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**Congressional Information Service
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Legislative History (S. 1973 and related bills):

1972 CIS/Annual:

Senate Hearings: S441-37.

House Report: H443-49 (No. 92-1538, accompanying H.R. 256).

Senate Report: S443-9 (No. 92-710).

Congressional Record Vol. 118 (1972):

Mar. 28, considered and passed Senate.

Oct. 10, considered and passed House, amended, in lieu of H.R. 256.

Oct. 12, Senate concurred in House amendment.

Weekly Compilation of Presidential Documents Vol. 8, No. 44:

Oct. 28, Presidential statement.

PL92-525 HOHOKAM PIMA NATIONAL MONUMENT, ARIZ., establishment.

Oct. 21, 1972. 92-2. *

●Item 575. 2 p.

86 STAT. 1047.

"To provide for the establishment of the Hohokam Pima National Monument in the vicinity of the Snaketown archeological site, Arizona, and for other purposes."

Legislative History (H.R. 8756 and related bill):

1972 CIS/Annual:

House Report: H443-39 (No. 92-1425).

Senate Report: S443-55 (No. 92-1282, accompanying S. 1927).

Congressional Record Vol. 118 (1972):

Oct. 10, considered and passed House.

Oct. 12, considered and passed Senate, in lieu of S. 1927.

Weekly Compilation of Presidential Documents Vol. 8, No. 44:

Oct. 28, Presidential statement.

PL92-526 ADMINISTRATIVE CONFERENCE OF THE U.S.

Oct. 21, 1972. 92-2. *

●Item 575. 2 p.

86 STAT. 1048.

"To amend provisions of law relating to the Administrative Conference of the United States."

Authorizes Conference to contract for studies, to utilize with their consent services and facilities of State, Federal, and private agencies, and to permit acceptance of gifts, bequests, and voluntary and uncompensated services. Also raises the Conference's authorization ceiling for each fiscal year through FY78.

Legislative History (S. 3671 and related bills):

1972 CIS/Annual:

House Hearings: H521-18.

Senate Hearings: S521-47.

House Report: H523-27 (No. 92-1418).

Senate Report: S523-39 (No. 92-1076).

Congressional Record Vol. 118 (1972):

Aug. 18, considered and passed Senate.

Oct. 14, considered and passed House, amended.

Oct. 16, Senate concurred in House amendments.

PL92-527 MAR-A-LAGO NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE, FLA., acceptance and administration.

Oct. 21, 1972. 92-2. *

●Item 575. 2 p.

86 STAT. 1049.

"To provide for the administration of the Mar-A-Lago National Historic Site, in Palm Beach, Florida."

Provides Interior Dept administration and formation of an advisory commission.

Legislative History (H.R. 13067):

1972 CIS/Annual:

House Report: H443-51 (No. 92-1541).

Congressional Record Vol. 118 (1972):

Oct. 10, considered and passed House.

Oct. 12, considered and passed Senate.

Weekly Compilation of Presidential Documents Vol. 8, No. 44:

Oct. 28, Presidential statement.

PL92-528 INDIAN PEAKS AREA, COLO., preservation as wilderness, review.

Oct. 21, 1972. 92-2. *

●Item 575. 1 p.

86 STAT. 1050.

"To authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to review as to its suitability for preservation as wilderness the area commonly known as the Indian Peaks Area in the State of Colorado."

Legislative History (S. 1198 and related bill):

1972 CIS/Annual:

House Hearings: H441-29.

Senate Hearings: S441-79.

House Report: H443-52 (No. 92-1548, accompanying H.R. 5932).

Senate Report: S443-22 (No. 92-833).

Congressional Record Vol. 118 (1972):

June 7, considered and passed Senate.

Oct. 12, considered and passed House, amended, in lieu of H.R. 5932.

Oct. 14, Senate concurred in House amendment.

Weekly Compilation of Presidential Documents Vol. 8, No. 44:

Oct. 28, Presidential statement.

PL92-529 FEDERAL EMPLOYEES' LIFE INSURANCE, waiver.

Oct. 21, 1972. 92-2. *

●Item 575. 1 p.

86 STAT. 1050.

"To amend chapter 87 of title 5, United States Code, to waive employee deductions for Federal Employees' Group Life Insurance purposes during a period of erroneous removal or suspension."

Legislative History (H.R. 11563):

1972 CIS/Annual:

House Report: H623-15 (No. 92-1289).

Senate Report: S623-11 (No. 92-1301).

Congressional Record Vol. 118 (1972):

Sept. 19, considered and passed House.

Oct. 14, considered and passed Senate.

PL92-530 CASS COUNTY, N. DAK., bridge reconstruction, payment.

Oct. 21, 1972. 92-2. *

●Item 575. 1 p.

86 STAT. 1051.

"For the relief of Cass County, North Dakota." Authorizes DOT reimbursement for county's share in reconstruction of the flood-destroyed Wild Rice Bridge.

Legislative History (S. 3483):

1972 CIS/Annual:

House Report: H523-32 (No. 92-1533).

Senate Report: [Judiciary] (No. 92-1143).

Congressional Record Vol. 118 (1972):

Sept. 29, considered and passed Senate.

Oct. 14, considered and passed House, amended; Senate concurred in House amendment.

PL92-531 NATIONAL COMMISSION ON THE FINANCING OF POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION, members compensation.

Oct. 23, 1972. 92-2. *

●Item 575. 1 p.

86 STAT. 1051.

"Relating to compensation of members of the National Commission on the Financing of Postsecondary Education."

Adds provision to the Education Amendments of 1972.

Legislative History (H.R. 16883):

Congressional Record Vol. 118 (1972):

Oct. 11, considered and passed House.

Oct. 14, considered and passed Senate.

PL92-532 MARINE PROTECTION, RESEARCH, AND SANCTUARIES ACT OF 1972.

Oct. 23, 1972. 92-2. *

●Item 575. 12 p.

86 STAT. 1052.

"To regulate the transportation for dumping, and the dumping, of material into ocean waters, and for other purposes."

Provides EPA administration of act and issuance of permits, and Secretary of the Army authority to issue permits in cases of Army Corps of Engineers dumping of materials deemed not environmentally hazardous. Also authorizes comprehensive research on ocean dumping, and designation by Commerce Dept of marine sanctuaries within the outer edge of the Continental Shelf.

Legislative History (H.R. 9727 and related bills):

1971 CIS/Annual:

House Hearings: H561-7; H561-13.

Senate Hearings: S261-35; S641-8; S641-27.

House Report: H563-14 (No. 92-361).

Senate Report: S263-29 (No. 92-451).

1972 CIS/Annual:

Senate Hearings: S261-30.

House Report: H563-39 (No. 92-1546,

Conference Report).

Congressional Record Vol. 117 (1971):

Sept. 8, 9, considered and passed House.

Nov. 24, considered and passed Senate, amended.

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Public Law 92-527

AN ACT

To provide for the administration of the Mar-A-Lago National Historic Site, in Palm Beach, Florida.

October 21, 1972
[H.R. 13067]

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 (hereinafter referred to as the "Secretary") may accept, maintain, develop, and administer the Mar-A-Lago National Historic Site described in the order of designation dated January 16, 1969, as a part of the national park system pursuant to the provision of the Act of August 21, 1935 (49 Stat. 666; 16 U.S.C. 461 et seq.), as amended, at such time as the right to possession of the real and personal property comprising the historic site shall vest in the United States.

Mar-A-Lago National Historic Site, Fla. Acceptance and administration.

(b) The Secretary is directed to use the authority contained in the Act of August 21, 1935 (supra) to enter into such agreements and to take such actions as he may deem necessary to provide for administration and for the use of the Mar-A-Lago National Historic Site as a temporary residence for visiting foreign dignitaries or heads of state or members of the executive branch of the United States Government. Any further use of this property shall be determined by the Secretary after conferring with the Mar-A-Lago National Historic Site Advisory Commission.

Use.

SEC. 2. (a) There is hereby established a Mar-A-Lago National Historic Site Advisory Commission (hereafter referred to as the "Commission").

Mar-A-Lago National Historic Site Advisory Commission. Establishment; membership.

(b) The Commission shall be composed of five members appointed by the Secretary of the Interior for terms of three years each, as follows:

- (1) One member to be appointed from recommendations submitted by the Governor of the State of Florida;
- (2) One member to be appointed from recommendations submitted by the trustees appointed pursuant to the Mar-A-Lago Trust; and
- (3) Three members to be appointed by the Secretary, one of whom shall be designated Chairman of the Commission, to represent the general public interest, and two of whom shall be appointed from recommendations submitted by the town council of Palm Beach, Florida.

(c) Any vacancy in the Commission shall be filled in the same manner in which the original appointment was made.

Vacancies.

(d) Members of the Commission shall serve without compensation, as such, but the Secretary is authorized to pay, upon vouchers signed by the Chairman, the expenses reasonably incurred by the Commission and its members in carrying out their responsibilities under this Act.

Expenses.

(e) The Secretary, or his designee, shall, as the circumstances require meet and consult with the Commission on general policies and specific matters related to the administration of the historic site.

(f) The Commission shall act and advise by affirmative vote of a majority of the members thereof.

Approved October 21, 1972.

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PL96-585 Legislative Histories, 96th Congress, 2nd Session

Congressional Record Vol. 126 (1980):
Dec. 10, considered and passed House.
Dec. 13, considered and passed Senate.

PL96-586 NEVADA AND LAKE TAHOE BASIN, land disposal and acquisition.

Dec. 23, 1980. 96-2. 6 p.
* CIS/MF/3 ●Item 575.
94 STAT. 3381.

"To provide for the orderly disposal of certain Federal lands in Nevada and for the acquisition of certain other lands in the Lake Tahoe Basin, and for other purposes."

Provides for lands disposal in Clark County, Nev., and acquisition of environmentally sensitive lands in the Lake Tahoe Basin, Calif. Also redesignates the Mar-A-Lago National Historic Site, Fla., as the Mar-A-Lago National Historic Landmark.

Legislative history: (H.R. 7306 and related bill):

1980 CIS/Annual:

House Report: H443-18 (No. 96-1023).
Senate Report: S313-62 (No. 96-1026).

Congressional Record Vol. 126 (1980):

Sept. 8, considered and passed House.
Dec. 4, considered and passed Senate, amended.
Dec. 5, House concurred in Senate amendments.

PL96-587 JOHN F. KENNEDY CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS, appropriation authorization.

Dec. 23, 1980. 96-2. 1 p.
* CIS/MF/3 ●Item 575.
94 STAT. 3387.

"Authorizing appropriations to the Secretary of the Interior for services necessary to the nonperforming arts functions of the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts, and for other purposes."

Authorizes FY80-FY81 appropriations for maintenance, security, and tourist services.

Legislative history: (S. 1142 and related bill):

1979 CIS/Annual:

House Report: H643-3 (No. 96-179, accompanying H.R. 3051).
Senate Report: S323-1 (No. 96-150).

1980 CIS/Annual:

House Report: H643-17 (No. 96-1530, Conference Report).

Congressional Record Vol. 125 (1979):

Sept. 6, considered and passed Senate.

Congressional Record Vol. 126 (1980):

Jan. 24, H.R. 3051 considered and passed House; proceedings vacated and S. 1142, amended, passed in lieu.
Aug. 22, Senate concurred in House amendment with an amendment.
Dec. 9, Senate agreed to conference report.
Dec. 10, House agreed to conference report.

PL96-588 CERTAIN FEDERAL FACILITIES, designations.

Dec. 24, 1980. 96-2. 1 p.
* CIS/MF/3 ●Item 575.
94 STAT. 3388.

"To designate the 'Thomas J. McIntyre Federal Building'."

Also designates Colmery-O'Neil VA Medical Center, Topeka, Kans., and Louis C. Wyman Forest Experiment Station, Durham, N.H.

Legislative history: (S. 3212 and related bill):

Congressional Record Vol. 126 (1980):

Dec. 5, H.R. 8377, considered and passed House.
Dec. 13, S. 3212 considered and passed Senate.
Dec. 16, considered and passed House, amended; Senate agreed to House amendment.

PL96-589 BANKRUPTCY TAX ACT OF 1980.

Dec. 24, 1980. 96-2. 25 p.
* CIS/MF/3 ●Item 575.
94 STAT. 3389.

"To amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 to provide for the tax treatment of bankruptcy, insolvency, and similar proceedings, and for other purposes."

Legislative history: (H.R. 5043):

1979 CIS/Annual:

House Committee Print: H782-59.

1980 CIS/Annual:

House Hearings: H781-21.
House Committee Print: H782-17.
Senate Committee Print: S362-20.
House Report: H783-3 (No. 96-833).
Senate Report: S363-27 (No. 96-1035).

Congressional Record Vol. 126 (1980):

Mar. 24, considered and passed House.
Dec. 13, considered and passed Senate, amended; House agreed to Senate amendments.

PL96-590 COMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1934, amendment.

Dec. 24, 1980. 96-2. 1 p.
* CIS/MF/3 ●Item 575.
94 STAT. 3414.

"To amend section 222 of the Communications Act of 1934 in order to include Hawaii in the same category as other States for the purposes of such section."

Removes constraints against interstate communications services, facilities, and rates already available to Alaska and continental States.

Legislative history: (S. 3261):

Congressional Record Vol. 126 (1980):

Dec. 11, considered and passed Senate.
Dec. 12, considered and passed House.

PL96-591 INLAND NAVIGATIONAL RULES ACT OF 1980.

Dec. 24, 1980. 96-2. 22 p.
* CIS/MF/3 ●Item 575.
94 STAT. 3415.

"To unify the rules for preventing collisions on the inland waters of the United States, and for other purposes."

Legislative history: (H.R. 6671):

1980 CIS/Annual:

House Committee Print: H562-9.
Senate Report: S263-45 (No. 96-979).

Congressional Record Vol. 126 (1980):

June 23, considered and passed House.
Sept. 30, considered and passed Senate, amended.
Nov. 19, House concurred in certain Senate amendments and disagreed to Senate amendment No. 70.
Dec. 8, Senate receded from its amendment No. 70.

Weekly Compilation of Presidential Documents Vol. 16, No. 52 (1980):

Dec. 24, Presidential statement.

PL96-592 FARM CREDIT ACT AMENDMENTS OF 1980.

Dec. 24, 1980. 96-2. 15 p.
* CIS/MF/3 ●Item 575.
94 STAT. 3437.

"To amend the Farm Credit Act of 1971 to permit Farm Credit System institutions to improve their services to borrowers, and for other purposes."

Includes provisions to authorize Farm Credit System institutions extension of credit to persons in the Virgin Islands, and to revise Farm Credit Administration management and operation.

Legislative history: (S. 1465 and related bills):

1980 CIS/Annual:

House Hearings: H161-14; H161-27; H681-4.1.

Senate Hearings: S161-11; S241-50.
House Report: H163-27 (No. 96-1287, accompanying H.R. 7548).
Senate Report: S163-15 (No. 96-837).

Congressional Record Vol. 126 (1980):

July 24, considered and passed Senate.
Nov. 19, H.R. 7548 considered and passed House; passage vacated and S. 1465, amended, passed in lieu.
Dec. 13, Senate agreed to House amendment.

Weekly Compilation of Presidential Documents Vol. 16, No. 52 (1980):

Dec. 24, Presidential statement.

PL96-593 NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS ACT, amendment.

Dec. 24, 1980. 96-2. 1 p.
* CIS/MF/3 ●Item 575.
94 STAT. 3452.

"To amend the National Labor Relations Act to provide that any employee who is a member of a religion or sect historically holding conscientious objection to joining or financially supporting a labor organization shall not be required to do so."

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Public Law 96-586
96th Congress

An Act

To provide for the orderly disposal of certain Federal lands in Nevada and for the acquisition of certain other lands in the Lake Tahoe Basin, and for other purposes.

Dec. 23, 1980
[H.R. 7306]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

SECTION 1. (a) The Congress finds that—

Nevada and
Lake
Tahoe Basin,
land
disposal and ac-
quisition.

- (1) the Bureau of Land Management has extensive land ownership in small parcels interspersed with or adjacent to private lands in urban areas of Clark County, Nevada;
- (2) for orderly development of the communities in that county certain of those lands should be sold by the Federal Government;
- (3) the Lake Tahoe Basin is a closed basin two-thirds of which is located within the State of California and one-third within the State of Nevada;
- (4) the environmental quality of the Lake Tahoe Basin is seriously jeopardized by overdevelopment of sensitive land areas;
- (5) a majority of the acreage developed within the Lake Tahoe Basin and the potential for further development of sensitive land areas is within California;
- (6) further tourist oriented development within the basin encourages significant permanent development of other kinds as well as tourist visitation; and
- (7) the unique character of the Lake Tahoe Basin is of national significance deserving of further protection and management.

(b) The purpose of this Act is to provide for the orderly disposal of Federal lands in Clark County, Nevada, and to provide for acquisition of environmentally sensitive lands in the Lake Tahoe Basin.

SEC. 2. (a) The Secretary of the Interior (hereinafter in this Act referred to as the "Secretary") is authorized and directed to dispose of lands under the jurisdiction of the Bureau of Land Management in Clark County, Nevada, as shown on the map numbered 7306A, dated May 1980, and entitled "Las Vegas Valley, Nevada, Land Sales Map", which map shall be on file and available for public inspection in the offices of the Bureau of Land Management. Such disposal shall be in accordance with regulations developed jointly by the Secretary and the affected local governmental jurisdictions and shall be consistent with the provisions of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act and other applicable law except to the extent necessary to expeditiously carry out the provisions of this Act.

Clark County,
Nev.;
land disposal.

(b) No more than seven hundred acres per calendar year may be offered for sale by the Bureau of Land Management in Clark County.

43 USC 1701
note.

(c) Notwithstanding section 1(b), the Secretary and the affected local governmental jurisdictions shall jointly select lands to be offered for sale under this Act. The Secretary may not offer any land for sale if in his judgment such land has not been appropriately classified in accordance with adjacent land use by the local governmental jurisdiction. In the event agreement cannot be reached on joint selection, no lands shall be offered for sale.

Annual acreage
limit.

Land selection.

16 USC 4601-9.

provisions of section 7(a)(1) of the Land and Water Conservation Fund Act of 1965. Amounts authorized to be appropriated under this subsection shall remain available until expended. Authorizations of moneys to be appropriated under this Act shall be effective October 1, 1981. Authority to enter into contracts and agreements and to make payments under this Act shall be effective only to the extent or in such amounts as are provided in advance in appropriation Acts.

Mar-A-Lago National Historic Site. Repeal. 16 USC 467a and note, 467a-1. 16 USC 461 note, 467a note.

SEC. 4. (a)(1) Effective upon the conveyance or transfer authorized in subsection b, the Act of October 21, 1972, entitled "An Act to provide for the administration of the Mar-A-Lago National Historic Site, in Palm Beach, Florida" is repealed.

(2) The order of designation of the Mar-A-Lago National Historic Site, dated January 16, 1969, is repealed and the site described therein is hereby designated as the Mar-A-Lago National Historic Landmark.

Marjorie Merriweather Post Foundation, property transfer. 16 USC 467a note.

(b) The Secretary of the Interior shall, within one hundred and twenty days of the date of enactment of this Act, take such measures, consistent with the terms and conditions of the deed of conveyance from Marjorie M. Post to the United States of America, dated December 18, 1972, as may be necessary to transfer the property described in the order of designation of the Mar-A-Lago National Historic Site to the Marjorie Merriweather Post Foundation of the District of Columbia (a charitable foundation organized under the District of Columbia Nonprofit Corporation Act).

D.C. Code 29-1001. Funds, adjustments.

(c) The Secretary is authorized upon conveyance, to make appropriate adjustments in the funds available for the administration and management of the property, including but not limited to, return of unobligated donated funds to the trustees of the Marjorie Merriweather Post Foundation of the District of Columbia, and reprogram existing appropriations to related functions and activities of the National Park Service.

Approved December 23, 1980.

Public Law 96-587
96th Congress

Authorizing appropriations to the nonperforming arts functions of the National Endowment for the Arts, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 6 of the John F. Kennedy Center for Performing Arts Act, amended (20 U.S.C. 761) is amended to read as follows: "There is authorized to be appropriated for each fiscal year beginning after September 30, 1980, and not to exceed \$4,200,000 for each year beginning after September 30, 1981."

SEC. 2. Ralph E. Becker is hereby designated as the John F. Kennedy Center for Performing Arts Distinguished Service Award recipient for his distinguished service as a trustee of the Center from 1958 to 1980.

Approved December 23, 1980.

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY:

HOUSE REPORT No. 96-1023 (Comm. on Interior and Insular Affairs).
SENATE REPORT No. 96-1026 (Comm. on Energy and Natural Resources).
CONGRESSIONAL RECORD, Vol. 126 (1980):
Sept. 8, considered and passed House.
Dec. 4, considered and passed Senate, amended.
Dec. 5, House concurred in Senate amendments.

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY:

HOUSE REPORTS: No. 96-179 (Companion to H.R. 5000).
SENATE REPORT No. 96-150 (Companion to S. 1210).
CONGRESSIONAL RECORD:
Vol. 125 (1979): Sept. 6, considered and passed House.
Vol. 126 (1980): Jan. 24, H. R. 5000 vacated a day;
Aug. 22, S. 1210 amended;
Dec. 9, Senate concurred in House amendments;
Dec. 10, House concurred in Senate amendments.