Public Law 85-328

AN ACT

To amend the District of Columbia Hospital Center Act in order to extend the time and increase the authorization for appropriations for the purposes of such Act, and to provide that grants under such Act may be made to certain organizations organized to construct and operate hospital facilities in the District of Columbia.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the last sentence of the first section of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the establishment of a modern, adequate, and efficient hospital center in the District of Columbia, to authorize the making of grants for hospital facilities to private agencies in the District of Columbia, to provide a basis for repayment to the Government by the Commissioners of the District of Columbia, and for other purposes", approved August 7, 1946 (60 Stat. 896), as amended, is amended by inserting after "operating" a comma and "or organized to construct and operate,"

SEC. 2. Section 5 of such Act of August 7, 1946, is amended to read as follows:

"SEC. 5. Thirty per centum of the net amount expended by the Administrator of General Services under this Act shall be charged against the District of Columbia and shall be repaid to the Government by the Commissioners of the District of Columbia at the annual rate, without interest, of 3 per centum of such 30 per centum. The District of Columbia shall be entitled to 30 per centum of the sale price of any of the properties sold by the Administrator of General Services under section 2 of this Act, other than properties the value of which is deducted from the gross amount expended to determine the net amount upon which the 30 per centum to be charged against the District of Columbia is computed, and the District of Columbia shall also be entitled to receive 30 per centum of any rentals received from the leasing of any of the hospital facilities acquired or constructed by the Administrator of General Services under this Act. The amounts which may be due the District hereunder shall be credited on the amount owed the Government by the District of Columbia until such obligation of the District is discharged in full."

SEC. 3. Section 6 of such Act of August 7, 1946, is amended (1) by striking out "1958" and inserting in lieu thereof "1959", and (2) by striking out "$36,710,000" and inserting in lieu thereof "$39,710,000".

SEC. 4. The amendment made by this Act to section 5 of such Act of August 7, 1946, shall apply only with respect to grants from funds authorized by amendments made by this Act.

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AN ACT

To provide that the lock and dam referred to as the Tuscaloosa Lock and Dam on the Black Warrior River, Alabama, shall hereafter be known and designated as the William Bacon Oliver Lock and Dam.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That in honor of the late William Bacon Oliver, and in recognition of his long and outstanding service as a member of Congress from Alabama's Sixth Congressional District, the Tuscaloosa Lock and Dam on the Black Warrior River, Alabama, shall hereafter be known and designated as the William Bacon Oliver Lock and Dam, Ala.
the William Bacon Oliver Lock and Dam, and shall be dedicated as a monument to his distinguished public service. Any law, regulation, map, document, or record of the United States in which such lock and dam is referred to shall be held and considered to refer to such lock and dam by the name of the “William Bacon Oliver Lock and Dam”.

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AN ACT

To provide for the erection of suitable markers at Fort Myer, Virginia, to commemorate the first flight of an airplane on an Army installation, and for other purposes.

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 shall provide for the erection of a suitable marker at Fort Myer, Virginia, to commemorate the first flight of an airplane on an Army installation, which occurred on September 3, 1908, when Wilbur and Orville Wright demonstrated their “flying machine” for possible purchase by the Army. Such marker shall be unveiled with appropriate military ceremonies on September 3, 1958, the fiftieth anniversary of such flight.

SEC. 2. The Secretary of the Army shall also provide for the erection of a suitable bronze plaque at Fort Myer, Virginia, to mark the approximate site of the first crash of an airplane on an Army installation, which occurred on September 17, 1908. As a result of such crash, Lieutenant Thomas E. Selfridge subsequently lost his life and became the first Army officer to pay the supreme sacrifice in an effort to aid man’s endeavor to fly.

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Public Law 85-331

AN ACT

To amend section 216 (b) of the Merchant Marine Act, 1936, as amended, to provide for appointments of cadets from the District of Columbia, Guam, American Samoa, Virgin Islands, and the Canal Zone.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 216 (b) of the Merchant Marine Act, 1936, as amended (70 Stat. 25; U. S. Code, title 46, sec. 1126 (b)), is amended as follows:

(1) Paragraph (1) is amended (a) by inserting before the period at the end of the second sentence thereof a comma and the words: “and by the Governors of the Canal Zone, Guam, American Samoa, and the Virgin Islands, and the Commissioners of the District of Columbia”, and (b) by inserting before the period at the end of the third sentence thereof a semicolon and the following: “but two vacancies shall be allocated each year to the Canal Zone, to be filled by qualified candidates nominated by the Governor of the Canal Zone from among the sons of residents of the Canal Zone and the sons of personnel of the United States Government and the Panama Canal Company residing in the Republic of Panama, one vacancy each shall be allocated each year to Guam, American Samoa, and the Virgin Islands, to be filled by qualified candidates nominated by the Governors of Guam, American Samoa, and the Virgin Islands, and four