for permanent residence as of the date of the enactment of this Act, upon payment of the required visa fees.

SEC. 2. For the purposes of the Immigration and Nationality Act, Charles F. Garriz, Benjamin Baruch Mintz, Tchia Mintz, Shulamit Mintz, Shalom Boaz Mintz, Mikie Woodard, Hildegarde Silvonen, Howard Seeming Liang, Lai Yen Mark Liang, Howard Seeming Liang, Junior, John Shalam, Claude Shalam, Fu-Chuan Chao (also known as Fuk Kun Chiu), Chiu Lai Yuk (also known as Lai Yuk Chao), Yvonne Mary Florescu (Sister John Baptist), Peter Chou-Yuen Tchen, Carmen Aguado, Adele Knoff, Hans Knoff, Jose Torres, Thomas H. Ros, Wei-Chi Liu, Domingo Lim (also known as Lim Eng Kok and Domingo Lim Chay Seng), and Pilar A. Garcia 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 fees. Upon the granting of permanent residence to each alien as provided for in this section of this Act, if such alien was classifiable as a quota immigrant at the time of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of State shall instruct the proper quota-control officer to reduce by one the quota for the quota area to which the alien is chargeable for the first year that such quota is available.

SEC. 3. The Attorney General is authorized and directed to discontinue any deportation proceedings and to cancel any outstanding orders and warrant of deportation, warrant of arrest, and bonds, which may have issued in the case of Panteles Kerkos. From and after the date of enactment of this Act, the said Panteles Kerkos 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 orders have issued.

Approved June 7, 1956.

Private Law 687

AN ACT

To waive certain subsections of section 212 (a) of the Immigration and Nationality Act in behalf of certain aliens.

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) (2) of the Immigration and Nationality Act, Sarah Kleidermacher may be issued a visa and admitted to the United States for permanent residence if she is found to be otherwise admissible under the provisions of that Act: Provided, That a suitable and proper bond or undertaking approved by the Attorney General, be deposited as prescribed by section 213 of the said Act.

SEC. 2. Notwithstanding the provision of section 212 (a) (4) of the Immigration and Nationality Act, Audrey Jean Younkers and Robert Geoffrey Hunt may be issued visas and admitted to the United States for permanent residence if they are found to be otherwise admissible under the provisions of that Act: Provided, That suitable and proper bonds or undertakings, approved by the Attorney General, be deposited as prescribed by section 213 of the said Act.

SEC. 3. In the administration of the Immigration and Nationality Act, Charlotte Muhlefeldt, the fiancée of Hans Jahnke, a citizen of the United States, shall be eligible for a visa as a nonimmigrant temporary visitor for a period of three months: Provided, That the administrative authorities find that the said Charlotte Muhlefeldt is coming to
the United States with a bona fide intention of being married to the
said Hans Jahnke and that she is found otherwise admissible under
the immigration laws, other than the provision of section 212 (a) (4)
of the said Act: Provided further, That a suitable and proper bond or
undertaking, approved by the Attorney General, be deposited as pre
scribed by section 213 of the said Act. In the event the marriage
between the above-named persons does not occur within three months
after the entry of the said Charlotte Muhlefeldt, she shall be required
to depart from the United States and upon failure to do so shall be
depoited in accordance with the provisions of sections 242 and 243
of the Immigration and Nationality Act. In the event that the mar
riage between the above-named persons shall occur within three
months after the entry of the said Charlotte Muhlefeldt, the Attorney
General is authorized and directed to record the lawful admission for
permanent residence of the said Charlotte Muhlefeldt as of the date
of the payment by her of the required visa fee.

Sec. 4. Notwithstanding the provision of section 212 (a) (9) of
the Immigration and Nationality Act, John Joon Sik Chung, Cesare
Pieco, Regina M. Knight, Jenny Antoinette V. Ingrum, and Paula
Edith Reynolds may be issued visas and admitted to the United
States for permanent residence if they are found to be otherwise
admissible under the provisions of that Act.

Sec. 5. Notwithstanding the provision of section 212 (a) (19) of
the Immigration and Nationality Act, Eric A. Cummings may be
issued a visa and admitted to the United States for permanent resi
dence if he is found to be otherwise admissible under the provisions
of that Act.

Sec. 6. The exemptions provided for in this Act shall apply only to
grounds for exclusion of which the Department of State or the
Department of Justice had knowledge prior to the enactment of this
Act.

Approved June 7, 1956.

Private Law 688

AN ACT

For the relief of Clement E. Sprouse.

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 is authorized and directed to pay, out of funds of the
District of Columbia, to Clement E. Sprouse, of Cabin John, Mary
land, the sum of $244.31. The payment of such sum shall be in full
settlement of all claims of the said Clement E. Sprouse against the
United States on account of damage to his car on February 4, 1954,
as a result of its being struck at Massachusetts Avenue and Westmore
land Circle in the District of Columbia by a motorcycle operated by a
member of the Metropolitan Police Department of the District of
Columbia: Provided, That no part of the amount appropriated in this
Act in excess of 10 per centum thereof 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.

Approved June 13, 1956.