Sec. 2. Suit upon such claims may be instituted at any time within one year after the date of enactment of this Act, notwithstanding the lapse of time or any statute of limitations. Proceedings for the determination of such claims, appeals therefrom, and payment of any judgments thereon, shall be in the same manner as in cases over which such court has jurisdiction under section 1346 (b) of title 28 of the United States Code. Nothing in this Act shall be construed as an implication of liability on the part of the United States.

Approved September 2, 1958.

Private Law 85-748

AN ACT

For the relief of Clifford Oesterlei.

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 any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to Clifford Oesterlei, of Saint Louis, Missouri, the sum of $442.60. Such sum represents the amount of settlement and costs for which the said Clifford Oesterlei was compelled to pay in settlement out of court of a civil action brought against him as the result of an accident which occurred on July 5, 1951, and which involved a United States mail truck being driven by the said Clifford Oesterlei, a regular carrier in the United States Post Office, Saint Louis, Missouri. Such sum shall be paid only on condition that the said Clifford Oesterlei shall use such sum, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to pay such settlement and costs in full: Provided, That no part of the amount appropriated in this Act 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 September 2, 1958.

Private Law 85-749

AN ACT

For the relief of Truck and Axle Manufacturing Company.

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 be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of $34,555.72 to Truck and Axle Manufacturing Company, of Oakland, California, in full settlement of all claims against the United States for losses sustained as the result of carrying out five contracts for the repair of certain motor vehicles for the Benicia Arsenal, Ordnance Corps, Department of the Army: 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.

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