CHAPTER 4—AMENDMENT TO THE AGRICULTURAL TRADE DEVELOPMENT AND ASSISTANCE ACT OF 1954

SEC. 401. Section 107 of the Agricultural Trade Development and Assistance Act of 1954 is amended by adding at the end thereof the following new paragraph:

"No sale under title I of this Act shall be made to the United Arab Republic unless the President determines that such sale is essential to the national interest of the United States. No such sale shall be based on the requirements of the United Arab Republic for more than one fiscal year. The President shall keep the Foreign Relations Committee and the Appropriations Committee of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives fully and currently informed with respect to sales made to the United Arab Republic under title I of this Act."

Approved September 6, 1965.

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AN ACT

To amend title 10, United States Code, to authorize the promotion of qualified reserve officers of the Air Force to the reserve grades of brigadier general and major general.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That title 10, United States Code, is amended by inserting the following new section after section 8372:

§ 8373. Commissioned officers: Air Force Reserve: promotion to brigadier general and major general

“(a) Officers of the Air Force Reserve may be promoted to the reserve grades of brigadier general and major general to fill vacancies in those grades.

“(b) The Secretary of the Air Force may furnish the names of any officers of the Air Force Reserve who are assigned to the duties of a general officer of the next higher reserve grade, and who meet standards to be prescribed by the Secretary, to a selection board for consideration for promotion to that grade.

“(c) Of those officers considered under subsection (b), the selection board shall recommend the best qualified of those whom it determines to meet the standards prescribed by the Secretary and to be fully qualified for promotion.

“(d) The name of any officer on a recommended list on June 30, 1964, for promotion to the reserve grade of brigadier general or major general under authority of the provisions of section 8373 of this title, which terminated July 1, 1964, may be placed on the appropriate recommended list maintained under subsection (c) effective July 1, 1964, without the necessity of further selection board action, provided such officer is currently qualified for such promotion. The promotion of any such officer shall be effective for date of rank purposes as of July 1, 1964.

“Sec. 2. This Act is effective July 1, 1964.”

Approved September 8, 1965.