the United States for permanent residence if she is found to be otherwise admissible under the provisions of that Act: *Provided*, That this exemption shall apply only to a ground for exclusion of which the Department of State or the Department of Justice had knowledge prior to the enactment of this Act.

Approved August 26, 1954.

Private Law 827 CHAPTER 977

AN ACT

For the relief of Mrs. Maria Giuseppa De Lisa Quagliano.

August 26, 1954
[H. R. 6752]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That, notwithstanding the provision of section 212 (a) (9) of the Immigration and Nationality Act, Mrs. Maria Giuseppa De Lisa Quagliano may be admitted to the United States for permanent residence if she is found to be otherwise admissible under the provisions of that Act: *Provided*, That this exemption shall apply only to a ground for exclusion of which the Department of State or the Department of Justice had knowledge prior to the enactment of this Act.

66 Stat. 182.
8 USC 1182.

Approved August 26, 1954.

Private Law 828 CHAPTER 978

AN ACT

For the relief of Mrs. Efthemia Soteralis.

August 26, 1954
[H. R. 6858]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That, for the purposes of the Immigration and Nationality Act, Mrs. Efthemia Soteralis shall be held and considered to have been lawfully admitted to the United States for permanent residence as of the date of the enactment of this Act upon payment of the required visa fee. Upon the granting of permanent residence to such alien as provided for in this Act, the Secretary of State shall instruct the proper quota-control officer to deduct one number from the appropriate quota for the first year that such quota is available.

66 Stat. 163.
8 USC 1101 note.

Quota deduction.

Approved August 26, 1954.

Private Law 829 CHAPTER 979

AN ACT

For the relief of Margers Nulle-Siecenieks.

August 26, 1954
[H. R. 6955]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That, notwithstanding the provision of section 212 (a) (19) of the Immigration and Nationality Act, Margers Nulle-Siecenieks may be admitted to the United States for permanent residence if he is found to be otherwise admissible under the provisions of that Act: *Provided*, That this exemption shall apply only to a ground for exclusion of which the Department of State or the Department of Justice have knowledge prior to the enactment of this Act.

66 Stat. 182.
8 USC 1182.

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