

Evangelization Society, of Levelock, Alaska, is hereby authorized for a period of one year from and after the effective date of this Act to apply for the purchase of, and the Secretary of the Interior is hereby authorized and directed to convey to the Society for missionary purposes, the following-described land situated in Alaska: A tract of land situated on the westerly bank of Kvichak River and lying between United States Survey 2444 and United States Survey 914, more particularly described as follows: Beginning at corner 1, identical corner 4, United States Survey 2444; thence north twenty-nine degrees fifty-nine minutes east, four hundred twenty-seven and thirty-four one-hundredths feet to corner 2, a one and one-half-inch pipe filled with concrete; thence south fifty-eight degrees twenty-three minutes east, two hundred and seventy-four feet to corner 3, identical corner 1, United States Survey 914; thence easterly to corner 4, identical M. C. 2, United States Survey 914; thence southerly along westerly shore of Kvichak River approximately four hundred and forty-three feet to corner 5, identical M. C. 3, United States Survey 2444; thence north sixty degrees two minutes west, three hundred ninety-nine and ninety-six one-hundredths feet to corner 1, point of beginning, and containing approximately three acres.

SEC. 2. Such conveyance shall be subject to the terms and conditions provided for the sale of public lands to a nonprofit corporation or nonprofit association under the Act of June 4, 1954 (Public Law 387, Eighty-third Congress, second session): *Provided*, That the conveyance hereby authorized shall not include any land covered by a valid existing right initiated under the public land laws, or a valid possessory right based upon section 8 of the Act of May 17, 1884 (23 Stat. 24), section 14 of the Act of March 3, 1891 (26 Stat. 1095), or section 27 of the Act of June 6, 1900 (31 Stat. 321; 48 U. S. C., sec. 356): *Provided further*, That notwithstanding any of the provisions of this Act, the Secretary shall convey the lands to the Alaska Evangelization Society only if the organization pays the price fixed by the Secretary within five years after notification by the Secretary of the price.

Approved August 30, 1954.

Ante, p. 173.

Private Law 888

CHAPTER 1093

August 30, 1954
[H. R. 2014]

AN ACT

To authorize the sale of certain public land in Alaska to the Community Club of Chugiak, Alaska.

Community Club
of Chugiak,
Alaska.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Community Club of Chugiak, Alaska, is hereby authorized for a period of one year from and after the effective date of this Act to file with the Secretary of the Interior an application to purchase, and the Secretary of the Interior is hereby authorized and directed to issue patent to it, for use as a community recreation center and for other community purposes, a tract of land described as lot 21 of section 9, township 15 north, range 1 west, Seward meridian, Alaska, containing four and ninety-three one-hundredths acres.

SEC. 2. Such conveyance shall be subject to the terms and conditions provided for the sale of public lands to a nonprofit corporation or nonprofit association under the Act of June 4, 1954 (Public Law 387, Eighty-third Congress, second session): *Provided*, That the conveyance hereby authorized shall not include any land covered by a valid existing right initiated under the public land laws, or a valid possessory right based upon section 8 of the Act of May 17, 1884 (23 Stat.

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24), section 14 of the Act of March 3, 1891 (26 Stat. 1095), or section 27 of the Act of June 6, 1900 (31 Stat. 321; 48 U. S. C., sec. 356): *Provided further*, That notwithstanding any of the provisions of this Act, the Secretary shall convey the lands to the Community Club of Chugiak, Alaska, only if the organization pays the price fixed by the Secretary within five years after notification by the Secretary of the price.

Approved August 30, 1954.

Private Law 889

CHAPTER 1094

AN ACT

For the relief of Regine du Planty.

August 30, 1954
[H. R. 2061]

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, Regine du Planty 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 30, 1954.

Private Law 890

CHAPTER 1095

AN ACT

For the relief of Nicholas Matook.

August 30, 1954
[H. R. 2781]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$500 to Nicholas Matook, of 49 Primrose Street, Pawtucket, Rhode Island, in full settlement of all claims against the United States as reimbursement for bond posted in behalf of Nora Amir, now Mrs. Nora Abdelahad, in November 1948: *Provided*, That no part of the amount appropriated in this Act shall be paid or delivered to or received by any agent or attorney on account of services rendered in connection with this claim, and the same shall be unlawful, any contract to the contrary notwithstanding. Any person violating the provisions of this Act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not exceeding \$1,000.

Nicholas Matook.

Approved August 30, 1954.

Private Law 891

CHAPTER 1096

AN ACT

For the relief of John B. Daniel, Incorporated

August 30, 1954
[H. R. 3384]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That, notwithstanding the last sentence of section 3250 (1) (5) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1939 (relating to the time for filing claims for drawback in

John B. Daniel,
Inc.

53 Stat. 388.
26 USC 3250.