

SERVICES AND FACILITIES AUTHORIZED TO BE PROVIDED TO FORMER  
PRESIDENTS AND FORMER VICE PRESIDENTS

SEC. 4. The Administrator is authorized to provide, upon request, to each former President and each former Vice President, for a period not to exceed six months from the date of the expiration of his term of office as President or Vice President, for use in connection with winding up the affairs of his office, necessary services and facilities of the same general character as authorized by this Act to be provided to Presidents-elect and Vice-Presidents-elect. Any person appointed or detailed to serve a former President or former Vice President under authority of this section shall be appointed or detailed in accordance with, and shall be subject to, all of the provisions of section 3 of this Act applicable to persons appointed or detailed under authority of that section. The provisions of the Act of August 25, 1958 (72 Stat. 838; 3 U.S.C. 102, note), other than subsections (a) and (e) shall not become effective with respect to a former President until six months after the expiration of his term of office as President.

AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS

SEC. 5. There are hereby authorized to be appropriated to the Administrator such funds as may be necessary for carrying out the purposes of this Act but not to exceed \$900,000 for any one Presidential transition, to remain available during the fiscal year in which the transition occurs and the next succeeding fiscal year. The President shall include in the budget transmitted to the Congress, for each fiscal year in which his regular term of office will expire, a proposed appropriation for carrying out the purposes of this Act.

Approved March 7, 1964.

Public Law 88-278

AN ACT

March 10, 1964  
[H. R. 8171]

To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to acquire lands, including farm units and improvements thereon, in the third division, Riverton reclamation project, Wyoming, and to continue to deliver water for three years to lands of said division, and for other purposes.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* (a) That the Secretary of the Interior shall negotiate with the entrymen on and the owners of land within the third division of the Riverton Federal reclamation project, Wyoming, for the purchase of their lands, patented or unpatented, at a price equal to the appraised value thereof and of the improvements thereon. In the case of any lands which were represented as being suitable for sustained irrigation production in the land classification in force at the time entry was made or the lands were acquired by the present owner (or, if the present owner acquired the same by descent or devise, by his predecessor in title), such value shall be determined without reference to any deterioration in their irrigability subsequent to the time of entry or acquisition arising from above-normal seepage and/or inadequate drainage. The Secretary is authorized to acquire options for the purchase of such lands in the name of the United States. He shall make a final report on the result of his negotiations and on options acquired to the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives on or before

Riverton reclamation project.  
Land purchase.

Purchase options.

Reports to Congress.

June 30, 1964, and, upon the expiration of not less than sixty calendar days after the submission of this report, he may acquire such lands.

(b) Property acquired by the United States under this section shall be available for disposal under the terms of the Farm Unit Exchange Act of August 13, 1953 (67 Stat. 566), or at public or private sale for not less than the appraised value at the time of such sale. Costs incurred by the Secretary under this section which are not offset by returns from sales shall be nonreimbursable and nonreturnable.

SEC. 2. The Secretary is authorized to continue to deliver water to the lands of the third division during calendar years 1964, 1965, and 1966 as under the provisions of section 9, subsection (d) (1), of the Reclamation Project Act of 1939 (53 Stat. 1187, 1195; 43 U.S.C. 485h(d)) but without regard to the time limitation therein specified. Water shall be furnished only upon individual application therefor and upon payment of an amount for each acre to which water is to be furnished to the applicant during the year in question equal to the estimated average cost per acre for all lands to be irrigated that year of operating and maintaining the third division. Prior to the expiration of this three-year period (January 1, 1967), the Secretary shall determine whether there are sufficient lands capable of sustained production under irrigation use in the North Portal, North Pavillion, and Cottonwood Bench areas of the third division to form an economical, feasible unit and shall report his findings thereon to the Congress.

SEC. 3. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the limitation of lands held in single ownership within the third division which are eligible to receive project water from, through, or by means of project works shall be one hundred and sixty acres of class 1 land or the equivalent thereof in other land classes, as determined by the Secretary.

SEC. 4. Construction costs of the third division which the Secretary determines to be assignable to the lands classified as permanently nonproductive shall be nonreturnable and nonreimbursable under the Federal reclamation laws: *Provided*, That whenever new lands or lands formerly classified as nonproductive, are subsequently classified or reclassified as productive, the repayment obligation of the repayment organization within which such lands are included shall be appropriately increased.

SEC. 5. (a) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, any administrative regulation, or the terms of any mortgage or other security instrument, no real property on the third division which has heretofore been mortgaged or otherwise encumbered as security for a debt to the United States or any of its agencies shall be subject to foreclosure or other process of law for enforcement of the debt between the effective date of this Act and December 1, 1964: *Provided*, That nothing contained in the foregoing shall operate to discharge any obligation of the debtor to the United States.

(b) Notwithstanding any other provision of law or any administrative regulation, no agency of the United States shall hereafter and prior to December 1, 1964, take as security for a debt to the United States or to that or any other agency of the United States any mortgage or other form of encumbrance on real property on the third division unless (1) the debt to the United States or its agency has heretofore been incurred and the security has heretofore been given and is required to be continued in connection with a renewal or refinancing of the debt or (2) the debtor specifically waives, with the consent of the Secretary of the Interior, the privilege of selling his land to the United States as provided in the first section of this Act.

Disposal of certain property.

43 USC 451-451k.

Water delivery.

76 Stat. 407.

Payment.

Report to Congress.

Ownership limitations.

Construction costs.

Moratorium on foreclosure by U.S.

New mortgages. Prohibition.

Appropriations.  
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SEC. 6. Appropriations heretofore or hereafter made for carrying on the functions of the Bureau of Reclamation shall be available in an amount of not more than \$2,000,000 for the acquisition of lands as provided in section 1(a) of this Act and for additional drainage facilities, canal lining, and structure replacements: *Provided*, That all miscellaneous net revenues received from the sale of lands under section 1(b) of this Act shall be applied against such costs.

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Public Law 88-279

AN ACT

March 10, 1964  
[H. R. 7235]

To amend sections 671 and 672 of title 28, United States Code, relating to the clerk and the marshal of the Supreme Court.

Supreme Court.  
62 Stat. 918.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That subsections (c) and (d) of section 671 of title 28, United States Code, are amended to read as follows:

Clerk.

“(c) The clerk may appoint and fix the compensation of necessary assistants and messengers with the approval of the Chief Justice of the United States.

“(d) The clerk shall pay into the Treasury all fees, costs, and other moneys collected by him. He shall make annual returns thereof to the Court under regulations prescribed by it.”

Payment of  
salaries.

SEC. 2. (a) The sixth paragraph of subsection (c) of section 672 of title 28, United States Code, is amended to read as follows:

“(6) Pay the salaries of the Chief Justice, Associate Justices, and all officers and employees of the Court and disburse other funds appropriated for disbursement, under the direction of the Chief Justice;”

Printing briefs;  
travel expenses.

(b) Section 672(c) is further amended by adding at the end thereof the following new paragraph:

Marshal.

“(7) Pay the expenses of printing briefs and travel expenses of attorneys in behalf of persons whose motions to appear in forma pauperis in the Supreme Court have been approved and when counsel have been appointed by the Supreme Court, upon vouchers certified by the clerk of the Court.”

SEC. 3. There are hereby authorized to be appropriated annually such sums as are necessary to carry out the provisions of this Act.

Effective date.

SEC. 4. The amendments proposed in this Act shall become effective only when funds have been appropriated and are available to pay the salaries and other expenses of the clerk's office.

Approved March 10, 1964.

Public Law 88-280

AN ACT

March 11, 1964  
[S. 1153]

To amend the Federal Airport Act to extend the time for making grants thereunder, and for other purposes.

Federal Airport  
Act, amendment.  
60 Stat. 170.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That section 2 of the Federal Airport Act (49 U.S.C. 1101) is amended:

(1) by striking out the designation “(a)” at the beginning thereof;