[CHAPTER 270]

AN ACT

Making appropriations to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1948, and for other purposes.

May 10, 1948
[H. R. 6055]
[Public Law 519]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following sums are appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to supply supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1948, and for other purposes, namely:

First Deficiency Appropriation Act, 1948.
Ante, p. 59; *post*, p. 1027.

LEGISLATIVE BRANCH

SENATE

Office of the Sergeant at Arms and Doorkeeper: For an amount necessary ($3,150) to pay the basic salaries from May 1 to June 30, 1948, inclusive, of the following positions: Clerks—one at $2,500; one at $2,400; four at $1,980 each; one at $1,950: *Provided*, That one position of clerk in folding room at $1,740 per annum be abolished after April 30, 1948; in all, $3,150; and the Legislative Branch Appropriation Act for the fiscal year 1948 hereby is amended accordingly.

61 Stat. 362.

CONTINGENT EXPENSES OF THE SENATE

Joint Committee on Foreign Economic Cooperation: For salaries and expenses of the Joint Committee on Foreign Economic Cooperation, as authorized by Public Law 472, Eightieth Congress, including per diem and subsistence expenses without regard to the Subsistence Expense Act of 1926, approved June 3, 1926, as amended, $20,000.

Ante, p. 157; *post*, pp. 1027, 1056.

44 Stat. 688.
5 U. S. C. § 821.

Furniture and repairs: For an additional amount for materials for furniture and repairs of same, exclusive of labor, and for the purchase of furniture, $2,500.

Stationery: For an additional allowance for stationery of $200 for each Senator and the President of the Senate, for the second session of the Eightieth Congress, $19,400, to remain available until December 31, 1948.

Post, pp. 425, 1027.

For stationery for committees and offices of the Senate, $2,500.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

For payment to Adah H. Zimmerman, widow of Orville Zimmerman, late a Representative from the State of Missouri, $12,500.

OFFICE OF THE CLERK

For the employment of ten additional telephone operators at the basic salary of $1,800 per annum, each, $4,500.

CONTINGENT EXPENSES OF THE HOUSE

The appropriation contained in Public Law 46 (Eightieth Congress) for the purchase of surplus property is also hereby made available for the purchase of such articles, material, supplies, and equipment through the Bureau of Federal Supply.

61 Stat. 58.

Stationery (revolving fund): For stationery allowance due duly elected Members of the House of Representatives by special elections, first session, Eightieth Congress, six at $300 each, to remain available until expended; in all, $1,800.

For the procurement of a portrait of Honorable Joseph W. Martin, Junior, Speaker of the House of Representatives, $2,500, to be disbursed by the Clerk of the House under the direction of the Speaker.

For payment to Thomas J. O'Brien, contestee, for expenses incurred in the contested election case of Woodward versus O'Brien as audited and recommended by the Committee on House Administration, $1,500, to be disbursed by the Clerk of the House.

TEMPORARY CONGRESSIONAL AVIATION POLICY BOARD

Ante, p. 60.

For an additional amount for salaries and expenses for completion of the work of the Temporary Congressional Aviation Policy Board created by the Act to establish a National Aviation Council, and for other purposes (Public Law 287, Eighteenth Congress), to be available until June 30, 1948, and to be disbursed by the Secretary of the Senate on vouchers approved by the Chairman, $5,000: *Provided*, That expenditures hereunder shall be made in accordance with the laws applicable to inquiries and investigations ordered by the Senate.

61 Stat. 676.
49 U. S. C., Supp. I, § 421 note.

ARCHITECT OF THE CAPITOL

CAPITOL BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS

Ante, p. 60.

Capitol Power Plant: For an additional amount for "Capitol Power Plant", $20,900.

LIBRARY OF CONGRESS

LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE SERVICE

Salaries: For an additional amount for "Salaries", $5,000, to be derived by transfer from "Miscellaneous and contingent expenses, Library of Congress, 1948"; and the limitation under this head in the Legislative Branch Appropriation Act, 1948, for preparation and reproduction of copies of the Digest of General Public Bills, is increased from "$25,000" to "$30,000".

61 Stat. 372.

GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE

WORKING CAPITAL AND CONGRESSIONAL PRINTING AND BINDING

Working capital and congressional printing and binding: For an additional amount for working capital and congressional printing and binding, $2,212,000; and the limitation under this head in the Legislative Branch Appropriation Act, 1948, on the amount available for printing and binding the supplements to the Code of Federal Regulations is increased from "$100,000" to "$125,000".

61 Stat. 375.

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF DOCUMENTS

Post, p. 1029.

General expenses: Surplus funds accumulated during the fiscal year 1948 through the operation of the working capital of the Government Printing Office (Public Printing and Binding, Government Printing Office, 1948) are hereby made available in the amount of $650,000 for transfer to the appropriation "General expenses, Office of the Superintendent of Documents, 1948", including the objects and subject to the conditions set forth under this head in the Legislative Branch Appropriation Act, 1948.

61 Stat. 376.

THE JUDICIARY

COURT OF CLAIMS

Salaries and expenses: The appropriation under this head in the Judiciary Appropriation Act, 1948, is hereby made available in an additional amount not to exceed $20,000, as may be necessary and approved by the chief justice, Court of Claims, for transfer to the appropriation "Repairs and improvements" for expenditure by the Architect of the Capitol for structural changes, alterations, and installations of fixtures in the Court of Claims buildings, necessary for the accommodations of the court.

61 Stat. 303.
Ante, p. 61

INDEPENDENT OFFICES

ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION

Salaries and expenses: The authorization under this head in the Independent Offices Appropriation Act, 1948, to enter into contracts for the purposes of the appropriation therein made, is hereby increased from "$250,000,000" to "$400,000,000".

61 Stat. 589.

FEDERAL POWER COMMISSION

Flood-control surveys: For an additional amount for "Flood-control surveys", $18,000, and the limitation under this head in the Independent Offices Appropriation Act, 1948, on the amount which may be expended for personal services in the District of Columbia, is increased from "$114,900" to "$120,000".

61 Stat. 591.

FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY

HOWARD UNIVERSITY

Construction of buildings: In addition to the appropriation of $1,377,920 contained in the Federal Security Agency Appropriation Act, 1947, for the construction of an engineering building and women's dormitory units on the grounds of Howard University, the Public Buildings Administration is authorized to enter into contracts for the purposes of said appropriation in an amount not to exceed $1,706,000: *Provided*, That no contract shall be entered into for such purposes which will result in a total cost to the Federal Government for completion of such buildings in excess of $1,788,000 for the engineering building and $1,378,000 for the women's dormitory units: *Provided further*, That the limitations on contract authority and total cost may be exceeded or shall be reduced by an amount equal to the percentage increase or decrease, if any, in construction costs generally dating from January 1, 1948, as determined by the Federal Works Administrator: *Provided further*, That transfers of funds may be made to the Public Buildings Administration, Federal Works Agency, of amounts appropriated for construction of these buildings.

60 Stat. 688.

Restrictions.

Transfer of funds.

PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

Public-health services, Philippine Islands: The maximum price limitations on the purchase of passenger motor vehicles established by or pursuant to section 202 of the Act of May 3, 1945 (59 Stat. 106, 131), or section 5 (c) (1) of the Act of July 16, 1914, as amended (5 U. S. C. 78), shall not be construed to be applicable to passenger

60 Stat. 810.

motor vehicles purchased in the Philippine Islands, during the calendar year 1946, by the Public Health Service for public-health work in such islands.

OFFICE OF VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION

Such sums as may be necessary (not exceeding $4,500,000) are hereby appropriated for making for the first quarter of the fiscal year 1949 payments to States in accordance with the Vocational Rehabilitation Act, as amended (29 U. S. C., ch. 4): *Provided*, That the obligations incurred and expenditures made for such purpose under the authority of this paragraph shall be charged to the appropriation therefor in the Labor-Federal Security Appropriation Act, 1949: *Provided further*, That the payments made pursuant to this paragraph shall not exceed the amount paid to the States for the first quarter of the fiscal year 1948 in accordance with such Vocational Rehabilitation Act.

57 Stat. 374.
29 U. S. C. §§ 31-41.

Post, p. 399.

SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION

Grants to States for unemployment compensation administration: For an additional amount for "Grants to States for unemployment compensation administration", $1,555,532.

Reconversion unemployment benefits for seamen: For an additional amount for "Reconversion unemployment benefits for seamen", $970,000.

OFFICE OF THE ADMINISTRATOR

Penalty mail: Not to exceed $365,000 may be transferred from the Federal old-age and survivors insurance trust fund to the appropriation "Penalty mail costs, Federal Security Agency, 1948".

61 Stat. 275.

FEDERAL WORKS AGENCY

PUBLIC BUILDINGS ADMINISTRATION

Plans for elimination of structural and fire hazards, Executive Mansion: For preparation of plans for the elimination of structural and fire hazards in the Executive Mansion, including a survey of the structural condition of the building; the preparation of drawings and specifications for replacement of the existing wooden second-floor structure by a fire-resistant type of construction and for the installation of equipment, devices, and means for modernization of the building; and the making of a report to the Congress of the scope and estimated cost of work required to execute such plans; $50,000, to remain available until expended.

Report to Congress.

BUREAU OF COMMUNITY FACILITIES

Maintenance and operation of schools: For an additional amount for "Maintenance and operation of schools", $2,000,000; and the limitation under this head in the Second Supplemental Appropriation Act, 1948, on the amount available for administrative expenses, is increased from "$50,000" to "$70,000".

61 Stat. 697.

HOUSING EXPEDITER

Salaries and expenses, Office of the Housing Expediter (Housing and Rent Act of 1948): For expenses necessary to carry out the provisions of the Housing and Rent Act of 1948 (Public Law 464, approved March 30, 1948), $2,000,000; and the unexpended balances of the appropriations "Salaries and expenses, Office of the Housing Expediter", in the Government Corporations Appropriation Act, 1948,

Ante, p. 93.

61 Stat. 574.

and "Salaries and expenses, Office of Rent Control", in the Supplemental Appropriation Act, 1948, are hereby consolidated with and made a part of this appropriation, the total thereof to be disbursed and accounted for as one fund which shall be available for all of the objects and purposes of said appropriations (except as such purposes may be limited by the Housing and Rent Act of 1948 or other law), and for a health-service program as authorized by law (5 U. S. C. 150): *Provided*, That the provision of the appropriation "Salaries and expenses, Office of the Housing Expediter", in the Government Corporations Appropriation Act, 1948, making $1,908,000 available exclusively for terminal leave, is hereby repealed: *Provided further*, That the limitation under the head "Salaries and expenses, Office of Rent Control", in the Supplemental Appropriation Act, 1948, on the amount available for deposit in the Treasury for penalty mail is increased from "$175,000" to "$245,000".

61 Stat. 616.
Ante, p. 93.
60 Stat. 903.
Repeal.
61 Stat. 574.
61 Stat. 616.

NATIONAL MEDIATION BOARD

Arbitration and emergency boards: For an additional amount for "Arbitration and emergency boards", $48,800.

NATIONAL RAILROAD ADJUSTMENT BOARD

Salaries and expenses: The limitation under this head in the National Mediation Board Appropriation Act, 1948, on the amount available for compensation and expenses of referees, is increased from "$65,000" to "$75,000".

61 Stat. 277.

THE TAX COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

Salaries and expenses: The limitation imposed by section 105 of the Independent Offices Appropriation Act, 1948, on the amount available for travel expenses under this head, is increased from "$20,000" to "$24,000".

61 Stat. 607.

UNITED STATES MARITIME COMMISSION

Amounts available to the Commission for personal services shall be available for additional temporary personal services in an amount not to exceed $259,000 from May 1, 1948, to June 30, 1948.

Maritime training: The limitation under this head in the Independent Offices Appropriation Act, 1948, on administrative expenses, is increased from "$250,000" to "$300,000", and the limitation under said head on transfers to appropriations of the Public Health Service is increased from "$64,000" to "$82,900".

61 Stat. 604.

War Shipping Administration functions: The sum of $4,650,000 of the operating receipts made available by the Second Supplemental Appropriation Act, 1948, and continued available by the Urgent Deficiency Appropriation Act, 1948, for salaries and general administrative expenses, shall be available until June 30, 1948, for carrying out the functions extended by the Act of February 27, 1948 (Public Law 423): *Provided*, That the limitation under the head "United States Maritime Commission" in the Urgent Deficiency Appropriation Act, 1948, on the use of operating receipts for "Cost of placing vessels into reserve fleet" is increased from "$6,103,000" to "$6,903,000".

61 Stat. 697.
Ante, p. 62.
Ante, p. 38.
Ante, p. 62.

War Shipping Administration liquidation: The appropriation to the Secretary of the Treasury in the Second Supplemental Appropriation Act, 1948, for liquidation of obligations found by the General Accounting Office to have been properly incurred against funds of the War Shipping Administration prior to January 1, 1947, is hereby continued available until June 30, 1948: *Provided*, That hereafter all moneys accruing to the United States Maritime Commission from

61 Stat. 698.

operations under the War Shipping Administration revolving fund prior to September 1, 1946 (including all moneys received from agent operators), shall be covered into the Treasury as miscellaneous receipts.

Vessel operating functions: The operating receipts made available to the United States Maritime Commission by the Act of July 23, 1946 (Public Law 521, Seventy-ninth Congress), are continued available for obligation until July 1, 1948, for the purpose of carrying out the operating functions transferred to the Maritime Commission by section 202 of the Naval Appropriation Act, 1947 (60 Stat. 501), as extended by the Act of February 26, 1947 (Public Law 6, Eightieth Congress), the Act of June 28, 1947 (Public Law 127, Eightieth Congress), and the Act of February 27, 1948 (Public Law 423, Eightieth Congress): *Provided*, That obligations incurred in carrying out such functions during the period April 1, 1948, through June 30, 1948, shall not exceed $17,600,000: *Provided further*, That the unobligated balance of such fund on June 30, 1948, shall be covered into the Treasury as miscellaneous receipts.

60 Stat. 614.

50 U. S. C. app. § 1291 note.

61 Stat. 6, 190.
50 U. S. C., Supp. I, app. §§ 1735 note, 1744, 1738.
Ante, p. 38.

VETERANS' ADMINISTRATION

Administration, medical, hospital, and domiciliary services: For an additional amount for administration including necessary contact representatives, medical, hospital, and domiciliary services, $3,000,000.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Capital outlay: Transfers may be made between limits of costs available in the fiscal year 1948 on projects chargeable against the general fund but the cost limitation for any one project shall not be increased by more than 10 per centum by such transfers.

REGULATORY AGENCIES

Office of Administrator of Rent Control: For an additional amount for "Office of Administrator of Rent Control", $10,210.

PUBLIC WORKS

Operating expenses, Refuse Division: For an additional amount for "Operating expenses, Refuse Division", $60,000.

NATIONAL GUARD

National Guard: For an additional amount for "National Guard", $17,500.

DIVISION OF EXPENSES

The sums appropriated in this Act for the District of Columbia shall, unless otherwise specifically provided, be paid out of the general fund of the District of Columbia, as defined in the District of Columbia Appropriation Act, 1948.

61 Stat. 425.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

RURAL ELECTRIFICATION ADMINISTRATION

Loans: The authorization under this head in the Department of Agriculture Appropriation Act, 1948, for borrowings from the Secretary of the Treasury under section 3 (a) of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, is increased from "$225,000,000" to "$400,000,000".

61 Stat. 546.

49 Stat. 1364.
7 U. S. C., Supp. I, § 903 (a).

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

Printing and binding: For an additional amount for "Printing and binding", $20,000.

Voluntary agreements and export controls: For expenses necessary for carrying out the provisions of sections 2 and 3 of the Act of December 30, 1947 (Public Law 395), relating to voluntary agreements and export controls, during the remainder of the fiscal year 1948, including personal services in the District of Columbia and temporary services as authorized by section 15 of the Act of August 2, 1946 (5 U. S. C. 55a), at rates not to exceed $35 per diem for individuals (unless a higher rate, not exceeding $50, shall be approved by the Director of the Bureau of the Budget); $225,000: *Provided*, That the authorization granted the Secretary of Commerce in the Third Supplemental Appropriation Act, 1948, with respect to utilization of funds for export controls and for allocation and inventory controls or voluntary agreements relating thereto, is extended from March 31 to June 30, 1948: *Provided further*, That of the total amount made available herein not to exceed $262,500 may be transferred to the Bureau of Customs, Treasury Department, for enforcement of the export-control program, and not to exceed $15,000 may be transferred to the appropriation under the head "Printing and binding" in the Department of Commerce Appropriation Act, 1948.

61 Stat. 945.
50 U. S. C., Supp. I, app. §§ 1912, 1913.
60 Stat. 810.
61 Stat. 943.
61 Stat. 294.

Materials distribution and liquidation of Office of Temporary Controls: For an additional amount for "Materials distribution and liquidation of Office of Temporary Controls", $46,000; and the amount made available under this head in the Supplemental Appropriation Act, 1948, for transfer to the appropriation "Salaries and expenses, Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce", is increased from "$500,000" to "$546,000".

61 Stat. 618.

The foregoing amounts for the Office of the Secretary shall be available for obligation from and including April 1, 1948.

Notwithstanding the provisions of the Department of Commerce Appropriation Act, 1948, for the furnishing of emergency medical services to employees in Alaska and other areas outside the United States on a reimbursable basis, the appropriations for "Salaries and expenses" of the Civil Aeronautics Administration, "Salaries and expenses" of the Civil Aeronautics Board, and "Salaries and expenses" of the Weather Bureau, shall be available in an amount not to exceed $10,000 during the fiscal year 1948 for furnishing such services without charge when authorized or approved by the Secretary of Commerce.

61 Stat. 301.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

OIL AND GAS DIVISION

Oil and Gas Division: For an additional amount for "Oil and Gas Division", $25,000.

CONTINGENT EXPENSES, DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Penalty mail costs: For an additional amount for "Penalty mail costs", $35,000.

BONNEVILLE POWER ADMINISTRATION

Construction, operation, and maintenance, Bonneville power transmission system: For an additional amount for "Construction, operation, and maintenance, Bonneville power transmission system", $665,000, to remain available until expended, and to be subject to such limitations and restrictions, except as to operation and maintenance and personal services in the District of Columbia, as may be applicable to appropriations for this purpose in the Interior Department Appropriation Act, 1948, or other law and the limitation under this head in the Interior Department Appropriation Act, 1948, on the amount available for operation and maintenance of the Bonneville transmission system, is increased from "$2,500,000" to "$2,640,000", and the limitation under said head on the amount available for personal services in the District of Columbia is increased from "$24,000" to "$24,500": *Provided*, That in addition to the contract authorizations contained in the Interior Department Appropriation Act, 1948, and the Supplemental Appropriation Act, 1948, the Administrator is authorized to contract in the fiscal year 1948 for materials, equipment, and services for power transmission facilities in an amount not in excess of $1,475,000.

61 Stat. 462.

61 Stat. 462.
61 Stat. 620.

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

The limitations under the head "Salaries and expenses" in the Interior Department Appropriation Act, 1948, and under the head "Management, protection, and disposal of public lands" in the Interior Department Appropriation Act, 1948, as increased by the Second Supplemental Appropriation Act, 1948, on the amounts available for carrying out the provisions of the Act of June 28, 1934 (43 U. S. C. 8A), as amended, shall be exclusive of those classes of expenses which were incurred prior to the adoption of Reorganization Plan Numbered 3 of 1946, by the General Land Office in carrying out certain provisions of said Act.

61 Stat. 463.
61 Stat. 463.
61 Stat. 699.
48 Stat. 1269.
43 U. S. C. §§ 315-315q; Supp. I, §§ 315b-315q.
Post, pp. 533, 277.
60 Stat. 1100.
5 U. S. C. § 133y-16 note.

Management, protection, and disposal of public lands: The limitation under this head in the Interior Department Appropriation Act, 1948, on the amount available for the administration of district land offices, is increased from "$310,000" to "$325,000".

61 Stat. 463.

Fire fighting: For an additional amount for "Fire fighting", $95,000.

Payment to Oklahoma from royalties, oil and gas, south half of Red River: For an additional amount, fiscal year 1947, for "Payment to Oklahoma from royalties, oil and gas, south half of Red River", $379.24.

BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

Salaries and expenses, Reservation Administration: For an additional amount for "Salaries and expenses, Reservation Administration", including the objects specified under this head in the Interior Department Appropriation Act, 1948, $1,000.

61 Stat. 465.

Emergency work program, Navajo and Hopi Indians: For expenses necessary for administering and carrying out a work program for the Navajo and Hopi Indians, in accordance with the Act of December 19, 1947 (Public Law 390), including personal services in the District of Columbia; printing and binding; $1,000,000, to remain available until June 30, 1949, of which amount not to exceed $100,000 shall be available for loans to the Navajo and Hopi Tribes, members or association of members thereof for the purchase of milk animals.

61 Stat. 940.

Suppressing forest and range fires: For an additional amount for "Suppressing forest and range fires", $25,000.

Construction, and so forth, irrigation systems: For an additional amount for the construction, rehabilitation, and improvement of irrigation systems on Indian reservations, including the same objects and limitations under this head in the Interior Department Appropriation Act, 1948, to remain available until completion of the project, as follows: 61 Stat. 467.

Montana: Flathead, $125,000.

Construction, and so forth, buildings and utilities: For an additional amount for "Construction, and so forth, buildings and utilities", for the item "Alaska", $716,000.

MISCELLANEOUS INDIAN TRIBAL FUNDS

Suppressing forest and range fires (tribal funds): For an additional amount for "Suppressing forest and range fires (tribal funds)", $25,000.

BUREAU OF RECLAMATION

CONSTRUCTION

Construction: For an additional amount for "Construction", out of the reclamation fund created by the Act of June 17, 1902, as amended (43 U. S. C. 391), for construction and continuation of construction of the following projects in not to exceed the following amounts, to remain available until expended, and to be subject to such limitations and restrictions as may be applicable to appropriations for such purposes in the Interior Department Appropriation Act, 1948, or other law, all to be reimbursable (except as otherwise provided by law) under the reclamation laws: 32 Stat. 388. 61 Stat. 473.

Boise project, Idaho, Anderson Ranch dam, $700,000;

Boise project, Idaho, Payette division, $800,000;

Rathdrum Prairie project, Idaho, $109,500 to be available for emergency rehabilitation of the works of the Hayden Lake unit.

GENERAL FUND, CONSTRUCTION

General fund, construction: For additional amounts for continuation of construction of the following projects, to remain available until expended, and to be subject to such limitations and restrictions as may be applicable to appropriations for such purposes in the Interior Department Appropriation Act, 1948, or other law, as follows: 61 Stat. 475.

Colorado-Big Thompson project, Colorado, $3,000,000;

Central Valley project, California, irrigation facilities, $1,000,000.

OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE

Parker Dam power project, Arizona-California: For an additional amount for "Parker Dam power project, Arizona-California", from power and other revenues, $726,000.

North Platte project, Nebraska-Wyoming: For an additional amount for "North Platte project, Nebraska-Wyoming" from power revenues, $56,800, of which $25,000 is for payment of a claim under part 2 of the Federal Tort Claims Act of August 2, 1946 (28 U. S. C. 921). 60 Stat. 843. *Post*, p. 1008.

COLORADO RIVER DAM FUND

Boulder Canyon project: For an additional amount for "Boulder Canyon project", payable from the Colorado River dam fund, $49,000.

Boulder Canyon project: For payment to the Boulder City School District in accordance with the provisions of S. 1985, $39,000, payable from the Colorado River dam fund. *Post*, pp. 235, 1130.

GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

Gaging streams: For an additional amount for "Gaging streams", $485,000, for cooperation with States or municipalities.

BUREAU OF MINES

Synthetic liquid fuels: For an additional amount for "Synthetic liquid fuels", $4,000,000, to remain available until expended, for the payment of obligations incurred under the contract authorization under this head in the Interior Department Appropriation Act, 1946.

59 Stat. 346.

NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

Emergency reconstruction and fighting forest fires: For an additional amount for "Emergency reconstruction and fighting forest fires", $500,000, of which $400,000 shall be available until June 30, 1949, in the Acadia National Park, Maine, for fighting forest fires, reforestation, forest clean-up, and repair and reconstruction of buildings and facilities damaged or destroyed by fire: *Provided*, That the provisions of section 1 of the Act of August 24, 1912, as amended (16 U. S. C. 451), shall not apply to reconstruction of buildings in said park under this appropriation.

37 Stat. 460.

FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE

SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Alaska fisheries: For an additional amount for "Alaska fisheries", $50,000.

GOVERNMENT IN THE TERRITORIES

TERRITORY OF ALASKA

Insane of Alaska: For an additional amount for "Insane of Alaska", $112,200.

Construction and maintenance of roads, bridges, and trails, Alaska: For an additional amount for the construction, repair, and maintenance of roads, tramways, buildings, ferries, bridges, and trails, Territory of Alaska, $7,370,000, to remain available until expended; and in addition, the Secretary or, at his request, the Commissioner of Public Roads, Federal Works Agency, is authorized to incur obligations and enter into contracts for additional work, materials, and equipment for the purposes of this appropriation in an amount not to exceed $4,000,000.

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

LEGAL ACTIVITIES AND GENERAL ADMINISTRATION

Printing and binding: For an additional amount for "Printing and binding", $150,000.

Salaries and expenses, Lands Division: For an additional amount, fiscal year 1942, for "Salaries and expenses, Lands Division", $150.50.

Post, p. 1041.

Miscellaneous salaries and expenses, field: For an additional amount, fiscal year 1945, for "Miscellaneous salaries and expenses, field", $864.76.

Post, p. 1041.

Salaries and expenses of marshals, and so forth: For an additional amount, fiscal year 1947, for "Salaries and expenses of marshals, and so forth", $155,000.

Fees of witnesses: The limitation under this head in the Department

of Justice Appropriation Act, 1948, on the amount available for such compensation and expenses of witnesses or informants as may be authorized or approved by the Attorney General or his administrative assistant is increased from "$25,000" to "$50,000". 61 Stat. 290. *Post*, p. 1041.

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS

Salaries and expenses: The limitation under this head in the Second Supplemental Appropriation Act, 1948, on the amount which may be expended for personal services in the District of Columbia, is increased from "$2,327,700" to "$2,530,000". 61 Stat. 700.

UNITED STATES EMPLOYMENT SERVICE

General administration: For an additional amount for "general administration", $40,800.

Grants to States for public employment offices: For an additional amount for "Grants to States for public employment offices", $1,234,815.

NATIONAL MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY—MILITARY FUNCTIONS

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY

Penalty Mail, Military Functions

Penalty mail: For deposit in the Treasury for penalty mail of the Department of the Army, military functions (39 U. S. C. 321d), $4,500,000. 58 Stat. 394. *Post*, p. 1049.

CORPS OF ENGINEERS

ENGINEER SERVICE, ARMY

Engineer Service: For an additional amount for "Engineer Service", including construction of buildings and facilities, $1,500,000. *Post*, pp. 259, 1041.

UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY

Pay of Military Academy

Cadets: For an additional amount for "Cadets", $83,488.

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY—CIVIL FUNCTIONS

CORPS OF ENGINEERS

Rivers and Harbors

Maintenance and improvement of existing river and harbor works: For an additional amount for "Maintenance and improvement of existing river and harbor works", $1,865,000.

Flood Control

Flood control, general: For an additional amount for "Flood control, general", $1,000,000.

PENALTY MAIL, CIVIL FUNCTIONS

58 Stat. 394.
Post, p. 1049.

Penalty mail: For deposit in the Treasury for penalty mail of the Department of the Army, civil functions (39 U. S. C. 321d), $133,000.

GOVERNMENT AND RELIEF IN OCCUPIED AREAS

Government and relief in occupied areas: For an additional amount for "Government and relief in occupied areas", $143,000,000, to be derived by transfer from the appropriation "Pay of the Army, 1948".

61 Stat. 552.

DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY—NAVAL ESTABLISHMENT

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

Penalty Mail

58 Stat. 394.
Post, p. 1049.

Penalty mail: For deposit in the Treasury for penalty mail of the Navy Department and the Naval Establishment (39 U. S. C. 321d), $2,957,000.

BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL

Training, Education, and Welfare, Navy

Naval training station, San Diego, California: For an additional amount for the naval training station at San Diego, California, $120,000, to be derived by transfer from the appropriation "Officer candidate training, 1948".

61 Stat. 384.

Naval training station, Great Lakes, Illinois: For an additional amount for the naval training station at Great Lakes, Illinois, $165,000, to be derived by transfer from the appropriation "Officer candidate training, 1948".

61 Stat. 384.

Naval Academy

Naval Academy: For an additional amount for Naval Academy, $114,000, to be derived by transfer from the appropriation "Officer candidate training, 1948".

61 Stat. 384.

Naval Home, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Naval Home, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania: For an additional amount for Naval Home, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, $6,450, to be derived by transfer from the appropriation "Officer candidate training, 1948".

61 Stat. 384.

BUREAU OF SHIPS

Maintenance, Bureau of Ships

Of the unexpended balance of the appropriation "Maintenance, Bureau of Ships, 1948", not to exceed $20,000,000 may be used to liquidate contract obligations of the appropriation "Maintenance, Bureau of Ships, 1946".

61 Stat. 385.
59 Stat. 205.

BUREAU OF YARDS AND DOCKS

Public Works, Bureau of Yards and Docks

Public works, Bureau of Yards and Docks: The Secretary of the Navy is authorized to enter into contracts and to liquidate such contracts from the currently available balance of funds heretofore appropriated for naval public works, as follows:

Naval base, Guam: Acquisition of land as authorized by the Act of August 2, 1946 (60 Stat. 803), $1,600,000;

Postgraduate school, Monterey, California: Postgraduate school facilities, including the necessary construction and alterations to provide school facilities, quarters, and collateral facilities and equipment, and the acquisition of the necessary land, all as authorized by the Act of July 31, 1947 (Public Law 302), $2,500,000.

61 Stat. 705.
34 U. S. C., Supp. I, § 1076 note.

POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT

(Out of the Postal Revenues)

POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

CONTINGENT EXPENSES, POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT

Contingent and miscellaneous expenses: For an additional amount for "Contingent and miscellaneous expenses", $12,800.

Printing and binding: For an additional amount for "Printing and binding", $270,000.

Post, p. 1045.

FIELD SERVICE, POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT

OFFICE OF THE FIRST ASSISTANT POSTMASTER GENERAL

Compensation to postmasters: For an additional amount, fiscal year 1947, for "Compensation to postmasters", $1,000,000, to be derived by transfer from the appropriations "Clerks, first- and second-class post offices, 1947", $300,000, and "City Delivery Carriers, 1947", $700,000.

60 Stat. 582.

Clerks, first- and second-class post offices: For an additional amount for "Clerks, first- and second-class post offices", $32,000,000.

Carfare and bicycle allowance: For an additional amount for "Carfare and bicycle allowance", $175,000.

City delivery carriers: For an additional amount for "City delivery carriers", $16,000,000.

OFFICE OF THE SECOND ASSISTANT POSTMASTER GENERAL

Star-route service: For an additional amount for "Star-route service", $665,000.

Star-route and air-mail service, Alaska: For an additional amount for "Star-route and air-mail service, Alaska", $422,800.

Star-route and air-mail service, Alaska: For an additional amount, fiscal year 1947, for "Star-route and air-mail service, Alaska", $224,500, to be derived by transfer from the appropriation "Railway Mail Service, 1947".

60 Stat. 582.

Star-route and air-mail service, Alaska: For an additional amount, fiscal year 1946, for "Star-route and air-mail service, Alaska", $42,000, to be derived by transfer from the appropriation "Powerboat Service, 1946".

59 Stat. 71.

Powerboat service: For an additional amount for "Powerboat service", $95,000.

Railroad transportation and mail messenger service: For an additional amount for "Railroad transportation and mail messenger service", $59,700,000.

Railroad transportation and mail messenger service: For an additional amount, fiscal year 1947, for "Railroad transportation and mail messenger service", $14,300,000.

Railway mail service: For an additional amount for "Railway mail service", $2,200,000.

Railway postal clerks, travel allowance: For an additional amount for "Railway postal clerks, travel allowance", $75,000.

Post, p. 1045.

Foreign mail transportation: For an additional amount for "Foreign mail transportation", $8,000,000.

OFFICE OF THE THIRD ASSISTANT POSTMASTER GENERAL

Unpaid money orders more than one year old: For an additional amount for "Unpaid money orders more than one year old", $300,000.

OFFICE OF THE FOURTH ASSISTANT POSTMASTER GENERAL

Post, p. 1046.

Post Office stationery, equipment, and supplies: For an additional amount for "Post Office stationery, equipment, and supplies", $815,000.

Equipment shops, Washington, District of Columbia: For an additional amount for "Equipment shops, Washington, District of Columbia", $425,000.

Post, p. 1046.

Vehicle service: For an additional amount for "Vehicle service", $3,277,000.

Transportation of equipment and supplies: For an additional amount for "Transportation of equipment and supplies", $89,000.

Public Buildings, Maintenance and Operation

Post, p. 1046.

Operating supplies, public buildings: For an additional amount for "Operating supplies, public buildings", $465,000, of which $100,000 is to be derived by transfer from the appropriation "Operating force, public buildings, 1948".

61 Stat. 232.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

DEPARTMENT SERVICE

61 Stat. 279.

Salaries and expenses, Department of State: The limitation under this head in the Department of State Appropriation Act, 1948, on dues for library membership in societies or associations which issue publications to members only, or at a price to members lower than to subscribers who are not members, newspapers, teletype rentals, and tolls, is increased from "$65,000" to "$80,000".

INTERNATIONAL OBLIGATIONS AND ACTIVITIES

International activities: For an additional amount for international activities, $400,000.

Post, p. 312.

International information and educational activities: For expenses necessary to enable the Department of State to carry out international information and educational activities as authorized by the United States Information and Educational Exchange Act of 1948 (Public Law 402, approved January 27, 1948), including personal services in the District of Columbia; employment, without regard to the civil-service and classification laws, of persons on a temporary basis (not to exceed $30,000) and aliens within the United States; salaries, expenses, and allowances of personnel and dependents as authorized by the Foreign Service Act of 1946 (22 U. S. C. 801–1158), except title VII and title VIII; printing and binding; hire of passenger motor vehicles; services as authorized by section 15 of the Act of August 2, 1946 (5 U. S. C. 55a); radio activities and acquisition and production of motion pictures and visual materials and purchase or rental of technical equipment and facilities therefor, narration and script-

Ante, p. 6.

60 Stat. 999.
60 Stat. 1018, 1019.
22 U. S. C. §§ 1041–1047, 1061–1116.
60 Stat. 810.

writing, by contract or otherwise, acquisition of printed materials, purchase of objects for presentation to foreign governments, schools, or organizations, and information and educational activities outside the continental United States, all without regard to section 3709 of the Revised Statutes; $3,000,000, of which not to exceed $65,000 may be transferred to other appropriations of the Department of State: *Provided*, That, notwithstanding the provisions of section 3679 of the Revised Statutes (31 U. S. C. 665), the Department of State is authorized in making contracts for the use of the international short-wave radio stations and facilities, to agree on behalf of the United States to indemnify the owners and operators of said radio stations and facilities from such funds as may be hereafter appropriated for the purpose against loss or damage on account of injury to persons or property arising from such use of said radio stations and facilities: *Provided further*, That in the acquisition of leasehold interests payments may be made in advance for the entire term or any part thereof: *Provided further*, That appropriations now available for any of the purposes of this appropriation shall continue to be available for such purposes: *Provided further*, That $1,600,000 of this appropriation shall be available, without regard to section 3709 of the Revised Statutes, exclusively for the purchase, construction, and improvement of buildings and facilities, purchase and installation of necessary equipment for radio transmission and reception, and the acquisition of land and interest in land outside the continental United States by purchase, lease, rental, or otherwise, without regard to section 355 of the Revised Statutes, but title to any land so acquired shall be approved by the Secretary of State: *Provided further*, That not to exceed $100,000 of this appropriation shall be available until June 30, 1949, for the expenses of moving certain offices and equipment of the international information program and the offices and equipment of related activities, including the expenses of restoring the vacated building space to such condition as may be required under existing leases, and installing necessary broadcasting facilities in and altering and repairing the space to be occupied without regard to section 322 of the Act of June 30, 1932, as amended (40 U. S. C. 278a): *Provided further*, That $60,000 of this appropriation shall be available exclusively for activities authorized by titles II, III, and IV of the United States Information and Educational Exchange Act of 1948: *Provided further*, That funds herein appropriated shall not be used to purchase more than 75 per centum of the effective daily broadcasting time from any person or corporation holding an international short-wave broadcasting license from the Federal Communications Commission without the consent of such licensee.

41 U. S. C. § 5.

Contracts for short-wave radio stations.

41 U. S. C. § 5.

50 U. S. C. § 175.

47 Stat. 412.

Ante, pp. 7, 8.

Salaries and expenses, American sections, international commissions: The amount made available under this head in the Department of State Appropriation Act, 1948, for the International Joint Commission, United States and Canada, is increased from "$37,200" to "$38,700"; and the amount made available under said head for special and technical investigations in connection with matters falling within the jurisdiction of the International Joint Commission, United States and Canada, is decreased from "$191,017" to "$189,517".

61 Stat. 285.

GENERAL PROVISION—DEPARTMENT OF STATE

The funds (not to exceed $4,000,000) and authority available to the Secretary of State pursuant to the Act of March 11, 1941 (55 Stat. 31), as amended, to carry out the agreement of December 31, 1943, between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of Liberia for the construction of the port, port

22 U. S. C. §§ 411-419; Supp. I, § 415.
58 Stat. 1357.

facilities, and access roads in Monrovia, Liberia, which have been heretofore partially constructed, shall remain available for such purpose until June 30, 1950.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

FISCAL SERVICE

BUREAU OF ACCOUNTS

Refund of moneys erroneously received and covered: For an additional amount for "Refund of moneys erroneously received and covered", $300,000, to be derived by transfer from the appropriation "Refunds under Renegotiation Act, 1948".

61 Stat. 623.

Payment of certified claims: For an additional amount for "Payment of certified claims", $1,000,000, to be derived by transfer from the appropriation "Refunds under Renegotiation Act, 1948".

61 Stat. 623.

BUREAU OF THE PUBLIC DEBT

Distinctive paper for United States currency: For an additional amount for "Distinctive paper for United States currency", $361,000, to be derived by transfer from the appropriation "Administering the Public Debt, 1948".

61 Stat. 218.

BUREAU OF CUSTOMS

Collecting the revenue from customs: Funds appropriated under this head for the fiscal year 1948 are hereby made available for the payment to bridge, tunnel, and ferry companies, of claims for refund of reimbursements of extra compensation of customs officers and employees for inspectional services in connection with traffic over highways, toll bridges, toll tunnels, or ferries, as required by section 2 of the Act of June 3, 1944 (19 U. S. C. 1451a).

58 Stat. 270.

Refunds and draw-backs: For an additional amount, for "Refunds and draw-backs", $4,500,000.

BUREAU OF INTERNAL REVENUE

Salaries and expenses: The limitation under this head in the Treasury Department Appropriation Act, 1948, on the amount available for printing and binding, is increased from "$2,530,000" to "$2,670,000".

61 Stat. 220.

Ante, p. 109.

Refunding internal revenue collections: For an additional amount for "Refunding internal revenue collections", $568,000,000.

BUREAU OF ENGRAVING AND PRINTING

Salaries and expenses: For an additional amount for "Salaries and expenses", $1,250,000, to be derived by transfer from the appropriation "Administering the Public Debt, 1948".

61 Stat. 218.

SECRET SERVICE DIVISION

Reimbursement to District of Columbia, benefit payments to White House Police and Secret Service forces: For an additional amount for "Reimbursement to District of Columbia, benefit payments to White House Police and Secret Service forces", $10,700, to be derived by transfer from the appropriation "Salaries and expenses, guard force, Treasury Department, 1948".

61 Stat. 222.

TITLE II

CLAIMS FOR DAMAGES, JUDGMENTS, AND AUDITED CLAIMS

For payment of claims for damages as settled and determined by departments and agencies in accord with law, audited claims certified to be due by the General Accounting Office, and judgments rendered against the United States by United States district courts and the United States Court of Claims, as set forth in Senate Document Numbered 132 and House Document Numbered 544, Eightieth Congress, $16,047,956.34, together with such amounts as may be necessary to pay interest (as and when specified in such judgments or in certain of the settlements of the General Accounting Office or provided by law) and such additional sums due to increases in rates of exchange as may be necessary to pay claims in foreign currency: *Provided*, That no judgment herein appropriated for shall be paid until it shall have become final and conclusive against the United States by failure of the parties to appeal or otherwise: *Provided further*, That, unless otherwise specifically required by law or by the judgment, payment of interest wherever appropriated for herein shall not continue for more than thirty days after the date of approval of this Act.

TITLE III—REDUCTION IN APPROPRIATION

INDEPENDENT OFFICES

FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY

Office of the Administrator

Penalty mail: The amount made available under this head in the Federal Security Agency Appropriation Act, 1948, is reduced by the amount of $275,000, said amount to be carried to the surplus fund and covered into the Treasury immediately upon the approval of this Act. 61 Stat. 275.

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY—MILITARY FUNCTIONS

The amounts made available under the following heads in the Military Appropriation Act, 1948, are reduced by the amounts indicated, said amounts to be carried to the surplus fund and covered into the Treasury immediately upon the approval of this Act: 61 Stat. 551.

Finance Service, Army:
- Pay of the Army, $32,300,000;
- Travel of the Army, $11,000,000.

Medical and Hospital Department, Army, $10,500,000.
Chemical Service, Army, $270,000.
Reserve Officers Training Corps, $3,000,000.

DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY

BUREAU OF YARDS AND DOCKS

Public Works, Bureau of Yards and Docks

The unfinanced contract authority provided under this head prior to July 1, 1946, is reduced by the amount of $205,071,294.

TITLE IV—GENERAL PROVISIONS

Persons engaging, etc., in strikes against or advocating overthrow of U. S. Government.

SEC. 401. No part of any appropriation contained in this Act shall be used to pay the salary or wages of any person who engages in a strike against the Government of the United States or who is a member of an organization of Government employees that asserts the right to strike against the Government of the United States, or who advocates, or is a member of an organization that advocates, the overthrow of the Government of the United States by force or violence: *Provided*, That for the purposes hereof an affidavit shall be considered prima facie evidence that the person making the affidavit has not, contrary to the provisions of this section, engaged in a strike against the Government of the United States, is not a member of an organization of Government employees that asserts the right to strike against the Government of the United States, or that such person does not advocate, and is not a member of an organization that advocates, the overthrow of the Government of the United States by force or violence: *Provided further*, That any person who engages in a strike against the Government of the United States or who is a member of an organization of Government employees that asserts the right to strike against the Government of the United States, or who advocates, or who is a member of an organization that advocates, the overthrow of the Government of the United States by force or violence and accepts employment the salary or wages for which are paid from any appropriation contained in this Act shall be guilty of a felony and, upon conviction, shall be fined not more than $1,000 or imprisoned for not more than one year, or both: *Provided further*, That the above penalty clause shall be in addition to, and not in substitution for, any other provisions of existing law.

Affidavit.

Penalty.

Short title.

SEC. 402. This Act may be cited as the "First Deficiency Appropriation Act, 1948".

Approved May 10, 1948.

[CHAPTER 275]

May 11, 1948
[S. 1611]
[Public Law 520]

AN ACT

To extend the time for completing the construction of a bridge across the Mississippi River at or near Sauk Rapids, Minnesota.

Mississippi River. Bridge at Sauk Rapids, Minn., time extension.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the time for completing the construction of a bridge across the Mississippi River, at or near Sauk Rapids, Minnesota, authorized to be built by the Minnesota Department of Highways and the counties of Benton and Stearns in Minnesota, by an Act of Congress approved October 9, 1940, heretofore extended by an Act of Congress approved June 1, 1944, is hereby extended three years from October 9, 1946.

54 Stat. 1061.

58 Stat. 266.

SEC. 2. The right to alter, amend, or repeal this Act is hereby expressly reserved.

Approved May 11, 1948.

[CHAPTER 276]

May 11, 1948
[S. 1648]
[Public Law 521]

AN ACT

To authorize the expenditure of income from Federal Prison Industries, Incorporated, for training of Federal prisoners.

Federal Prison Industries, Inc. Expenditures.
Post, pp. 866, 1194.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the provisions of the Act of May 27, 1930 (46 Stat. 391; 18 U. S. C. 744 a–h), relating to the training and schooling of prisoners in trades and occupations