

ber 15, 1924, which agreement settled a claim asserted by the United States.

Trust fund.

SEC. 2. The said sum of \$110,000 shall be deemed a trust fund received by the Secretary of State under the provisions of the Act of February 27, 1896 (29 Stat. 32, title 31, U. S. C., sec. 547), and shall be expended as therein provided. The said sum shall be deemed to constitute the fund of \$110,000 received by the United States from the Iranian Government in four installments between December 24, 1924, and March 29, 1925, pursuant to the afore-mentioned notes, and deposited in the Treasury of the United States on June 24, 1925, which fund shall be deemed, insofar as the same may be necessary, to have been heretofore appropriated as a trust fund under the said Act of February 27, 1896, and the Permanent Appropriation Repeal Act, 1934, as amended, section 20 (48 Stat. 1233, 31 U. S. C., sec. 725 (s)). The Secretary of the Treasury shall make payments out of the said fund to or for the account of such persons, in such amounts, at such times, and on such terms, as the Secretary of State or his designee shall certify and the certificates of the Secretary of State or his designee issued hereunder shall be conclusive as to the propriety of payments so made. The expenditure of the said sum by the United States shall constitute full performance of the obligation of the United States to the Iranian Government or any other person arising out of the said notes and shall discharge the Secretary of State and the Secretary of the Treasury with respect to any accountability therefor.

31 U. S. C. § 725s.

Approved September 29, 1950.

[CHAPTER 1111]

AN ACT

September 23, 1950
[H. R. 9399]
[Public Law 832]

To provide a more effective method of delivering applications for absentee ballots to servicemen and certain other persons.

Servicemen's voting
act, amendments.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the first sentence of section 209 (a) of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for a method of voting, in time of war, by members of the land and naval forces absent from the place of their residence", approved September 16, 1942, as amended, is hereby amended by striking out "cause such post cards to be made available to each person" and inserting in lieu thereof "cause such post cards to be delivered in hand to each person".

60 Stat. 99.
50 U. S. C. § 329 (a).

Approved September 29, 1950.

[CHAPTER 1112]

AN ACT

September 29, 1950
[H. R. 9455]
[Public Law 863]

To amend the Act of September 16, 1942, as amended, so as to facilitate voting by members of the Armed Forces, and certain others, absent from their places of residence.

Servicemen's voting
act, amendments.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 204 (d) of the Act of September 16, 1942 (Public Law 712, Seventy-seventh Congress), as amended (50 U. S. C., sec. 324 (d)), is hereby amended to read as follows:

60 Stat. 97.

"(d) It is recommended that the several States, in order to minimize costs and promote speed in the transporting of absentee voting material being sent to persons to whom this title is applicable, reduce in size and weight of paper, as much as possible, envelopes, ballots, and instructions for voting procedure."