

Public Law 499

CHAPTER 655

July 10, 1952
[H. R. 7204]

AN ACT

To amend section 5 of the Act entitled "An Act to credit certain service performed by employees of the postal service who are transferred from one position to another within the service for purposes of determining eligibility for promotion", approved June 19, 1948.

Postal service.

62 Stat. 485.

Dual capacity,
etc.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 5 of the Act entitled "An Act to credit certain service performed by employees of the postal service who are transferred from one position to another within the service for purposes of determining eligibility for promotion", approved June 19, 1948 (sec. 883, title 39, U. S. C.), is hereby amended to read as follows:

"SEC. 5. The rate of compensation of any employee in the postal service, except regular, temporary, or substitute rural carriers, whose services due to any emergency are utilized in a dual capacity, not in excess of thirty days, shall not be reduced as a result of employment in such capacity: *Provided,* That any employee in the postal service who is assigned to serve any rural route, and who shall furnish the vehicle used in the performance of such service, shall receive the equipment maintenance allowance provided for the route so served, in addition to the compensation paid such employee."

Approved July 10, 1952.

Public Law 500

CHAPTER 656

July 10, 1952
[S. J. Res. 74]

JOINT RESOLUTION

To change the name of the South Coulee Dam in the Columbia Basin project to Dry Falls Dam.

Dry Falls Dam.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the South Coulee Dam in the Columbia Basin project shall hereafter be known as Dry Falls Dam and any law, regulation, document, or record of the United States in which such dam is designated or referred to under the name South Coulee Dam shall be held to refer to such dam under and by the name of Dry Falls Dam.

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CHAPTER 657

July 10, 1952
[H. J. Res. 393]

JOINT RESOLUTION

Authorizing the granting of permits to the Committee on Inaugural Ceremonies on the occasion of the inauguration of the President-elect in January 1953, and for other purposes.

Committee on Inaugural Ceremonies.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Administrator of General Services, and such other officers of the District of Columbia and the United States as control any public lands in the District of Columbia, are hereby authorized to grant permits, under such restrictions as they may deem necessary, to the Committee on Inaugural Ceremonies, to be appointed by the President-elect, for the use of any reservations or other public spaces in the District of Columbia under their control on the occasion of the inauguration of the President-elect

in January 1953. All stands or platforms that may be erected on public space shall be under the supervision of the inaugural committee. No stand shall be built on the sidewalks, streets, parks, and public grounds of the District of Columbia, other than the area on the south side of Pennsylvania Avenue directly in front of the White House, except with the approval of the inaugural committee, the director of inspection of the District of Columbia, and the Administrator of General Services. The reservations or public spaces occupied by the stands or other structures shall, after the inauguration, be promptly restored to their previous condition. The inaugural committee shall indemnify the appropriate agency of the Government for any damage to such reservations or spaces.

SEC. 2. The Commissioners of the District of Columbia are authorized to permit the inaugural committee to stretch suitable overhead conductors, with sufficient supports, for illumination and other purposes. If it shall be necessary to erect wires for illuminating or other purposes over any park or reservation in the District of Columbia, the work of erection and removal shall be under the supervision of the official in charge of said park or reservation. Such conductors with their supports shall be removed on or before January 31, 1953. The Commissioners of the District of Columbia, or such other officials as may have jurisdiction in the premises, shall enforce the provisions of this joint resolution, take needful precautions for the protection of the public, and insure that the pavement of any street, avenue, or alley disturbed is replaced in its previous condition. No expense or damage from the stretching, operation, or removal of the temporary overhead conductors shall be incurred by the United States or the District of Columbia.

SEC. 3. The Secretary of Defense is authorized to lend to the Committee on Inaugural Ceremonies such hospital tents, smaller tents, camp appliances, hospital furniture, ensigns, flags, ambulances, drivers, stretchers, and Red Cross flags and poles (except battle flags), as may, in their judgment, be spared without detriment to the public service. Such loans shall be returned by the 26th day of January 1953. The committee shall indemnify the Government for any loss or damage to such flags not necessarily incident to such use.

SEC. 4. The Commissioners of the District of Columbia, the Administrator of General Services, and the inaugural committee are authorized to permit telegraph, telephone, radio-broadcasting, and television companies to extend overhead wires to such points along the line of parade as shall be deemed convenient for use in connection with the parade and other inaugural purposes. Such wires shall be removed within ten days after the conclusion of the ceremonies.

Approved July 10, 1952.

D. C. Commissioners.

Secretary of Defense.

Overhead wires.

Public Law 502

CHAPTER 658

JOINT RESOLUTION

To authorize the quartering in public buildings in the District of Columbia of troops participating in inaugural ceremonies.

July 10, 1952
[H. J. Res. 394]

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the fourth paragraph under the heading "State, War, and Navy Department Building" in the first section of the Act entitled "An Act making appropriations for the legislative, executive, and judicial expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and three, and for other purposes", approved April 28, 1902

Inaugural ceremonies.

Quartering of troops.