

AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS

Pub. L. 87-541, July 19, 1962, 76 Stat. 171, provided in part that not more than \$15,000,000 be authorized to be appropriated for the fiscal year 1963.

Section 2 of act June 30, 1954, as amended July 19, 1962, Pub. L. 87-541, 76 Stat. 171; May 10, 1967, Pub. L. 90-16, §1, 81 Stat. 15; Oct. 21, 1968, Pub. L. 90-617, §1, 82 Stat. 1213; Dec. 24, 1970, Pub. L. 91-578, 84 Stat. 1559; Sept. 21, 1973, Pub. L. 93-111, §1, 87 Stat. 354; May 28, 1975, Pub. L. 94-27, §1, 89 Stat. 95; Apr. 1, 1976, Pub. L. 94-255, §1, 90 Stat. 299; Oct. 15, 1977, Pub. L. 95-134, title I, §101, 91 Stat. 1159; Mar. 12, 1980, Pub. L. 96-205, title I, §101, 94 Stat. 84; Dec. 24, 1980, Pub. L. 96-597, title IV, §401, 94 Stat. 3478, provided that: "There are authorized to be appropriated not to exceed \$25,000,000 for fiscal year 1967, for fiscal year 1975, \$75,000,000 for fiscal year 1976, \$80,000,000; for the period beginning July 1, 1976, and ending September 30, 1976, \$15,100,000; for fiscal year 1977, \$80,000,000; and such amounts as were authorized but not appropriated for fiscal years 1975, 1976, and 1977; for fiscal year 1978, \$90,000,000; for fiscal year 1979, \$122,700,000; for fiscal year 1980, \$112,000,000; for fiscal years after fiscal year 1980, such sums as may be necessary, including, but not limited to, sums needed for completion of the capital improvement program; for a basic communications system; for a feasibility study and construction of a hydroelectric project on Ponape; for expenditure by grant or contract for the installation, operation, and maintenance of communications systems which will provide internal and external communications; and up to but not to exceed \$8,000,000 for the construction of such buildings as are required for a four-year college to serve the Micronesian community (no appropriations for the construction of such buildings shall, however, be made (A) until, but not later than one year after the date of the enactment of this Act [Apr. 1, 1976], the President causes a study to be made by an appropriate authority to determine the educational need and the most suitable educational concept for such a college and transmits such study, together with his recommendations, to the Committees on Interior and Insular Affairs of the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States within said one year period and (B) until 90 calendar days after the receipt of such study and recommendations which shall be deemed approved unless specifically disapproved by resolution of either such committee), and \$1,800,000 for a human development project in the Marshall Islands plus such sums as are necessary, for each of such fiscal years, or periods, to offset reductions in, or the termination of, Federal grant-in-aid programs or other funds made available to the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands by other Federal agencies, to remain available until expended, to carry out the provisions of this Act [this section] and to provide for a program of necessary capital improvements and public works related to health, education, utilities, highways, transportation facilities, communications, and public buildings: *Provided*, That except for funds appropriated for the activities of the Peace Corps no funds appropriated by any Act shall be used for administration of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands except as may be specifically authorized by law."

INVENTORY AND STUDY OF MOST UNIQUE AND SIGNIFICANT NATURAL, HISTORICAL, ETC., RESOURCES OF TRUST TERRITORY OF THE PACIFIC ISLANDS

Pub. L. 97-357, title II, §205, Oct. 19, 1982, 96 Stat. 1708, directed Secretary of the Interior to conduct a comprehensive inventory and study of the most unique and significant natural, historical, cultural and recreational resources of Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands with objective of preservation of their values and their careful use and appreciation by the public, along with a determination of their potential for attracting tourism, further provided that such inventory and study was to be conducted in full cooperation and consultation with affected governmental officials and the interested public, and was to identify areas or sites

which qualified to be listed on Registry of Natural Landmarks and National Register of Historic Places, and further provided that a full report on such inventory and study was to be transmitted to the respectively involved governments and Congress no later than two complete calendar years after Oct. 19, 1982.

ESTABLISHMENT OF PERMANENT LOCATION FOR DISPLACED PEOPLE OF BIKINI ISLAND; PROGRESS REPORT TO CONGRESS; CONTENTS

Pub. L. 95-348, §2(c), Aug. 18, 1978, 92 Stat. 488, directed Secretary of the Interior to prepare and submit to Congress by July 1, 1979, a progress report on efforts to establish a permanent location for displaced people of Bikini Island.

DISASTER RELIEF

Section 3 of act June 30, 1954, ch. 423, as added Pub. L. 90-617, §2, Oct. 21, 1968, 82 Stat. 1213, and amended Pub. L. 91-606, title III, §301(k), Dec. 31, 1970, 84 Stat. 1759; Pub. L. 93-288, title VII, §702(k), formerly title VI, §602(k), May 22, 1974, 88 Stat. 164, renumbered Pub. L. 103-337, div. C, title XXXIV, §3411(a)(1), (2), Oct. 5, 1994, 108 Stat. 3100; Pub. L. 100-707, title I, §109(w), Nov. 23, 1988, 102 Stat. 4710, provided that: "There are hereby authorized to be appropriated such sums as the Secretary of the Interior may find necessary, but not to exceed \$10,000,000 for any one year, to alleviate suffering and damage resulting from major disasters that occur in the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands. Such sums shall be in addition to those authorized in section 2 of this Act [set out as a note above] and shall not be subject to the limitations imposed by section 2 of this Act. The Secretary of the Interior shall determine whether or not a major disaster has occurred in accordance with the principles and policies of sections 102(2) and 401 of the [Robert T. Stafford] Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act [42 U.S.C. 5122(2), 5170]."

ISLAND TRADING COMPANY OF MICRONESIA

Act Aug. 8, 1953, ch. 383, §3, 67 Stat. 495, provided that notwithstanding the provisions of the Interior Department Appropriation Act, 1953 (Pub. L. 470, ch. 597, 66 Stat. 445), the Island Trading Company of Micronesia not have succession after Dec. 31, 1954.

AUTHORIZING APPROVAL OF TRUSTEESHIP AGREEMENT FOR THE TERRITORY OF THE PACIFIC ISLANDS

Act July 18, 1947, ch. 271, 61 Stat. 397, authorized President to approve, on behalf of the United States, the trusteeship agreement between the United States and the Security Council of the United Nations for the former Japanese mandated islands (to be known as the Territory of the Pacific Islands) which was approved by the Security Council on Apr. 2, 1947.

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 10265

Ex. Ord. No. 10265, eff. June 29, 1951, 16 F.R. 6419, which related to transfer of administration of Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, was superseded by Ex. Ord. No. 11021, eff. May 8, 1962, 27 F.R. 4409, formerly set out below.

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 11021

Ex. Ord. No. 11021, eff. May 7, 1962, 27 F.R. 4409, as amended by Ex. Ord. No. 11944, eff. Oct. 25, 1976, 41 F.R. 47215, which related to administration of Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, was superseded by Ex. Ord. No. 12569, Oct. 16, 1986, 51 F.R. 37171, set out as a note under section 1901 of this title.

§ 1681a. Appointment of High Commissioner

Any appointment made on or after May 10, 1967, to the office of the High Commissioner of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands shall be made by the President by and with the advice and consent of the Senate.

(Pub. L. 90-16, §2, May 10, 1967, 81 Stat. 15.)

§ 1681b. Transfer of functions from government comptroller for Guam to Inspector General, Department of the Interior

(a) Functions, powers, and duties transferred

The following functions, powers, and duties heretofore vested in the government comptroller for Guam with respect to the government of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands and the government of the Northern Mariana Islands are hereby transferred to the Inspector General, Department of the Interior, for the purpose of establishing an organization which will maintain a satisfactory level of independent audit oversight of the governments of the Marshall Islands, the Federated States of Micronesia, Palau, and the Northern Mariana Islands:

(1) The authority to audit all accounts pertaining to the revenue and receipts of the governments of the Marshall Islands, the Federated States of Micronesia, Palau, and the Northern Mariana Islands, and of funds derived from bond issues, and the authority to audit, in accordance with law and administrative regulations, all expenditures of funds and property pertaining to the aforementioned governments including those pertaining to trust funds held by such governments.

(2) The authority to report to the Secretary of the Interior, the High Commissioner of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, the chief executives of the governments of the Marshall Islands, the Federated States of Micronesia, Palau, and the Northern Mariana Islands all failures to collect amounts due the governments, and expenditures of funds or uses of property which are irregular or not pursuant to law.

(b) Scope of authority transferred

The authority granted in paragraph (a) shall extend to all activities of the governments of the Marshall Islands, the Federated States of Micronesia, Palau, and the Northern Mariana Islands, and shall be in addition to the authority conferred upon the Inspector General by the Inspector General Act of 1978 (92 Stat. 1101), as amended. This section is not subject to termination under section 502(a)(3) of the Covenant to Establish a Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands in Political Union with the United States of America (90 Stat. 263, 268).

(c) Transfer of personnel, assets, etc., of office of government comptroller for Guam to Office of Inspector General, Department of the Interior

In order to carry out the provisions of this section, the personnel, assets, liabilities, contracts, property, records, and unexpended balances of appropriations, authorizations, allocations, and other funds employed, held, used, arising from, available or to be made available, of the office of the government comptroller for Guam related to its audit function, with respect to the government of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands and the government of the Northern Mariana Islands are hereby transferred to the Office of Inspector General, Department of the Interior.

(June 30, 1954, ch. 423, §4, as added Pub. L. 97-357, title II, §203(b), Oct. 19, 1982, 96 Stat. 1707.)

REFERENCES IN TEXT

The Inspector General Act of 1978, referred to in subsec. (b), is Pub. L. 95-452, Oct. 12, 1978, 92 Stat. 1101, as amended, which is set out in the Appendix to Title 5, Government Organization and Employees.

Section 502(a)(3) of the Covenant to Establish a Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands in Political Union with the United States of America, referred to in subsec. (b), is contained in section 1 of Pub. L. 94-241, set out as a note under section 1801 of this title.

PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 1681b, acts June 30, 1954, ch. 423, §4, as added Sept. 21, 1973, Pub. L. 93-111, §2, 87 Stat. 354; amended Oct. 15, 1977, Pub. L. 95-134, title II, §203(b), 91 Stat. 1162; Mar. 12, 1980, Pub. L. 96-205, title II, §201(b), 94 Stat. 85, related to duties of government comptroller for Guam in addition to those imposed by Organic Act of Guam, prior to repeal by Pub. L. 97-357, §203(b).

§ 1681c. Repealed. Pub. L. 97-357, title II, §203(d), Oct. 19, 1982, 96 Stat. 1708

Section, Pub. L. 96-205, title II, §201(a), Mar. 12, 1980, 94 Stat. 85, related to the payment of the salary and expenses of the government comptroller for the Northern Mariana Islands from funds appropriated to the Department of the Interior.

§ 1682. Omitted

CODIFICATION

Section, act Oct. 5, 1992, Pub. L. 102-381, title I, 106 Stat. 1393, which authorized government of Trust Territory of Pacific Islands to make purchases through General Services Administration, was from the Department of the Interior and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 1993, 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. 1008.
 Nov. 5, 1990, Pub. L. 101-512, title I, 104 Stat. 1933.
 Oct. 23, 1989, Pub. L. 101-121, title I, 103 Stat. 717.
 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, 1329-232.
 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, 3341-259.
 Dec. 19, 1985, Pub. L. 99-190, §101(d) [title I], 99 Stat. 1224, 1239.
 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. 932.
 Dec. 30, 1982, Pub. L. 97-394, title I, 96 Stat. 1979.
 Dec. 23, 1981, Pub. L. 97-100, title I, 95 Stat. 1402.
 Dec. 12, 1980, Pub. L. 96-514, title I, 94 Stat. 2969.
 Nov. 27, 1979, Pub. L. 96-126, title I, 93 Stat. 966.
 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. 1053.
 Dec. 23, 1975, Pub. L. 94-165, title I, 89 Stat. 988.
 Aug. 31, 1974, Pub. L. 93-404, title I, 88 Stat. 813.
 Oct. 4, 1973, Pub. L. 93-120, title I, 87 Stat. 434.
 Aug. 10, 1972, Pub. L. 92-369, title I, 86 Stat. 513.
 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. 152.
 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. 340.