Public Law 85-814

AN ACT

To provide for the relief of certain members and former members of the Army and the Air Force, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That any member or former member of the Army or Air Force, who, after August 31, 1952, and before February 1, 1954, was transferred from the United States to a restricted area where his dependents were not permitted to accompany him, and whose dependents were transported at the expense of the United States to Hawaii, is entitled to transportation of his household goods from the San Francisco port of embarkation to Hawaii.

SEC. 2. Any payments for transportation of those shipments made by the Department of the Army and the Department of the Air Force to the Military Sea Transport Service for which a person described in section 1 was charged are validated.

SEC. 3. Any person described in section 1 who has repaid the United States the amount charged for that transportation may be paid the amount involved, if otherwise proper under this Act.

SEC. 4. The Comptroller General of the United States, or his designee, shall relieve disbursing officers, including special disbursing agents, of the Army and Air Force from accountability or responsibility for any payments described in this Act, and shall allow credits in the settlement of the accounts of those officers or agents for payments which appear to be free from fraud and collusion.

SEC. 5. Appropriations available to the military departments concerned for the travel and transportation of military personnel are available for payments under this Act.

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Public Law 85-815

AN ACT

To repeal certain provisions of law relating to messengers for the Committee on Ways and Means of the House of Representatives.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That (a) the provisions of House Resolution 42 of the Eightieth Congress relating to messengers for the Committee on Ways and Means of the House of Representatives which were made permanent law by section 105 of the Legislative Branch Appropriation Act, 1948, are hereby repealed.

(b) The provisions of House Resolution 45 of the Eighty-first Congress relating to messengers for the Committee on Ways and Means of the House of Representatives which were made permanent law by section 105 of the Legislative Branch Appropriation Act, 1950, are hereby repealed.

(c) The provisions of House Resolution 118 and House Resolution 486 of the Eighty-third Congress relating to messengers for the Committee on Ways and Means of the House of Representatives which were made permanent law by section 103 of the Legislative Appropriation Act, 1955, are hereby repealed.

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