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SEC. 2. Suit upon any such claim may be instituted by the owner of the property with respect to which the claim is made or by his heirs at any time within three years after the date of enactment of this Act. Proceedings for the determination of any such claim and review thereof of any payment of any judgment thereon shall be in accordance with the provisions of law applicable in the case of the taking by the United States of private property for public use, but nothing contained in this Act shall be construed as an inference of liability on the part of the United States Government. Any claims approved for payment under the provisions of this Act shall be liabilities of the United States Government and shall not be charged against irrigation districts located on the Rio Grande project (New Mexico-Texas).

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CHAPTER 610

July 14, 1956
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AN ACT

For the relief of George Pantelas.

George Pantelas.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Attorney General is authorized and directed to discontinue any deportation proceedings and to cancel any outstanding order and warrant of deportation, warrant of arrest, and bond, which may have been issued in the case of George Pantelas. From and after the date of enactment of this Act, the said George Pantelas shall not again be subject to deportation by reason of the same facts upon which such deportation proceedings were commenced or any such warrants and order have issued.

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