

# PUBLIC LAWS OF THE SEVENTY-SECOND CONGRESS

OF THE

## UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

*Passed at the first session, which was begun and held at the city of Washington, in the District of Columbia, on Monday, the seventh day of December, 1931, and was adjourned without day on Saturday, the sixteenth day of July, 1932.*

HERBERT HOOVER, President; CHARLES CURTIS, Vice President; GEORGE H. MOSES, President of the Senate *pro tempore*; JOHN N. GARNER, Speaker of the House of Representatives; HENRY T. RAINEY, Speaker of the House of Representatives *pro tempore*, June 13 to 18, 1932; WILLIAM B. BANKHEAD, Speaker of the House of Representatives *pro tempore*, June 20, 1932; JOHN McDUFFIE, Speaker of the House of Representatives *pro tempore*, July 16, 1932.

### [CHAPTER 1.]

#### JOINT RESOLUTION

To permit the temporary entry into the United States under certain conditions of alien participants and officials of the Third Olympic Winter Games and of the games of the Tenth Olympiad to be held in the United States in 1932.

December 19, 1931.

[H. J. Res. 72.]

[Pub. Res., No. 1.]

*Resolved by the Senate and the House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That alien participants, officials, and other accredited members of delegations to the Third Olympic Winter Games and to the games of the Tenth Olympiad to be held in the United States in 1932, and members of the immediate families and servants of the foregoing, all the foregoing who are nonimmigrants, if otherwise admissible into the United States under the immigration laws, shall be exempted from the payment of the tax of \$8 prescribed by section 2 of the Immigration Act of 1917, and exempted from the fees prescribed under the law to be collected in connection with executing an application for a visa and visaing the passport or other travel document of an alien for the purpose of entering the United States as a nonimmigrant, and such aliens shall not be required to present official passports issued by the governments to which they owe allegiance: *Provided*, That such aliens shall be in possession of official Olympic games identity cards duly visaed without charge by American consular officers abroad: *And provided further*, That such aliens shall comply with regulations not inconsistent with the foregoing provisions which shall be prescribed by the Secretary of Labor and the Secretary of State: *Provided, however*, That nothing herein shall relieve an alien from being required to obtain a gratis nonimmigrant visa if coming to the United States as a nonimmigrant, or an immigration visa if coming to the United States as an immigrant: Be it further*

Olympic games, 1932. Temporary admission into United States of alien participants, etc.

Exempted from tax, etc. Vol. 39, p. 875. U. S. C. p. 130.

Passports.

*Provisos*. Identification required.

Regulations to be prescribed.

Visa requirements.

Entry of personal effects, etc.

*Resolved*, That such aliens shall be permitted the free entry of their personal effects and their equipment to be used in connection with the games, under such regulations as may be prescribed by the Secretary of the Treasury.

Approved, December 19, 1931.

## [CHAPTER 2.]

## JOINT RESOLUTION

December 21, 1931.  
[S. J. Res. 39.]  
[Pub. Res., No. 2.]

Extending the time within which the War Policies Commission is required to submit its final report.

War Policies Commission.  
Time for submitting report by extended.  
Vol. 46, p. 826, amended.

*Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the time within which the War Policies Commission, created by Public Resolution Numbered 98, Seventy-first Congress, approved June 27, 1930, was required to submit its final report to the Congress be, and the same is hereby, extended ninety days.

Approved, December 21, 1931.

## [CHAPTER 3.]

## JOINT RESOLUTION

December 21, 1931.  
[H. J. Res. 141.]  
[Pub. Res., No. 3.]

To provide additional appropriations for the Veterans' Administration for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1932.

Veterans' Administration.  
Additional appropriations for objects specified.

*Resolved 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, for the Veterans' Administration for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1932, namely:

Adjusted-service certificate fund.  
Vol. 43, p. 128.  
U. S. C., pp. 1229-1234; Supp. V, pp. 576-580.

Adjusted-service certificate fund: For an additional amount necessary under the World War Adjusted Compensation Act (U. S. C., title 38, secs. 591-683; Supp. V, title 38, secs. 612-682), to provide for the payment of the face value of each adjusted-service certificate in twenty years from its date or on the prior death of the veteran, and to make loans to veterans and repayments to banks, in accordance with section 507 of the Act, as amended, \$200,000,000, to remain available until expended.

Vol. 46, p. 1429.

Adjusted-service and dependent pay.

Adjusted-service and dependent pay: For an additional amount for "Adjusted-service and dependent pay, Veterans' Bureau," and for reimbursing the adjusted-service certificate fund the amount of disbursements heretofore made therefrom and properly chargeable to the appropriation "Adjusted-service and dependent pay," \$3,925,000, to remain available until expended.

Hospital and domiciliary facilities and services.  
Vol. 46, p. 1550.  
U. S. C. Supp. V, p. 565.

Hospital and domiciliary facilities and services: For carrying out the provisions of the Acts entitled "An Act to authorize an appropriation to provide additional hospital, domiciliary, and out-patient dispensary facilities for persons entitled to hospitalization under the World War Veterans' Act, 1924, as amended, and for other purposes," approved March 4, 1931 (46 Stat. 1550); "An Act to establish a branch home of the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers in one of the Northwest Pacific States," approved July 3, 1930 (46 Stat. 852); and "An Act to provide for the establishment of a branch home of the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers in one of the Southern States," approved June 21, 1930 (46 Stat. 792), the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs is hereby authorized, subject to the limitations imposed by such Acts, to enter into contracts and incur obligations in the full amount of the authorizations provided therein.

Volunteer Soldiers' Home branches. Establishment, etc.  
Vol. 46, pp. 852, 792.  
U. S. C. Supp. V, p. 566.

Contracts authorized.

Approved, December 21, 1931.