Public Law 434 CHAPTER 90

March 21, 1956
[H. R. 2552]

AN ACT

To authorize the modification of the existing project for the Great Lakes connecting channels above Lake Erie.

Great Lakes connecting channels. Modification.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the project for improvement of the Great Lakes connecting channels above Lake Erie is hereby modified to provide controlling depths of not less than twenty-seven feet, the work to be prosecuted under the direction of the Secretary of the Army and the supervision of the Chief of Engineers in accordance with plans approved by the Chief of Engineers, in the report submitted in Senate Document Numbered 71, Eighty-fourth Congress, first session.

Appropriation.

SEC. 2. There are authorized to be appropriated such sums as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of this Act.

Approved March 21, 1956.

Public Law 435 CHAPTER 91

March 24, 1956
[H. R. 5556]

AN ACT

Authorizing a preliminary examination and survey of McGirts Creek, Florida, for flood control.

McGirts Creek, Fla.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Army, acting through the Chief of Engineers, is hereby authorized and directed to make a preliminary examination and survey with a view to determining the advisability of making improvements for flood control in McGirts Creek, a tributary of Saint Johns River, in Florida.

Approved March 24, 1956.

Public Law 436 CHAPTER 92

March 24, 1956
[H. J. Res. 517]

JOINT RESOLUTION

Changing the date for the counting of the electoral votes in 1957.

Whereas January 6, 1957, is a Sunday; and

3 USC 15.

Whereas Public Law 771, Eightieth Congress (62 Stat. 672, 675), provides that "Congress shall be in session on the sixth day of January succeeding every meeting of the (Presidential) electors" for the purpose of counting the electoral votes: Therefore be it

Electoral votes, count.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the two Houses of Congress shall meet in the Hall of the House of Representatives on Monday, the seventh day of January 1957, at one o'clock post meridian, pursuant to the requirements of the Constitution and laws relating to the election of President and Vice President of the United States, and the President of the Senate shall be their presiding officer; that two tellers shall be previously appointed by the President of the Senate on the part of the Senate and two by the Speaker on the part of the House of Representatives, to whom shall be handed, as they are opened by the President of the Senate, all the certificates and papers purporting to be certificates of the electoral votes, which certificates and papers shall be opened, presented, and acted upon

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