standing. 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.
Approved March 24, 1956.

Private Law 538

AN ACT
To authorize the appointment in a civilian position in the Department of
Justice of Brigadier General Edwin B. Howard, United States Army, retired,
and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the
United States of America in Congress assembled, That notwithstanding
the provisions of section 2 of the Act of July 31, 1894 (28 Stat.
205), as amended (5 U. S. C. 62), or any other provision of law,
Brigadier General Edwin B. Howard, United States Army, retired,
may be appointed to and accept and hold a civilian position in the
Department of Justice.

Sec. 2. Brigadier General Howard's appointment to, and acceptance
and holding of, a civilian position in the Department of Justice shall
in no way affect any status, office, rank, or grade he may occupy or
hold as a retired officer in the United States Army, or any emolument,
perquisite, right, privilege, or benefit incident to or arising out of
any such status, office, rank, or grade: Provided, however, That during
his incumbency in a civilian position in the Department of Justice
he shall receive the compensation appertaining to such position in
lieu of the retired pay to which he is entitled as a retired officer of
the Army: Provided further, That upon the termination of such
civilian employment the payment of his retired pay shall be resumed.

Approved March 29, 1956.

Private Law 539

AN ACT
To authorize the appointment in a civilian position in the Department of
Justice of Major General Frank H. Partridge, United States Army, retired,
and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the
United States of America in Congress assembled, That, notwithstanding
the provisions of section 2 of the Act of July 31, 1894 (28 Stat.
205), as amended (5 U. S. C. 62), or any other provision of law, Major
General Frank H. Partridge, United States Army, retired, may be
appointed to and accept and hold a civilian position in the Department of Justice.

Sec. 2. Major General Partridge's appointment to, and acceptance
and holding of, a civilian position in the Department of Justice shall
in no way affect any status, office, rank, or grade he may occupy or
hold as a retired officer in the United States Army, or any emolument,
perquisite, right, privilege, or benefit incident to or arising out of
any such status, office, rank, or grade: Provided, however, That during
his incumbency in a civilian position in the Department of Justice
he shall receive the compensation appertaining to such position in
lieu of the retired pay to which he is entitled as a retired officer of
the Army: Provided further, That upon the termination of such
civilian employment the payment of his retired pay shall be resumed.

Approved March 29, 1956.