

# PUBLIC LAWS OF THE SIXTY-NINTH CONGRESS

OF THE

## UNITED STATES

*Passed at the second session, which was begun and held at the city of Washington, in the District of Columbia, on Monday, the sixth day of December, 1926, and was adjourned without day on Friday, the fourth day of March, 1927.*

CALVIN COOLIDGE, President; CHARLES G. DAWES, Vice President; GEORGE H. MOSES, President of the Senate *pro tempore*; NICHOLAS LONGWORTH, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

**CHAP. 1.**—Joint Resolution Limiting the time for which licenses for radio transmission may be granted, and for other purposes.

December 8, 1926.  
[S. J. Res. 125.]  
[Pub. Res., No. 47.]

*Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That until otherwise provided by law, no original license for the operation of any radio broadcasting station and no renewal of a license of an existing broadcasting station, shall be granted for longer periods than ninety days and no original license for the operation of any other class of radio station and no renewal of the license for an existing station of any other class than a broadcasting station, shall be granted for longer periods than two years; and that no original radio license or the renewal of an existing license shall be granted after the date of the passage of this resolution unless the applicant therefor shall execute in writing a waiver of any right or of any claim to any right, as against the United States, to any wave length or to the use of the ether in radio transmission because of previous license to use the same or because of the use thereof.*

Radio transmission.  
Time limit for broadcasting licenses.

To other stations.

Waiver of right to any wave length, etc., required.

Approved, December 8, 1926.

**CHAP. 2.**—An Act To punish counterfeiting, altering, or uttering of Government transportation requests.

December 11, 1926.  
[H. R. 8128.]  
[Public, No. 524.]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That whoever shall falsely make, forge, or counterfeit, or cause or procure to be falsely made, forged, or counterfeited, or shall willingly aid or assist in falsely making, forging, or counterfeiting, in whole or in part, any form or request in similitude of the form or request provided by the Government for requesting a common carrier to furnish transportation on account of the United States or any department or branch thereof, or shall knowingly alter, or cause or procure to be altered, or shall willingly aid or assist in so altering, any form or request provided by the Government for requesting a common carrier to furnish transportation on account of the United States or any department or branch thereof, or whoever shall knowingly pass, utter, publish, or sell, or attempt to pass, utter, publish, or sell, any such false, forged counterfeited, or altered form or request, shall upon conviction be fined not more than \$5,000, or imprisoned not more than ten years, or both.*

Government transportation requests.  
Punishment for counterfeiting, altering, uttering, etc., of.