

Public Law 86-591

AN ACT

To amend section 109(g) of the Federal Property and Administrative Services Act of 1949.

July 5, 1960
[H. R. 9541]

Federal Property
and Administrative
Services Act of
1949, amend-
ment.
64 Stat. 579.
5 USC 630g.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 109(g) of the Federal Property and Administrative Services Act of 1949 (63 Stat. 377, as amended) is amended to read as follows:

“(g) Whenever any producer or vendor shall tender any article or commodity for sale or lease to the General Services Administration or to any procurement authority acting under the direction and control of the Administrator pursuant to this Act, the Administrator is authorized in his discretion, with the consent of such producer or vendor, to cause to be conducted, in such manner as the Administrator shall specify, such tests as he shall prescribe either to determine whether such article or commodity conforms to prescribed specifications and standards, or to aid in the development of contemplated specifications and standards. When the Administrator determines that the making of such tests will serve predominantly the interest of such producer or vendor, he shall charge such producer or vendor a fee which shall be fixed by the Administrator in such amount as will recover the cost of conducting such tests, including all components of such cost, determined in accordance with accepted accounting principles. When the Administrator determines that the making of such tests will not serve predominantly the interest of such producer or vendor, he shall charge such producer or vendor such fee as he shall determine to be reasonable for the furnishing of such testing service. All such fees collected by the Administrator may be deposited in the general supply fund to be used for any purpose authorized by subsection 109(a) of this Act.”

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AN ACT

To amend the Sugar Act of 1948, as amended.

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[H. R. 12311]

Sugar Act of
1948, amendment.
65 Stat. 320; 70
Stat. 221.
7 USC 1101 note.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 412 of the Sugar Act of 1948 (relating to termination of the powers of the Secretary under the Act) is amended (1) by striking out “December 31, 1960” and inserting in lieu thereof “March 31, 1961”, (2) by inserting “, until March 31, 1961,” after “power”, and (3) by striking out “the crop year 1960 and previous crop years” and inserting in lieu thereof “any crop year beginning prior to March 31, 1961”.

SEC. 2. Sections 4501(c) and 6412(d) (relating to the termination and refund of taxes on sugar) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 are amended by striking out “June 30, 1961” in each place it appears therein and inserting in lieu thereof “September 30, 1961”.

SEC. 3. Section 408 of the Sugar Act of 1948, as amended (relating to suspension of quotas), is amended to designate such section as subsection “(a)”; and to add a new subsection “(b)” as follows:

“(b) Notwithstanding the provisions of title II of this Act, for the period ending March 31, 1961:

“(1) The President shall determine notwithstanding any other provisions of title II, the quota for Cuba for the balance of calendar year 1960 and for the three-month period ending March 31, 1961, in such amount or amounts as he shall find from time to time to be in the national interest: *Provided, however,* That in no event shall such quota at any time exceed such amount as would be provided for Cuba under the terms of title II in the absence of the amendments made

68A Stat. 533,
796; 72 Stat. 1306.
26 USC 4501,
6412.

61 Stat. 933.
7 USC 1158.

61 Stat. 923; 70
Stat. 217.
7 USC 1111-1122.

herein, and such determinations shall become effective immediately upon publication in the Federal Register of the President's proclamation thereof;

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"(2) For the purposes of meeting the requirements of consumers in the United States, the President is thereafter authorized to cause or permit to be brought or imported into or marketed in the United States, at such times and from such sources, including any country whose quota has been so reduced, and subject to such terms and conditions as he deems appropriate under the prevailing circumstances, a quantity of sugar, not in excess of the sum of any reductions in quotas made pursuant to this subsection: *Provided, however,* That any part of such quantity equivalent to the proration of domestic deficits to the country whose quota has been reduced may be allocated to domestic areas and the remainder of such quantity (plus any part of such allocation that domestic areas are unable to fill) shall be apportioned in raw sugar as follows:

"(i) There shall first be purchased from other foreign countries for which quotas or prorations thereof of not less than three thousand or more than ten thousand short tons, raw value, are provided in section 202(c), such quantities of raw sugar as are required to permit importation in such calendar year of a total of ten thousand short tons, raw value, from such country;

7 USC 1112.

"(ii) There shall next be purchased from the Republic of the Philippines 15 per centum of the remainder of such importation;

"(iii) The balance, including any unfilled balances from allocations already provided, shall be purchased from foreign countries having quotas under section 202(c), other than those provided for in the preceding subparagraph (i), in amounts prorated according to the quotas established under section 202(c): *Provided,* That if additional amounts of sugar are required the President may authorize the purchase of such amounts from any foreign countries, without regard to allocation;

"(3) If the President finds that raw sugar is not reasonably available, he may, as provided in (2) above, cause or permit to be imported such quantity of sugar in the form of direct-consumption sugar as may be required."

SEC. 4. Sections 101(j), 203, 205(a), 209(a), 209(c), and 307 of the Sugar Act of 1948, as amended, are each amended by striking out the words "The Territory of" in each place where they appear therein.

7 USC 1101,
1113, 1115, 1119,
1137.

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AN ACT

To amend title 10, United States Code, with respect to certain medals.

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[H. R. 3291]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That chapter 857 of title 10, United States Code, is amended as follows:

(1) Section 8742 is amended—

(a) by amending the catchline to read as follows:

"§ 8742. Air Force cross: award"; and

(b) by striking out the words "a distinguished-service cross" and inserting the words "an Air Force cross" in place thereof.

(2) Section 8744 is amended—

(a) by amending the catchline to read as follows:

"§ 8744. Medal of honor; Air Force cross; distinguished-service medal: limitations on award"; and

Air Force,
Decorations and
awards,
70A Stat. 540.