World's Fair 1939, Incorporated, shall be deemed, for customs purposes only to be the sole consignee of all merchandise imported under the provisions of this Act, and that the actual and necessary customs charges for labor, services, and other expenses in connection with the entry, examination, appraisement, release, or custody, together with the necessary charges for salaries of customs officers and employees in connection with the supervision, custody of, and accounting for articles imported under the provisions of this Act, shall be reimbursed by the New York World's Fair 1939, Incorporated, to the Government of the United States under regulations to be prescribed by the Secretary of the Treasury, and that receipts from such reimbursements shall be deposited as refunds to the appropriation from which paid, in the manner provided for in section 524, Tariff Act of 1930.

Approved, August 16, 1937.

Abandoned articles.

Transfer privilege.

Exposition deemed sole consignee of merchandise.

Reimbursement of incurred Federal expenses.

Deposit of receipts as refunds.  
46 Stat. 741.  
19 U. S. C. § 1524.

[CHAPTER 687]

AN ACT

To provide for the establishment of the Cape Hatteras National Seashore in the State of North Carolina, and for other purposes.

August 17, 1937

[H. R. 7022]

[Public, No. 311]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That when title to all the lands, except those within the limits of established villages, within boundaries to be designated by the Secretary of the Interior within the area of approximately one hundred square miles on the islands of Chicamacomico, Ocracoke, Bodie, Roanoke, and Collington, and the waters and the lands beneath the waters adjacent thereto shall have been vested in the United States, said area shall be, and is hereby, established, dedicated, and set apart as a national seashore for the benefit and enjoyment of the people and shall be known as the Cape Hatteras National Seashore: *Provided*, That the United States shall not purchase by appropriation of public moneys any lands within the aforesaid area, but such lands shall be secured by the United States only by public or private donation.

Cape Hatteras National Seashore, N. C. Establishment; area, location, etc.

*Proviso.*  
Donation of lands.

SEC. 2. The Secretary of the Interior is hereby authorized to accept donations of land, interests in land, buildings, structures, and other property, within the boundaries of said national seashore as determined and fixed hereunder and donations of funds for the purchase and maintenance thereof, the title and evidence of title to lands acquired to be satisfactory to the Secretary of the Interior: *Provided*, That he may acquire on behalf of the United States under any donated funds by purchase, when purchasable at prices deemed by him reasonable, otherwise by condemnation under the provisions of the Act of August 1, 1888, such tracts of land within the said national seashore as may be necessary for the completion thereof.

Acceptance of donations, etc.

*Proviso.*  
Acquisition of land.  
25 Stat. 357.  
40 U. S. C. § 257.