

**§ 1663. Acknowledgment of deeds**

Deeds and other instruments affecting land situate in the District of Columbia or any Territory of the United States may be acknowledged in the islands of Guam and Samoa or in the Canal Zone before any notary public or judge, appointed therein by proper authority, or by any officer therein who has ex officio the powers of a notary public: *Provided*, That the certificate by such notary in Guam, Samoa, or the Canal Zone, as the case may be, shall be accompanied by the certificate of the governor or acting governor of such place to the effect that the notary taking said acknowledgment was in fact the officer he purported to be; and any deeds or other instruments affecting lands so situate, so acknowledged since the first day of January, 1905, and accompanied by such certificate shall have the same effect as such deeds or other instruments hereafter so acknowledged and certified.

(June 28, 1906, ch. 3585, 34 Stat. 552.)

## REFERENCES IN TEXT

For definition of Canal Zone, referred to in text, see section 3602(b) of Title 22, Foreign Relations and Intercourse.

## CODIFICATION

Section is also classified to section 1421f-1 of this title.

Section was formerly classified to sections 1358 and 1432 of this title.

**§ 1664. Repealed. Pub. L. 109-304, § 19, Oct. 6, 2006, 120 Stat. 1710**

Section, act June 14, 1934, ch. 523, 48 Stat. 963, made coastwise shipping laws of United States inapplicable to commerce between the islands of American Samoa or between those islands and other ports under the jurisdiction of the United States. See section 55101 of Title 46, Shipping.

**§ 1665. Omitted**

## CODIFICATION

Section, act Oct. 5, 1992, Pub. L. 102-381, title I, 106 Stat. 1392, which authorized Territorial and local governments of American Samoa to make purchases through General Services Administration, was from the Department of the Interior and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 1992, and was not repeated in subsequent appropriation acts. See section 1469e of this title. Similar provisions were contained in the following prior appropriation acts:

- Nov. 13, 1991, Pub. L. 102-154, title I, 105 Stat. 1007.
- Nov. 5, 1990, Pub. L. 101-512, title I, 104 Stat. 1932.
- Oct. 23, 1989, Pub. L. 101-121, title I, 103 Stat. 716.
- Sept. 27, 1988, Pub. L. 100-446, title I, 102 Stat. 1797.
- Dec. 22, 1987, Pub. L. 100-202, § 101(g) [title I], 101 Stat. 1329-213, 1329-231.
- Oct. 18, 1986, Pub. L. 99-500, § 101(h) [title I], 100 Stat. 1783-242, 1783-258, and Oct. 30, 1986, Pub. L. 99-591, § 101(h) [title I], 100 Stat. 3341-242, 3341-258.
- Dec. 19, 1985, Pub. L. 99-190, § 101(d) [title I], 99 Stat. 1224, 1238.
- Oct. 12, 1984, Pub. L. 98-473, title I, § 101(c) [title I], 98 Stat. 1837, 1851.
- Nov. 4, 1983, Pub. L. 98-146, title I, 97 Stat. 931.
- Dec. 30, 1982, Pub. L. 97-394, title I, 96 Stat. 1979.
- Dec. 23, 1981, Pub. L. 97-100, title I, 95 Stat. 1401.
- Dec. 12, 1980, Pub. L. 96-514, title I, 94 Stat. 2969.
- Nov. 27, 1979, Pub. L. 96-126, title I, 93 Stat. 965.
- Oct. 17, 1978, Pub. L. 95-465, title I, 92 Stat. 1289.
- July 26, 1977, Pub. L. 95-74, title I, 91 Stat. 295.

- July 31, 1976, Pub. L. 94-373, title I, 90 Stat. 1052.
- Dec. 23, 1975, Pub. L. 94-165, title I, 89 Stat. 987.
- Aug. 31, 1974, Pub. L. 93-404, title I, 88 Stat. 812.
- Oct. 4, 1973, Pub. L. 93-120, title I, 87 Stat. 433.
- Aug. 10, 1972, Pub. L. 92-369, title I, 86 Stat. 512.
- Aug. 10, 1971, Pub. L. 92-76, title I, 85 Stat. 233.
- July 31, 1970, Pub. L. 91-361, title I, 84 Stat. 673.
- Oct. 29, 1969, Pub. L. 91-98, title I, 83 Stat. 151.
- July 26, 1968, Pub. L. 90-425, title I, 82 Stat. 430.
- June 24, 1967, Pub. L. 90-28, title I, 81 Stat. 63.
- May 31, 1966, Pub. L. 89-435, title I, 80 Stat. 174.
- June 28, 1965, Pub. L. 89-52, title I, 79 Stat. 179.
- July 7, 1964, Pub. L. 88-356, title I, 78 Stat. 278.
- July 26, 1963, Pub. L. 88-79, title I, 77 Stat. 102.
- Aug. 9, 1962, Pub. L. 87-578, title I, 76 Stat. 339.
- Aug. 3, 1961, Pub. L. 87-122, title I, 75 Stat. 250.
- May 13, 1960, Pub. L. 86-455, title I, 74 Stat. 112.
- June 23, 1959, Pub. L. 86-60, title I, 73 Stat. 101.
- June 4, 1958, Pub. L. 85-439, title I, 72 Stat. 163.
- July 1, 1957, Pub. L. 85-77, title I, 71 Stat. 265.
- June 13, 1956, ch. 380, title I, 70 Stat. 265.
- June 16, 1955, ch. 147, title I, 69 Stat. 149.
- July 1, 1954, ch. 446, title I, 68 Stat. 372.
- July 31, 1953, ch. 298, title I, 67 Stat. 273.
- July 9, 1952, ch. 597, title I, 66 Stat. 457.
- Aug. 31, 1951, ch. 375, title I, 65 Stat. 263.

**§ 1666. Extension of scientific, technical, and other assistance; grant-in-aid program restriction; limitations on expenditures**

Upon request of the Secretary of the Interior—

(a) the head of any Federal department, agency, or corporation may, notwithstanding any other provision of law, extend to American Samoa, without reimbursement, such scientific, technical, and other assistance under any program which it administers as, in the judgment of the Secretary of the Interior, will promote the welfare of American Samoa. The provisions of the preceding sentence shall not apply to financial assistance under any grant-in-aid program. The Secretary of the Interior shall not request assistance pursuant to this subsection which will involve nonreimbursable costs as estimated for him in advance by the heads of the departments, agencies, and corporations concerned in excess of an aggregate of \$150,000 in any one fiscal year;

(b) the Secretary of Agriculture may extend to American Samoa the benefits of the Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act, as amended [42 U.S.C. 1751 et seq.]; and

(c) the Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare may extend to American Samoa the benefits of the Vocational Education Act of 1946, the Hospital Survey and Construction Act [42 U.S.C. 291 et seq.], and section 246 of title 42, all as amended.

(Pub. L. 87-688, § 1, Sept. 25, 1962, 76 Stat. 586; Pub. L. 104-208, div. A, title I, § 101(e) [title VII, § 709(a)(7)], Sept. 30, 1996, 110 Stat. 3009-233, 3009-312; Pub. L. 106-78, title VII, § 752(b)(18), Oct. 22, 1999, 113 Stat. 1170.)

## REFERENCES IN TEXT

The Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act, as amended, referred to in subsec. (b), is act June 4, 1946, ch. 281, 60 Stat. 230, as amended, which is classified generally to chapter 13 (§ 1751 et seq.) of Title 42, The Public Health and Welfare. For complete classification of this Act to the Code, see Short Title note set out under section 1751 of Title 42 and Tables.

The Vocational Education Act of 1946, referred to in subsec. (c), is act June 8, 1936, ch. 541, 49 Stat. 1488, as