

deed dated May 14, 1940, filed of record in volume 667, at page 290 of the deed records of El Paso County, Texas, (1) consenting on behalf of the United States that the said municipal corporations may voluntarily partition between them the land so granted: *Provided*, That the reversionary provisions in said deed shall remain unaffected by such partition; and (2) providing for the exchange by either or both of said grantee municipal corporations in accord with the provisions of section 2 hereof of the lands so granted and so partitioned for other lands of not less than an equal area and value, as determined by the Secretary of State, as said municipal corporations, or either of them, may deem more suitable for public educational purposes.

SEC. 2. When the agreement contemplated by section 1 hereof shall have been concluded, there shall be exchanged simultaneously by the parties in interest such deeds and other instruments as may be required by the laws of the State of Texas (1) to effect a waiver by the Secretary of State on behalf of the Government of the United States of the reversionary interest which it has in the lands covered by the partition and to be exchanged; (2) to vest in the Government of the United States in the lands to be received in exchange by the said municipal corporations, or either of them, for their portions or portion of the lands to be partitioned a reversionary interest which reversionary interest shall be of like intent and legal effect as the reversionary interest retained by the United States under the provisions in the said deed of May 14, 1940, to said municipal corporations; and (3) to effect the exchange between the present owners in fee simple of the lands covered by the partition and of those for which the exchange is to be made: *Provided, however*, That none of the instruments of title shall be valid until all necessary deeds and other instruments have been executed and exchanged: *And provided further*, That the exchange of lands herein contemplated shall be without cost to the United States.

SEC. 3. The Secretary of State is further authorized to execute on behalf of the Government of the United States such deeds and other instruments of title as shall be necessary to carry out the purpose of this Act.

Approved May 31, 1957.

Public Law 85-43

AN ACT

To authorize the sale of degaussing equipment by the Department of the Navy to the owners or operators of privately owned merchant ships of United States registry.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That title 10, United States Code, is amended—

(1) by inserting after section 7229 a new section reading as follows:

“§ 7230. Sale of degaussing equipment

“The Secretary of the Navy, under such regulations as he prescribes, may sell at prices which represent the current or estimated replacement cost to the Navy, to owners or operators of privately owned merchant ships of United States registry, degaussing equipment available from Navy stock but not readily available commercially, in order to promote the installation, repair, and maintenance of degaussing equipment on American vessels. Collections received from such sales shall be reimbursed to the current appropriation or fund concerned.”

May 31, 1957
[H. R. 4285]

Navy.
Degaussing
equipment.
70A Stat. 448.

(2) by inserting at the end of the section analysis of chapter 631, title 10, United States Code, a new item reading as follows: "7230. Sale of degaussing equipment."
Approved May 31, 1957.

Public Law 85-44

AN ACT

To amend title 10, United States Code, to authorize the Secretary of a military department to furnish stevedoring and terminal services and facilities to commercial steamship companies, and for other purposes.

June 1, 1957
[H. R. 2797]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That title 10, United States Code, is amended by inserting the following new section after section 2632:

Armed Forces.
Terminal serv-
ices.
70A Stat. 146.

"§ 2633. Terminal services, furnish to commercial steamship companies

"Notwithstanding the provisions of section 3678 of the Revised Statutes (31 U. S. C. 628), the Secretary of a military department, under such regulations as he may prescribe, may furnish stevedoring and terminal services and facilities at fair and reasonable rates to vessels carrying cargo and passengers sponsored by his department. Collections received for such services and facilities shall be reimbursed to the appropriation or fund initially charged."

SEC. 2. The analysis of chapter 157, title 10, United States Code, is amended by inserting the following item:

"2633. Terminal Services, furnish to commercial steamship companies."

Approved June 1, 1957.

Public Law 85-45

AN ACT

To permit any State of the United States or any political subdivision of any such State to purchase from the District of Columbia Reformatory at Lorton, Virginia, gun mountings and carriages for guns for use at historic sites and for museum display purposes.

June 1, 1957
[H. R. 2018]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That any State of the United States or any political subdivision of any such State is authorized to purchase from the District of Columbia Reformatory located at Lorton, Virginia, at fair market prices determined by the Commissioners of the District of Columbia, gun mountings and carriages for guns for use at historic sites and for museum display purposes. Receipts from sales authorized under this Act shall be deposited to the credit of the working capital fund established for the industrial enterprises at the workhouse and reformatory of the District of Columbia to the same extent and in the same manner as provided for receipts from the sale of products and services of such industrial enterprises in the last paragraph under the heading "Adult Correctional Service" in the first section of the District of Columbia Appropriation Act, 1947 (60 Stat. 514).

D. C. Reforma-
tory, Lorton, Va.
Sale of gun
mountings, etc.

Approved June 1, 1957.