

## [CHAPTER 389]

## AN ACT

To authorize payments to the public school district or districts serving the Fort Peck project, Montana, for the education of dependents of persons engaged on that project.

June 3, 1948  
[H. R. 4201]  
[Public Law 586]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That, under regulations prescribed by the Secretary of the Army, payments may be made, in advance or otherwise, from any funds available for the Fort Peck project, Montana, to the school district or districts serving that project as reimbursement for educational facilities (including, where appropriate, transportation to and from school) furnished by the said district or districts to pupils who are dependents of persons engaged in the construction, operation, and maintenance of the project and living at or near Fort Peck upon real property of the United States not subject to taxation by State or local agencies and upon which payments in lieu of taxes are not made by the United States, which payments for any school year shall not exceed that part of the cost of operating and maintaining such facilities which the number of pupils aforesaid in average daily attendance during that year bears to the whole number of pupils in average daily attendance at those schools during that year: *Provided*, That of the whole amount so paid in any fiscal year, the Bureau of Reclamation, Department of the Interior, shall reimburse the Secretary of the Army from the continuing fund provided in Section 10 of the Act of May 18, 1938 (52 Stat. 403), that part which is properly chargeable as an operation expense incident to the generation and transmission of power delivered to the Bureau under that Act.

Fort Peck project,  
Mont.  
Payments to school  
districts.

Reimbursement to  
Secretary of Army.

16 U. S. C. § 833i.

Approved June 3, 1948.

## [CHAPTER 390]

## AN ACT

To provide for the distribution, promotion, separation, and retirement of commissioned officers of the Coast and Geodetic Survey, and for other purposes.

June 3, 1948  
[H. R. 4393]  
[Public Law 587]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

## SHORT TITLE

SECTION 1. That this Act may be cited as the "Coast and Geodetic Survey Commissioned Officers' Act of 1948".

Coast and Geodetic  
Survey Commissioned  
Officers' Act of 1948.

## AUTHORIZED NUMBERS IN GRADES

SEC. 2. (a) Of the total authorized number of commissioned officers on the active list of the Coast and Geodetic Survey, there are authorized numbers in permanent grade, in relative rank with officers of the Navy, in the proportion of eight in the grade of captain, to fourteen in the grade of commander, to nineteen in the grade of lieutenant commander, to twenty-three in the grade of lieutenant, to eighteen in the grade of lieutenant (junior grade), to eighteen in the grade of ensign.

(b) Whenever a final fraction occurs in computing the authorized number of officers in any grade, the nearest whole number shall be taken, and if such fraction be one-half the next higher whole number shall be taken: *Provided*, That the total number of officers as authorized by law shall not be increased as the result of the computations prescribed herein, and if necessary the number of officers in the lowest grade shall be reduced accordingly.

Fractions in compu-  
tation.