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 Accordingly, it is hereby proclaimed that §§ 729.601 and 729.602, issued July 17, 1947 (12 F. R. 4880) be, and the same are hereby, revoked and terminated, effective upon publication hereof in the FEDERAL REGISTER.
 (52 Stat. 64, 55 Stat. 92; 7 U. S. C. 1371 (b))
 Done at Washington, D. C., this 2d day of January 1948.
 [SEAL] CLINTON P. ANDERSON,
Secretary.
 [F. R. Doc. 48-159; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948; 8:49 a. m.]
PART 729—PEANUTS
PROCLAMATION OF RESULTS OF REFERENDUM ON MARKETING QUOTAS FOR CROPS PRODUCED IN THREE CALENDAR YEARS BEGINNING WITH 1948
 Pursuant to the provisions of section 358 (b) of the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938, as amended, the Secretary of Agriculture does hereby make the following proclamation:
 § 729.618 *Proclamation of results of referendum on marketing quotas for peanuts for the crops produced in the three calendar years beginning with the calendar year 1948.* In the referendum of farmers engaged in the production of the crop of peanuts produced in the calendar year 1947, conducted on the 9th day of December 1947, the total number of votes cast was 105,089, of which 92,136, or 87.7 percent were in favor of having quotas in effect for the crops produced in the three calendar years beginning with the calendar year 1948; 12,953, or 12.3 percent were opposed to having quotas in effect for the crops produced in the three calendar years beginning with the calendar year 1948. Therefore the National Marketing Quota for peanuts of 760,000 tons, proclaimed on July 17, 1947, will be in effect for the crop produced in the calendar year 1948 and marketing quotas for peanuts will be in effect for the crops of peanuts produced in the three calendar years beginning with the crop produced in the calendar year 1948. (55 Stat. 88, 7 U. S. C. Sup. 1353 (b))

Done at Washington, D. C., this second day of January 1948. Witness my hand and the seal of the Department of Agriculture.

[SEAL] CLINTON P. ANDERSON,
Secretary of Agriculture.

[F. R. Doc. 48-204; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948; 8:46 a. m.]

TITLE 24—HOUSING CREDIT

Chapter VIII—Office of Housing Expediter

PART 851—ORGANIZATION DESCRIPTION INCLUDING DELEGATIONS OF FINAL AUTHORITY

DESIGNATION OF ACTING HOUSING EXPEDITER

Subpart D Delegations of Authority is amended by adding the following new section:

§ 851.60a *Designation of Acting Housing Expediter.* Ed Dupree, General Counsel, is hereby designated to act in my place and stead with the title "Acting Housing Expediter" with all the powers, duties, and rights conferred upon me by the Housing and Rent Act of 1947, or any other act of Congress or Executive order, in the event of my absence, illness, or inability to act, and all such powers, duties, and rights are hereby delegated to said official for such period as I may be absent from Washington, D. C., or unable to perform my official functions. (Pub. Law 129, 80th. Cong.)

Issued this 2d day of January 1948.

TIGHE E. WOODS,
Housing Expediter.

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TITLE 31—MONEY AND FINANCE

Chapter II—Fiscal Service, Department of the Treasury

Subchapter B—Bureau of the Public Debt
 [1947, 2d Amdt. to Dept. Circ. 530, 6th Revision, dated Feb. 13, 1945]

PART 315—REGULATIONS GOVERNING SAVINGS BONDS

LIMITATION ON HOLDINGS

DECEMBER 31, 1947.

Pursuant to section 22 (a) of the Second Liberty Bond Act, as amended (55 Stat. 7, 31 U. S. C. Sup. 757c) Subpart C of Department Circular No. 530, Sixth Revision, dated February 13, 1945 (31 CFR 1945 Supp., 315) is hereby revised to read as follows:

SUBPART C—LIMITATION ON HOLDINGS

- Ecc.
- 315.8 Amount which may be held.
- 315.9 Calculation of amount.
- 315.10 Disposition of excess.

Authority: §§ 315.8 to 315.10, inclusive, issued under R. S. 161, 55 Stat. 7; 5 U. S. C. 22, 31 U. S. C. Sup. 757c.

SUBPART C—LIMITATION ON HOLDINGS

§ 315.8 *Amount which may be held.* As provided by section 22 of the Second Liberty Bond Act, as added February 4, 1935 (31 U. S. C. 757c) and by regulations prescribed by the Secretary of the Treasury pursuant to the authority of that section, as amended by the Public Debt Act of 1941, 55 Stat. 7, the amounts of savings bonds of the several series issued during any one calendar year that may be held by any one person at any one time are limited as follows:

(a) Series A, B, C, and D: \$10,000 (maturity value) of each series for each calendar year.

(b) Series E: \$5,000 (maturity value) for each calendar year.

(c) Series F and G: \$50,000 (issue price) for the calendar year 1941, and \$100,000 (issue price) for each calendar year thereafter, of either series or of the combined aggregate of both, except that, in the case of commercial banks authorized to acquire such bonds in accordance with § 315.5, the limitation shall be such as may have been or may hereafter be provided specifically in official circulars governing the offering of other Treasury securities, but in no event in excess of \$100,000 (issue price) for any calendar year.

§ 315.9 *Calculation of amount.* In computing the amount of savings bonds of any one series issued during any one calendar year held by any one person at any one time for the purpose of determining whether the amount is in excess of the authorized limit as set forth in the next preceding section, the following rules shall govern.

(a) The term "person" shall mean any legal entity, including but not limited to an individual, a partnership, a corporation (public or private) an unincorporated association or a trust estate, and the holdings of each person, individually and in a fiduciary capacity, shall be computed separately.

(b) In the case of bonds of Series A, B, C, D, and E, the computation shall be based upon maturity values. In the case of bonds of Series F and G, the computation shall be based upon issue prices.

(c) Except as provided in paragraph (d) of this section, there must be taken into account: (1) All bonds originally issued to and registered in the name of that person alone; (2) all bonds originally issued to and registered in the name of that person as coowner or reissued, at the request of the original owner, to add the name of that person as coowner or to designate him as coowner instead of as beneficiary under the provisions of this circular, except that the amount of bonds of Series E held in coownership form may be applied to the holdings of either of the coowners, but will not be applied to both, or the amount may be apportioned between them; and (3) all bonds acquired by him before March 1, 1941, upon the death of another or the happening of any other event.

(d) There need not be taken into account: (1) Bonds of which that person is merely the designated beneficiary (2) those in which his interest is only that

of a beneficiary under a trust; or (3) those to which he is entitled as surviving designated beneficiary upon the death of the registered owner, as an heir or legatee of the deceased registered owner, or by virtue of the termination of a trust or the happening of any other event, unless he became entitled to any such bonds in his own right before March 1, 1941, or (4) with respect to bonds of Series E, those purchased with the proceeds of matured bonds of Series A and Series C-1938, where the Series A or Series C bonds were presented by an individual (natural person in his own right) owner or coowner for that purpose and the Series E bonds are registered in his name in any form of registration authorized for that series.

(e) Nothing herein contained shall be construed to invalidate any holdings within or, except as provided in paragraph (c) of this section, to validate any holdings in excess of, the authorized limits, as computed under the regulations in force at the time such holdings were acquired.

§ 315.10 *Disposition of excess.* If any person at any time acquires savings bonds issued during any one calendar year in excess of the prescribed amount, the excess must be immediately surrendered for refund of the purchase price, less (in the case of Series G bonds) any interest which may have been paid thereon, or for such other adjustment as may be possible.

Compliance with the notice, public procedure, and effective date requirements of the Administrative Procedure Act (Pub. Law 404, 79th Cong., 60 Stat. 237) is found to be impracticable with respect to these regulations. The amendment provides in effect that owners of matured savings bond of Series C-1938 may with the proceeds of such bonds purchase savings bonds of Series E without regard to the \$5,000 (maturity value) annual limitation on purchases of bonds of the latter series. This is a matter of fiscal policy and it was deemed inadvisable to make a determination with respect thereto at an earlier date.

[SEAL] A. L. M. WIGGINS,
Acting Secretary of the Treasury.

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TITLE 32—NATIONAL DEFENSE

Chapter XXIII—War Assets Administration

[Reg. 2., Amdt. 3]

PART 8321—PRICING AND DISTRIBUTION POLICY FOR PRODUCTION MATERIALS AND PRODUCTION EQUIPMENT

War Assets Administration Regulation 21, August 30, 1947, as amended through November 21, 1947, entitled "Pricing and Distribution Policy for Production Materials and Production Equipment" (12 F. R. 6071, 6359, 7964) is hereby further amended as follows:

Paragraph (a) of § 8321.4 is amended to read as follows:

§ 8321.4 *Methods of sale*—(a) *Fixed prices.* The fixed price method of sale shall be used when property meets all of the following conditions:

- (1) It is a standard commercial item;
- (2) It is readily marketable;
- (3) It is in 0-4 condition or better; and
- (4) It is available in inventory in sufficient quantity to justify sales programming at a fixed price.

(Surplus Property Act of 1944, as amended; 58 Stat. 765, as amended; 50 U. S. C. App. Sup. 1611) Pub. Law 181, 79th Cong. (59 Stat. 533; 50 U. S. C. App. Sup. 1614a, 1614b) and Reorganization Plan 1 of 1947 (12 F. R. 4534)

This amendment to this section shall become effective December 31, 1947.

JESS LARSON,
Administrator

DECEMBER 30, 1947.

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[Reg. 22]

PART 8322—PRICING AND DISTRIBUTION POLICY FOR CONSUMER GOODS

War Assets Administration Regulation 22, November 30, 1946, as amended through September 17, 1947, entitled "Pricing and Distribution Policy for Consumer Goods" (11 F. R. 14106, 12 F. R. 1058, 2774, 6359) is hereby revised and amended as hereinafter set forth. New matter is indicated by underscoring.

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8322.6	Maximum quantities.
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8322.9	Discount for certain large retailers.
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8322.11	Conditions for certain classes of purchasers.
8322.12	Exclusive sales to one purchaser.
8322.13	Competitive bidding.
8322.14	Importation of military property into the United States.

AUTHORITY: §§ 8322.1 to 8322.14, inclusive, issued under the Surplus Property Act of 1944, as amended (58 Stat. 765, as amended; 50 U. S. C. App. Sup. 1611); Public Law 181, 79th Congress (59 Stat. 533; 50 U. S. C. App. Sup. 1614a, 1614b); Reorganization Plan 1 of 1947 (12 F. R. 4534); and Public Law 289, 80th Congress.

§ 8322.1 *Definitions*—(a) *Terms defined in act.* Terms not defined in paragraph (b) which are defined in the Surplus Property Act of 1944 shall in this part have the meaning given to them in the act.

(b) *Other terms.* (1) "Reviewing authority" means a local, regional, or departmental board of review of a disposal agency; it may consist of one or more persons.

§ 8322.2 *Scope.* This part applies to disposals made by disposal agencies in the continental United States, its territories and possessions, of surplus personal property, and other than produc-

tion materials and production equipment subject to the provisions of Part 8321.² With the exception of § 8322.13 (c) it shall not apply to disposals to priority claimants pursuant to the provisions of Part 8302 and disposals to nonprofit institutions and instrumentalities pursuant to the provisions of Part 8314.³

§ 8322.3 *Basic policy.* The Congressional policy announced by the Surplus Property Act of 1944 is to foster wide distribution of surplus commodities to consumers at fair prices, utilizing normal channels of trade in such manner as to strengthen and preserve the competitive position of small business concerns. This part is intended to implement that policy with respect to consumer goods and shall be administered accordingly.

§ 8322.4 *Use of methods of sale.* (a) The fixed price method of sale shall be used when property meets all of the following conditions: (1) it is a standard commercial item; (2) it is readily marketable; (3) it is in 0-4 condition or better; and (4) it is available in inventory in sufficient quantity to justify sales programming at a fixed price.

(b) The competitive bid method of sale may be used (1) where the property is a non-standard commercial item, or (2) it is of unknown marketability, or (3) it is available only in mixed lots or small quantities, or (4) where rapid clearance of a site is necessary, or (5) when the property remains in inventory after full and adequate offering has been made at fixed prices to all classes of purchasers in the areas in which such property is normally purchased. The competitive bid method includes the use of sealed bids, open bids and public auctions.

(c) Negotiated sales may be used by the disposal agency for any one or more reasons set forth in the subparagraphs hereunder: *Provided, however* That whenever negotiated sales are used, the disposal agency shall prepare and file in writing a full justification of the desirability or necessity for using this method of sale and such sales shall not be consummated except with the approval of a reviewing authority. Such sales may be made:

(1) When the proposed purchasers can perform certain functions necessary to make the property salable, such as repairing, rehabilitating, sorting, grading, or testing, more economically and effectively than the disposal agency or others;

(2) When the property is such a hazard to health and property as to require immediate disposition;

(3) When the property will spoil or deteriorate so rapidly as to jeopardize any disposal unless immediately sold;

(4) When the property is to be sold to a foreign government by or at the request of the State Department;

(5) When the property remains in inventory after a proper and adequate offering has been made:

(6) When the disposal agency makes a written finding that the property is (i) of so special a nature or manufacture or limited use that only one or a few purchasers would be interested in the acquisition and (ii) that an offering of such property by competitive bidding would prejudice the monetary return to the Government if all such bids were subsequently rejected.

§ 8322.5 *Pricing policy.* (a) In fixed price sales prices shall be established at a level which will be attractive enough to move the property and compensate for any unusual features of the property which may add to the difficulty of reselling. The price levels shall be established by the disposal agency as to each kind of property to be sold. Surplus consumer goods shall be priced by the disposal agency to effectuate orderly and prompt disposal, giving due consideration to the kind, quantity, condition, and value of each item at the time of the offering. Fixed prices may be higher or lower than the acquisition cost to the Government.

(b) In general, prices shall be set for two levels of trade—wholesale and retail. The differential between those prices should correspond to the differences in the cost of distributive functions performed. In those instances where it is not feasible or customary to offer a commodity to two levels of trade, a uniform price may be set for all purchasers; for example, such instances may occur where a commodity normally moves predominantly from the manufacturer to wholesalers and industrial users, and not through retail outlets, or may occur in connection with the clearance of depots, warehouses, ships, or command installations.

(c) Discounts may be granted on the disposal of surplus property only (1) when different price levels are established in order to compensate for the services rendered in the distribution of property to the various levels of trade; or (2) when a discount is granted pursuant to the provisions of Part 8302 to compensate the Treasury Department for performing distributive services for a disposal agency; or (3) when a discount is granted pursuant to the provisions of Part 8314 to reflect the benefit which has accrued or may accrue to the United States from the use of surplus property by educational or public health institutions or instrumentalities. No other discounts shall be given, and there shall be no graded discounts within the same class of purchasers. Discounts may not be granted for volume purchases in any case for any item.

(d) In fixed price sales, whenever the available quantity of surplus property is insufficient to satisfy the requirements of eligible purchasers, all purchase orders submitted by affiliated persons, firms, or corporations, or by groups thereof under common ownership or control for the same type of property in a single sales offering shall be treated as a single purchase order.

§ 8322.6 *Maximum quantities.* In all methods of sales the maximum quantity which should be offered for sale by the disposal agency to any one purchaser should to the extent feasible be a quantity which will assure wide distribution of the available property. Such maximum quantities shall be established in all cases where it reasonably may be expected that the total demand will exceed the supply offered for sale within the area in which the offering is made.

§ 8322.7 *Minimum quantity for retailers.* In fixed price sales, the minimum quantity which should be offered for sale by the disposal agency should to the extent feasible be a quantity which will enable small independent retailers to participate. Such minimum quantities may be larger when (a) large quantities, of merchandise are packaged in military cartons and it would be uneconomical to repack the property to provide for sales in small quantities, or (b) it is necessary to consolidate several packages in order to assure an equitable or appropriate distribution of the size range of the property.

§ 8322.8 *Minimum quantity for wholesalers.* In fixed price sales to two trade levels, a larger minimum quantity applicable to the wholesale trade should be offered to wholesalers of the commodity offered who agree to use their best efforts to sell to small independent retail establishments. This minimum quantity may be less than the minimum quantity offered to large retailers pursuant to § 8322.9. The price to the wholesaler should be such as to compensate for the distributive function to be performed by the wholesaler, taking into consideration the type of goods, the turn-over potential, the cost of care and handling, the value, and the quantity available. In order to qualify for a price discount authorized by this paragraph as compensation for the distributive function to be performed, each order from a wholesaler shall bear a certificate signed by such wholesaler in the following form:

It is hereby certified that the purchaser is and expects to continue to be engaged in the wholesale business normally distributing goods, wares, and merchandise similar to those specified on this order to retailers and other wholesale customers, and that in consideration of the receipt of the wholesaler's discount on the purchase of surplus property from the United States, in accordance with the War Assets Administrator's pricing and distribution policy, the purchaser agrees to use his best efforts to sell such property to small independent retailers.

§ 8322.9 *Discount for certain large retailers.* Certain large retailers, including chain stores and mail order houses, normally purchase in quantities far in excess of those purchased by the small retailer and small wholesaler. To facilitate the disposal of consumer goods, and thereby to protect the interest of the Government in such goods, and in recognition of the fact that retailers who buy in large quantities usually perform an intermediate distributive function in the movement of the goods to the consumer level, such disposals should, in fixed price sales, generally be made at a discount of not more than five (5) percent from the

¹ Reg. 21 (12 F. R. 6071, 6359, 7964).

² Reg. 2 (12 F. R. 5586).

³ Reg. 14 (11 F. R. 11505; 12 F. R. 257).

price to small retailers. The minimum quantity subject to this discount shall be specified in the offering.

§ 8322.10 *Preference to small buyers.* In fixed price sales when the total supply of a commodity is less than the amount ordered, consideration shall be given to the needs of other purchasers before large quantities are sold to one or a few purchasers. Precedence shall be given to orders received from small retailers and from wholesalers who furnish the certificate required under § 8322.8.

§ 8322.11 *Conditions for certain classes of purchasers.* The following conditions shall be observed for the classes of purchasers specified below:

(a) Manufacturers who perform the distributive functions of serving small independent retailers may buy as wholesalers in fixed price sales, subject to the rules applicable to purchases made by wholesalers.

(b) Wholesalers and manufacturers who own, operate, or control retail stores are required to buy as retailers in fixed price sales for their company-owned or controlled retail stores.

(c) Buying offices of associated groups of retail stores operated on the voluntary chain system of buying will buy as retailers in fixed price sales.

(d) Commercial exporters, foreign governments acting through duly accredited agents in the United States, and foreign commercial firms acting through their duly accredited agents in this country shall be permitted to participate on the same level as wholesalers in fixed price sales.

(e) Cooperative organizations shall be permitted to participate in fixed price sales of consumer goods at the same time and under the same conditions as other commercial enterprises. In determining the level of trade at which a particular cooperative organization will buy, consideration should be given solely to its functions as a wholesaler or retailer and not the features of cooperative ownership.

(f) Industrial users, i. e., manufacturing or commercial enterprises of a class which normally purchases property for its own use and not for resale shall be permitted to participate in fixed price sales at the retail level, or at the wholesale level (at the minimum quantity specified in § 8322.8) if such class customarily buys from manufacturers at the same price as wholesalers. *Provided*, That in either case the property so purchased is not resold in its present form except after incorporation into an end product. Orders of commercial and industrial purchasers shall be filled in accordance with § 8322.10 after retailers and wholesalers who serve small retailers.

(g) Purchasing agents (including resident buyers, commission men, brokers, and other agents) who perform the purchasing function for the principals they represent, shall be permitted to participate in disposals of surplus property. Sales made through these agents shall be made only in the name of the principal they represent and in fixed price sales at the level of distribution of the principal. Such agents shall be required

to present a written authorization from the principal for each purchase.

(h) All purchasers who may participate in fixed price sales shall also be eligible to acquire property offered by any other method.

(i) Ultimate consumers (persons who buy for their own personal use) are not ordinarily expected to purchase surplus property directly from the disposal agency except when such property is offered in suitable lots or units under circumstances which will not complicate the work of disposal, or where sales to ultimate consumers, for example through rural farm auctions, would be more effective than offerings by other methods. Sales to ultimate consumers or to any other purchasers who are not normal trade channels may be made in any quantity and by any method of sale after it has been clearly established that the property will not move through normal channels.

§ 8322.12 *Exclusive sales to one purchaser.* It is contrary to general policy to sell any item of surplus property exclusively to one purchaser (including the original vendor or manufacturer) Exceptions may be taken to this rule only when:

(a) It is necessary in order to protect public health or public safety, or

(b) The exclusive purchaser can perform certain functions necessary to make the property salable, such as repairing, rehabilitating, sorting, grading, or testing more economically and effectively than the disposal agency or others.

(c) When the disposal agency makes a written finding that the property is (i) of so special a nature or manufacture or limited use that only one or a few purchasers would be interested in the acquisition and (ii) that an offering of such property by competitive bidding would prejudice the monetary return to the Government if all such bids were subsequently rejected.

§ 8322.13 *Competitive bidding.* (a) Whenever the competitive bid method of sale is employed, an upset price may be established in appropriate cases representing the tentative estimate of the disposal agency as to what may be the fair value of the property. The amount of the upset price shall not be disclosed in the offering nor in any other way to any person not in the employ of the disposal agency. If all or some bids received are lower than such upset price, the disposal agency may reject the bids below the upset price, or, with the approval of a reviewing authority, may accept them. The unsold balance may be reoffered with the same or a lower upset price.

(b) No certificate or other finding shall be required that the property offered for sale by competitive bidding is scrap or salvage. No scrap warranty shall be required of the purchaser except in cases where the disposal agency finds that the property is dangerous to public health or safety.

(c) Whenever property which has not previously been offered for sale to priority claimants at fixed prices is offered for sale by competitive bidding, a reserve

of such property shall be established to meet the anticipated requirements of priority claimants. The competitive bid offering shall be made simultaneously to priority claimants and to non-priority purchasers, and the lowest acceptable bid by such non-priority purchasers shall be regarded as fair value for priority claimants. Any property so reserved which remains after filling the legitimate requirements of priority claimants shall be used to fill the requirements of acceptable non-priority bidders.

§ 8322.14 *Importation of military property into the United States.* Surplus military property consisting of arms, ammunition and munitions of all types located in the continental United States, or in its territories and possessions, which is disposed of to foreign governments or to persons for export to foreign areas shall not, after delivery to a foreign area, be imported into the United States in the same or substantially the same form in which it was exported from the United States if it is readily identifiable as such, except to the extent that may be authorized by order issued hereunder; *Provided*, That such property may be so imported on consignment to a person or firm in the United States for the purpose of reconditioning for re-export. Nothing in this section shall prevent surplus property transferred to a government agency for use in foreign areas from being brought into the continental United States, its territories and possessions, by such government agency.

This revision of this part shall become effective December 31, 1947.

JESS LARSON,
Administrator

DECEMBER 30, 1947.

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TITLE 33—NAVIGATION AND NAVIGABLE WATERS

Chapter II—Corps of Engineers, Department of the Army

PART 203—BRIDGE REGULATIONS

EXETER RIVER, NEW HAMPSHIRE

Section 203.45 (33 CFR) is hereby amended to provide for closed periods from November 1 to March 31, inclusive, the section headnote and regulations being superseded by the following:

§ 203.45 *Exeter River, N. H., Boston and Mame Railroad bridge and State of New Hampshire Highway Department bridge.* (a) The owners of or agencies controlling these bridges shall not be required to keep draw tenders in constant attendance.

(b) From November 1 to March 31, inclusive, the draws of these bridges shall not be required to be opened for the passage of vessels.

(c) At all other times, whenever a vessel, unable to pass under a closed bridge,

desires to pass through the draw, at least four hours' advance notice of the time the opening is required shall be given to the authorized representative of the owner of or agency controlling the bridge. Upon receipt of such advance notice, the said representative, in compliance therewith, shall arrange for the prompt opening of the draw at the time specified in the notice for the passage of the vessel.

(d) The owner of or agency controlling each bridge shall provide arrangements whereby the representative specified in paragraph (c) of this section can be reached readily by telephone or otherwise at any time, and shall keep conspicuously posted on both the upstream and downstream sides of the bridge, in such manner that it can be read easily at any time, a copy of this section together with a notice stating exactly how he may be reached.

(e) The draw of the railroad bridge need not be opened when a train is approaching so closely that it cannot be stopped safely before reaching the bridge or when a train is approaching within sight or hearing of the draw tender.

(f) Trains and vehicles shall not be stopped on a bridge for the purpose of delaying its opening, nor shall watercraft be navigated so as to hinder or delay the operation of the draw, but all passage over or through a bridge shall be prompt to prevent delay to either land or water traffic.

(g) The operating machinery of the draws shall be maintained in a serviceable condition, and the draws shall be opened and closed at intervals frequent enough to make certain that the machinery is in proper order for satisfactory operation. [Regs. Dec. 9, 1947, CE 823 (Exeter River—South Newmarket, N. H.)—ENGWR] (28 Stat. 362; 33 U. S. C. 499)

[SEAL] EDWARD F. WITSELL,
Major General,
The Adjutant General.

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PART 203—BRIDGE REGULATIONS

EAST COVE, SANDUSKY BAY, SANDUSKY, OHIO

The following § 203.706 is hereby prescribed to govern the operation of the New York Central Railroad Company bridge across East Cove, Sandusky Bay, Sandusky, Ohio:

§ 203.706 *East Cove, Sandusky Bay, Sandusky, Ohio; New York Central Railroad Company bridge.* (a) The drawspan shall be in a full open position at all times, except that it may be placed in a closed position 5 minutes in advance of the time a train crosses the bridge. The cycle of the bridge span from opened position through closed position to opened position must not exceed 20 minutes.

(b) Five minutes in advance of the start of closing, the draw tender shall signal boat operators that the bridge is to be closed by hoisting a four-foot by

six-foot white pennant on a staff located at the northerly end of the bridge, clearly visible from Sandusky Bay and East Cove, and by sounding five short blasts of a whistle, horn, or megaphone or by ringing a bell continuously for five seconds.

(c) A train shall not be stopped on the bridge for the purpose of delaying its opening, nor shall watercraft be navigated so as to hinder or delay the operation of the draw, but all passage over or through the bridge shall be prompt to prevent delay to either rail or water traffic.

(d) The owner of or agency controlling the bridge shall keep a copy of these regulations conspicuously posted on both sides thereof in such manner that it can be read easily at any time. [Regs. Dec. 18, 1947, CE 823 (Sandusky Bay—East Cove—Sandusky, Ohio)—ENGWR] (28 Stat. 362; 33 U. S. C. 499)

[SEAL] EDWARD F. WITSELL,
Major General,
The Adjutant General.

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Chapter III—Coast Guard: Inspection and Navigation

[CGFR 47-58]

PART 302—BOUNDARY LINES OF INLAND WATERS

Correction

In the correction to Federal Register Document 47-11135, appearing at page 8818 of the issue for Saturday, December 27, 1947, the name "Punta Rosa" should read "Punta Rasa"

TITLE 36—PARKS AND FORESTS

Chapter I—National Park Service, Department of the Interior

PART 01—ORGANIZATION AND PROCEDURE ORGANIZATION

1. Section 01.5 is amended to read as follows:

§ 01.5 *General description.* The National Park Service is composed of a headquarters staff in Washington, D. C., four regional offices, and thirteen types of field activities, such as national parks, monuments, and historic sites. Each activity is under the supervision of a superintendent or custodian who reports to the regional director. Regional directors report, in turn, to the Director of the Service.

2. Section 01.6 is amended to read as follows:

§ 01.6 *Director's office.* The Director of the National Park Service is in charge of the Service. The headquarters organization consists of the Director, Associate Director, and Assistant Director, nine professional divisions, and four staff offices. Under the supervision of the Director, the headquarters staff formulates policies for the protection, preservation,

and use of the national park areas. It supervises the interpretive services in natural sciences, history, and archeology rendered for the public, provides for museum developments, and investigates proposed additions to the National Park System.

The Development, Lands, and Concessions Divisions, the Safety Office, and National Capital Parks are under the general administrative supervision of the Associate Director.

The History, Natural History, and Forestry Divisions, and the Fiscal, Personnel, and Chief Clerk's Offices are under the general administrative supervision of the Assistant Director.

The Information Division, the U. S. Travel Division, and the Legal Division, on general legal matters, are under the general supervision of the Director. The Legal Division is under the general supervision of the Associate Director or the Assistant Director on legal matters affecting the divisions and offices for which they are responsible.

Staff offices consist of the Fiscal Office, the Personnel Office, the Safety Office, and the Chief Clerk's Office.

3. Section 01.7 *Branch of Concessions* is amended to read as follows:

§ 01.7 *Concessions Division.* The Concessions Division supervises commercial operations and matters pertaining to concessioners' affairs, which includes initiation of concession policies, responsibility for providing appropriate facilities and services for the accommodation of visitors, negotiation of concession contracts, control of rates charged, recommendations as to assignment of Government lands and structures for business purposes, negotiation for new concessioners, and improvement and expansion of existing facilities. Responsible for determination of franchise fees for commercial operations and their collection. Consults with concessioners relative to planning and construction of concession facilities, investments required, and advises them concerning their financial affairs, business methods, and travel promotion programs.

4. Section 01.8 *Branch of Development* is amended to read as follows:

§ 01.8 *Development Division.* The Development Division supervises all architectural and landscape design, engineering, planning, construction, and maintenance; prepares master plans and construction programs for the control of physical developments; collaborates with the Public Roads Administration regarding the location, design and construction of major roads and parkways; supervises sanitation control and water rights; has charge of architectural and engineering construction, surveys, maps, plans, codes, standards, designs, estimates, specifications, road maintenance, minor road construction, hydraulic structures, materials research, radio research and installation, construction bid invitations, and construction contracts; reviews concessioners' building plans. Directs the Historic American Buildings Survey.

5. Section 01.9 *Branch of Forestry* is amended to read as follows:

§ 01.9 *Forestry Division.* The Forestry Division supervises fire control work, and the preservation and protection of park and monument forests from injurious insects and diseases and from preventable damage. Coordinates grazing studies and range management. Cooperates with other bureaus and agencies in fire and insect and tree-disease control, and supervises forest planting, wood preservation and utilization, and forest studies.

6. Section 01.10 *Branch of History* is amended to read as follows:

§ 01.10 *History Division.* The History Division supervises and coordinates the historical and archeological work involved in the selection, preservation, development, and interpretation of all areas in the National Park System. Supervises historical and archeological research and performs the duties prescribed in the Historic Sites Act of August 21, 1935, including the study and investigation of historic and archeologic sites and buildings throughout the United States for the purpose of developing a comprehensive plan for their acquisition, preservation, and use. Conducts liaison work with organizations and institutions engaged in historical conservation.

7. Section 01.11 *Branch of Lands* is amended to read as follows:

§ 01.11 *Lands Division.* The Lands Division supervises and coordinates the investigation and acquisition of lands in existing and proposed areas including the land purchase program and the adjustment of boundaries. Maintains land status and land use records. Advises the Director as to the effect of water-control projects of other agencies on existing and proposed Service areas. Recommends action upon all proposals to use areas, facilities, or resources of the Service where such use would reduce the areas or affect their status. Prepares land status data and maps for reports and publications. Handles proposals for naming of geographical features in the National Park System. Supervises recreational studies for other Federal agencies and cooperates with the states and their political subdivisions in planning for their parks, parkways, and recreational area programs and facilities, pursuant to the act of June 23, 1936 (49 Stat. 1894)

8. Section 01.12 *Branch of Natural History* is amended to read as follows:

§ 01.12 *Natural History Division.* The Natural History Division supervises the study and interpretation of natural history, coordinates protective work pertaining to geological and biological features in scenic and scientific areas and prepares conservation and other scientific information. It plans, prepares, and installs museum exhibits, and exercises general direction over museum programs. Coordinates wild-life management and matters pertaining to hiking, mountain climbing, camping, and winter use.

9. Section 01.13 *Office of the Chief Counsel* is amended to read as follows:

§ 01.13 *Legal Division.* The Legal Division supervises legal matters of the National Park Service. Renders legal advice concerning land acquisition and other matters; establishment of title to water rights; legislation affecting the National Park System; and contracts and regulations of various uses of National Park Service areas. Advises the Director on legal aspects of concession policies.

10. Section 01.14 *Washington Liaison Office*, is revoked.

11. Section 01.15 *Office of Information*, is renumbered § 01.14 and amended to read as follows:

§ 01.14 *Information Division.* The Information Division supervises informational, editorial, and public relations work of the National Park Service. Represents the Service in its relationships with the press and with editors, writers, and publishers. Is responsible for the preparation and issuance of all National Park Service publications. The Chief of Information represents the Director, when assigned, at meetings with other Government agencies, Congressional committees, and civic and conservation organizations.

12. Section 01.15 is added reading as follows:

§ 01.15 *U. S. Travel Division.* The U. S. Travel Division supervises work involved in carrying out provisions of the act of July 19, 1940, to encourage travel in the United States. Recommends the promulgation, amendment, or repeal of rules and regulations deemed necessary to carry out the purposes of that act. Collaborates with the advisory committee in recommending broad policies and plans for the guidance of the Travel Division in promoting tourist travel. Cooperates with private travel and other agencies in collecting, publishing, and making available to them information with respect to publicly owned recreation areas and facilities, the economics of travel, and other matters for the purpose of encouraging travel. Undertakes the preparation of itineraries for distinguished foreign visitors.

13. Section 01.31 is amended to read as follows:

§ 01.31 *Field activities.* There are thirteen classifications of field activities. The work of a field activity logically falls into administrative, protection, maintenance and construction, and research and interpretive divisions. A superintendent or custodian is in direct charge of his activity and supervises all operations. He is responsible for maintaining the policies and rules and regulations of the National Park Service.

14. Section 01.80 is amended to read as follows:

§ 01.80 *Inquiries and requests in general.* General information concerning the functions, policies, program, and activities of the National Park Service, or

concerning the National Park System as a whole, may be obtained by addressing The Director, National Park Service, Department of the Interior, Washington 25, D. C.

Inquiries concerning a specific park, monument, or other area within the National Park System should be addressed to the superintendent or custodian in charge, who can also supply free informational literature. Inquiries concerning areas under the supervision of the Office of the National Capital Parks should be addressed to the Superintendent, National Capital Parks, National Park Service, Department of the Interior, Washington 25, D. C.

Requests for reservations for overnight accommodations in national park, monument, or other National Park Service areas should be addressed to the authorized concessioner within such area, if known; otherwise, the request may be addressed to the superintendent or custodian in charge of the area. Applications for permits with respect to activities on, or use of, National Park Service areas should be submitted to the superintendent or custodian in charge of the area, subject to certain exceptions.

Prospective visitors to National Park Service areas should consult the rules and regulations for information regarding the requirements to be observed.

The National Park Service publishes free information publications relating to most of the areas in the National Park System. In addition, there are a number of publications for sale, dealing with historical areas, the geology, fauna and flora of the parks, etc., which may be obtained from the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C., from whom lists of such publications may also be obtained. Lists of publications, both free and for sale, are also obtainable from the Director, National Park Service.

15. Section 01.81 is amended to read as follows:

§ 01.81 *Location of headquarters organization.* The Office of the Director of the National Park Service, the staff offices, and the offices of the chiefs of the divisions are located in Washington, D. C.

16. Section 01.82 *Locations of Regional Offices and Field Activities*, is amended as follows:

a. By adding "Everglades National Park, Box 275, Homestead" to the list of field activities in Florida.

b. By adding "Adams Mansion National Historic Site, Quincy" to the list of field activities in Massachusetts.

c. The address of the Region Two office is changed from Keeline Building, Omaha 2, Nebraska, to 307 Federal Office Building, Omaha 2, Nebraska.

(Sec. 3, 60 Stat. 238; 5 U. S. C. Sup. 1002)

Issued this 31st day of December 1947.

C. GIRARD DAVIDSON,
Assistant Secretary of the Interior

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**TITLE 38—PENSIONS, BONUSES,
AND VETERANS' RELIEF**

Chapter I—Veterans' Administration

**CONTINUANCE IN EFFECT OF ALL CURRENT
REGULATIONS AND OTHER FORMAL ISSUES**

All current regulations and procedure, manuals, instructions, bulletins, orders, service letters, Administrator's decisions, delegations of authority and other issues applicable to the Veterans' Administration shall remain in full force and effect until such time as the same may be specifically amended or revoked.

[SEAL] **CARL R. GRAY, JR.,
Administrator of Veterans' Affairs.**

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**PART 5—ADJUDICATION: DEPENDENTS'
CLAIMS**

RIGHT OF ELECTION

1. Section 5.2552 (38 CFR) is amended to read as follows:

§ 5.2552 *Right of election*—(a) *General.* A person entitled to receive pension or compensation under more than one law on account of the death of the same person may elect to receive the benefit which is most advantageous. Any person who elects to receive pension or compensation under one of two or more laws, places the right under the other law or laws in suspense and may at any time cause the suspension to be lifted by making another election. However, the election by the widow settles the question as to which statute is applicable and her election controls not only her claim but those of the children as well. See also §§ 3.1217, 3.1218, and 3.1302 of this chapter.

(b) *Change of award from one law to another law.* Except where otherwise specifically provided, where payments of death compensation or pension are being made to a widow, child or dependent parent of a deceased veteran under one law, the right to receive benefits under another law being in suspension, and a higher rate of compensation or pension becomes payable under the other law, benefits shall be payable at the higher rate commencing the date of receipt of a claim (formal or informal) constituting an election. (R. S. 4692, secs. 1, 2, 27 Stat. 272, as amended, secs. 9, 20, 48 Stat. 10, 309, as amended, Pub. Law 270, 80th Cong., 38 U. S. C. 42, 43, 151, 709, 722)

[SEAL] **O. W. CLARK,
Acting Administrator
of Veterans' Affairs.**

DECEMBER 18, 1947.

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**PART 21—ATTORNEYS AND AGENTS; RULES
OF PRACTICE; FEES**

**POWER OF ATTORNEY AND DELEGATION OF
AUTHORITY TO LOAN GUARANTY OFFICERS**

Section 21.5620 is added to read as follows:

§ 21.5620 *Power of attorney and delegation of authority under Title III, Public Law 346, 78th Congress, as amended,*

to Loan Guaranty Officers—(a) *Forms, power of attorney, Title III, Public Law 346, 78th Congress, as amended.* VA Form 2-23, "Power of Attorney and Delegation of Authority," and VA Form 2-24, "Revocation of Power of Attorney," are prescribed for use of loan guaranty officials to supply formal evidence of the authority of designated persons to perform the functions and exercise the powers delegated to them by regulations (§ 36.4342 of this chapter) pursuant to section 504, Servicemen's Readjustment Act of 1944, as amended (38 U. S. C. 693)

(b) *Execution of power of attorney and delegation of authority.* The deputy administrator will designate two appropriate employees in each regional office to be named in appropriate instruments commonly referred to as "Power of Attorney," VA Form 2-23. The loan guaranty officer, if any, will be one designee. Four copies of VA Form 2-23 will be filled in by the regional chief attorney for each designee. One copy will be retained and three forwarded to the branch chief attorney for forwarding, if approved, to the solicitor, who will secure execution and acknowledgment of two copies by the Administrator. One copy will be retained in central office file. The two executed copies will be returned direct to the regional chief attorney.

(c) *Revocation of power of attorney.* Any such power of attorney will be revoked promptly when, in the discretion of the deputy administrator, cause therefor arises; and in any event upon the designee's separation from the position of a loan guaranty officer, or from the service, and all executed copies of VA Form 2-23 designating such person will be canceled and forwarded to the office of the solicitor. The regional chief attorney upon notification will prepare VA Form 2-24 accordingly, and secure execution and acknowledgment thereof in like manner. It will be recorded in each county, if any, in which the power of attorney was recorded.

(d) *Recordation.* VA Form 2-23 or VA Form 2-24 may be filed for record when in the judgment of the chief attorney it is appropriate to do so. If not so filed in the appropriate county, any interested person may be supplied a copy duly certified by the Veterans' Administration, or a photostat, for use in connection with loan guaranty matters, and may have the original recorded by the chief attorney upon payment of the recording fee therefor, or by including the amount thereof in the purchase price of the property, as may be agreed.

(e) *Recordation fee.* Authority is hereby granted for payment of recordation fee if recordation is requested by loan guaranty officer or approved by the chief attorney. Payment contemporaneously with filing for record may be accomplished by advance of cash in accord with Veterans' Administration finance procedure. (Secs. 201-203, 49 Stat. 2032, 58 Stat. 284, as amended, Pub. Law 377, 80th Cong., 38 U. S. C. and Sup. 102-104, 693 et seq.)

[SEAL] **O. W. CLARK,
Acting Administrator
of Veterans' Affairs.**

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**PART 35—VETERANS' REGULATIONS
(APPENDIX)**

SUBSISTENCE ALLOWANCE

Application of the provisions of Public Law 16, 78th Congress, as amended by Public Law 338, 80th Congress, approved August 4, 1947.

1. *Law.* Public Law 338, 80th Congress, provides as follows:

While pursuing training prescribed herein, and for two months after his employability is determined, each veteran shall be paid the amount of subsistence allowance specified in § 35.018 (f) of this chapter, as amended: *Provided*, That the minimum payment of such allowance, plus any compensation or other benefit shall be (a) where the service-connected disability is rated less than 30 per centum, for a person without a dependent, \$105 per month; and for a person with a dependent, \$115, plus the following amounts for additional dependents: (1) \$10 for one child and \$7 additional for each additional child, and (2) \$15 for a dependent parent; (b) where the service-connected disability is rated 30 per centum or more, for a person without a dependent, \$115 per month, and for a person with a dependent, \$135, plus the following amounts for additional dependents: (1) \$20 for one child and \$15 additional for each additional child, and (2) \$15 for a dependent parent: *Provided further*, That the rates set out herein shall not be subject to the increases authorized by Public Law Numbered 312, Seventy-eighth Congress, approved May 27, 1944: *And provided further*, That when the course of vocational rehabilitation furnished to any person as herein provided consists of training on the job by an employer, such employer shall be required to submit monthly to the Administrator a statement in writing showing any wage, compensation, or other income paid by him to such person during the month, directly or indirectly, and based upon such written statements, the Administrator is authorized to reduce the subsistence allowance of such person to an amount considered equitable and just.

2. *Policy.* (a) The monthly amount of subsistence allowance payable to the veteran enrolled under Public Law 16, 78th Congress, as amended, will be the normal rate of \$65 or \$90 monthly, or more if necessary, to bring the sum of subsistence allowance and disability pension or disability compensation (including special statutory allowances) to the amount established as a minimum by the provisions of Public Law 338. In no event, however, will the subsistence allowance authorized in on-the-job training exceed the difference between the trainee's rate of pay and the beginning rate of pay of the trained worker in the position for which the person is being trained. Where the veteran is in receipt of retirement or retainer pay, subsistence allowance in an amount of \$65 or \$90 will be authorized. If in any case the veteran reports that the combined amount of retirement or retainer pay and subsistence allowance is less than the minimum rates provided, a report, when necessary, will be obtained from the service department to show the amount of such retirement or retainer pay and the appropriate adjustment made.

(b) In all cases under Public Law 16, 78th Congress, where the veteran claims as dependents, a wife, a child or children and a parent or parents, the wife will be considered the first dependent in com-

puting the combined minimum amount of disability compensation and subsistence allowance. However, where a veteran in training under Public Law 16, 78th Congress, has no wife but claims a child or children and a parent or parents as dependents, the minimum combined amount of disability pension or disability compensation (including special statutory allowances) and subsistence allowance will be computed so as to give the greater amount in each case. Accordingly, in the case of a veteran with a disability rating of less than 30 percent, who has no wife but claims a child and a parent as dependents, the child will be considered the first dependent and the parent the additional dependent in determining the combined minimum amount payable under Public Law 338, 80th Congress. On the other hand, if such veteran has a disability rating of 30 percent or more, the dependent parent will be considered the first dependent and the child the additional dependent. The foregoing policy is illustrated below:

Rate of disability	No wife 1 child 2 parents	No wife 2 children 1 parent	No wife 3 children 2 parents
20 percent.....	\$145	\$140	\$162
30 percent.....	170	170	200

(57 Stat. 43, as amended, Pub. Law 338, 80th Cong., 38 U. S. C. Sup. 701)

[SEAL]

O. W. CLARK,
Acting Administrator
of Veterans' Affairs.

[F. R. Doc. 48-173; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948;
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PART 36—REGULATIONS UNDER THE SERVICEMEN'S READJUSTMENT ACT OF 1944

INSTITUTIONAL ON-FARM TRAINING FOR VETERANS

1. In § 36.280 (12 F. R. 6720) paragraph (k) is amended to read as follows:

§ 36.280 Policy. * * *

(k) The number of veterans who may be processed into training under a self-proprietary or self-control arrangement on a single farm ordinarily will be limited to one. However, in a particular case, where an approved training institution and the Veterans' Administration have found that conditions are so highly favorable as to assure the success of two veterans for training and subsequent self-employment on the same farm, two but not more than two, may be processed into or continued in training on a single farm: *Provided*, The training situation with reference to each veteran meets in every respect the criteria set forth in Public Law 377, 80th Congress and this instruction: *And provided further* That there is furnished documentary evidence that the two veterans have entered into a bona fide partnership agreement which provides for equal authority between the partners in the management and operation of the farm. Under no circumstances will a veteran be processed into training as an employee-trainee on the farm of another person who is himself enrolled as a

trainee. Where it is proposed to train more than one veteran on a farm under an employer-trainer or where the employer-trainer is a near relative, the institution should exercise extreme care to determine that a bona fide training situation will exist for the individual veteran. (58 Stat. 284, as amended, Pub. Law 377, 80th Cong., 38 U. S. C. Sup. 693 et seq.)

[SEAL]

O. W. CLARK,
Acting Administrator
of Veterans' Affairs.

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**TITLE 43—PUBLIC LANDS:
INTERIOR**

Subtitle A—Office of the Secretary of the Interior

[Misc. 2136987]

PART 4—DELEGATIONS OF AUTHORITY

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT; DELEGATIONS TO DIRECTOR IN SPECIFIED MATTERS

Section 4.276 (a) (43 CFR, 1946 Supp.) is amended by revising subparagraph (3) thereof to read as follows:

§ 4.276 *Functions with respect to grazing district administration.* (a)

(3) The acceptance of contributions toward the administration, protection and improvement of the districts, and the remission or refund of any unexpended balances of such contributions.

(Secs. 2, 9, 48 Stat. 1270, 1273; 43 U. S. C. 315 a, h)

C. GIRARD DAVIDSON,
Assistant Secretary of the Interior

DECEMBER 26, 1947.

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Chapter I—Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior

PART 50—ORGANIZATION AND PROCEDURE

DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY WITH RESPECT TO GRAZING DISTRICT ADMINISTRATION

CROSS REFERENCE: For order affecting the list of delegations of authority contained in §§ 50.75 to 50.81, inclusive, see Part 4 of this title, *supra*, concerning functions with respect to grazing district administration.

TITLE 47—TELECOMMUNICATION

Chapter I—Federal Communications Commission

PART 1—ORGANIZATION, PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE

MISCELLANEOUS AMENDMENTS

At a meeting of the Federal Communications Commission held at its offices in Washington, D. C. on the 30th day of December 1947:

The Commission having under consideration the redesignation of branches as

divisions in the Accounting Department, the consolidation of the Economics Analysis Division and the Statistics Division, the change of location of the public reference rooms for common carrier reports and for schedules of charges for interstate and foreign communications service, and the change of location of the accounting field office in San Francisco, California, and

It appearing, that such proposals are designed to improve the internal administration of the Commission and will serve the public interest, convenience and necessity and

It further appearing, that the proposed amendments to the rules and regulations are organizational, and that the publication of general notice of proposed rule making pursuant to section 4 (a) of the Administrative Procedure Act is not required:

It is ordered, That, effective immediately, Part 1 (11 F. R. 177A-393) of the Commission's rules and regulations is amended in the following respects:

1. Section 1.51 is amended to read as follows:

§ 1.51 *Chief Accountant.* (a) The Chief Accountant as head of the Accounting Department supervises all Commission activities concerning accounting matters. The following units are included in the Accounting Department:

- (1) Accounting Regulations Division.
- (2) Broadcast Division.
- (3) Field Division.
- (4) Rates Division.
- (5) Economics and Statistics Division.

2. Revoke § 1.52 and renumber §§ 1.53, 1.54, 1.55, 1.56 and 1.57 as 1.52, 1.53, 1.54, 1.55 and 1.56, respectively.

3. Section 1.52 (b) (as renumbered) is amended to read as follows:

§ 1.52 *Accounting Regulations Division.* * * *

(b) Original Cost and Depreciation Section, which is responsible for the accounting activities under sections 213, 219, 220 (b), and 221 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, and other related sections which pertain to the original cost requirements to be applied to property of communications carriers; classification of investment accounts and the property of carriers; prescription of classes of property which are depreciable, non-depreciable or amortizable; prescription of depreciation and amortization rates; the maintenance of continuing property records by carriers; all matters involving plant accounting; and matters relating to the accounting under pension plans adopted by carriers.

4. Revoke § 1.52 (c) (as renumbered).

5. Section 1.55 (as renumbered) is amended to read as follows with respect to the address of the San Francisco Office: "316 Custom House, 555 Battery Street, San Francisco 26, California.

6. Section 1.56 (as renumbered) is amended to read as follows:

§ 1.56 *Rates Division.* (a) The Rates Division is divided into the following sections:

- (1) Tariffs and Telephone Rates Section, which handles matters relating to

the construction, filing and posting of schedules of charges for interstate and foreign communication services; handles telephone rate, service, and traffic matters; reports rate changes to the Commission and recommends action with respect to charges and practices of telephone carriers; institutes telephone traffic surveys; participates in recommending disposition of applications for extension of telephone lines or discontinuance of telephone service under section 214 of the Communications Act, for cable landing licenses, and for radiotelephone licenses; participates in handling the technical phases of treaties and agreements with foreign administrations and carriers relating to telephone matters; and maintains a public reference room in which schedules of charges for interstate and foreign communication service are available for public inspection. (The public reference room is located in Room 1747, Temporary Building T, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, N. W., Washington, D. C.)

(2) Telegraph Rates Section, which handles telegraph rate, service, and traffic matters; reports rate changes to the Commission and recommends action with respect to charges and practices of telegraph carriers; institutes telegraph traffic surveys; participates in recommending disposition of applications for extension of telegraph lines or discontinuance of telegraph service under section 214 of the Communications Act, for cable landing licenses, and for radiotelegraph licenses; participates in handling the technical phases of treaties and agreements with foreign administrations and carriers relating to telegraph matters; and effects settlements of traffic balances due foreign telecommunication administrations and companies for telegraph messages transmitted between ships of American registry and foreign coastal stations and for such messages transmitted from offices in the United States to all ships through foreign coastal stations.

7. Revoke §§ 1.58 and 1.59.

8. Section 1.60 is renumbered as 1.57 and is amended to read as follows:

§ 1.57 *Economics and Statistics Division.* (a) The Economics and Statistics Division is divided into the following sections:

(1) Common Carrier Section, which receives, examines, and prepares published summaries of annual, monthly, and special reports filed by communication carriers and holding companies; analyzes and interprets economic data concerning the common carrier communication industry; analyzes trends in volume of communication traffic; forecasts growth in the industry; studies public needs for communication services and their availability in particular geographic areas; and maintains a public reference room in which public reports filed with the Commission by companies subject to its jurisdiction are available for public inspection. (The public reference room is located in Room 1742, Temporary Building T, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, N. W., Washington, D. C.)

(2) Broadcast Section, which receives, examines, and prepares published sum-

maries of annual and special reports filed by broadcast stations and networks; analyzes and interprets economic data concerning the broadcast industry; tabulates data for special analyses required by the Commission in connection with hearings and other proceedings; and studies economic trends in new uses of radio in broadcasting.

(3) Special Studies Section, which compiles and analyzes economic and statistical data on safety and miscellaneous uses of radio; prepares special analyses required by the Commission in connection with hearings and other proceedings; studies economic trends in new uses of radio for safety and miscellaneous purposes; and makes special statistical and economic studies as assigned.

9. Revoke §§ 1.61 and 1.62.

(Secs. 3, 12, 60 Stat. 238, 244; 5 U. S. C. Sup. 1002, 1011)

Released: December 31, 1947.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS
COMMISSION,

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

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[Docket No. 8560]

PART 1—ORGANIZATION, PRACTICE AND
PROCEDURE

SHIP RADAR STATION LICENSE

In the matter of the adoption of new application form for Ship Radar Station License, and the amendment of §§ 1.318, 1.319, and 1.320 of the Commission's rules and regulations.

At a session of the Federal Communications Commission held at its offices in Washington, D. C., on the 23d day of December 1947;

The Commission having under consideration the adoption of a new ship radar form for use in the Ship Service, and the amendments of sections of Part 1 of the Commission's rules and regulations; and

It appearing that notice of proposed rule making with respect to said proposed form for ship radar station license and amendments was published in the FEDERAL REGISTER on October 28, 1947; and

It further appearing that all comments and suggestions received by the Commission pursuant to said notice of proposed rule making have been carefully considered by the Commission; and

It further appearing that some of the recommendations were adopted and others were rejected;

It is ordered, That the following form be adopted in the form and content annexed hereto: ¹ FCC Form 501-B, Application for Ship Radar Station License.

It is further ordered, That §§ 1.318, 1.319, and 1.320 (12 F. R. 7080) of the Commission's rules and regulations are amended in the following respects:

¹ Filed as part of the original document. Copies of FCC Form 501-B will be available January 1, 1948.

1. Section 1.318 is amended so as to provide for a new subparagraph (8) following present subparagraph (7) to read as follows:

(8) FCC Form 501-B, "Application for Ship Radar Station License"

and present subparagraphs (8) and (9) to be renumbered (9) and (10).

2. Section 1.319 is amended so as to provide for a new subparagraph (8) following present subparagraph (7) to read as follows:

(8) FCC Form 501-B, "Application for Ship Radar Station License"

and present subparagraph (8) to be renumbered (9)

3. Section 1.320 is amended to add new subparagraph (12) to read as follows:

(12) FCC Form 501-B, "Application for Ship Radar Station License"

It is further ordered, That this order shall be effective immediately.

Released: December 29, 1947.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS
COMMISSION,

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

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PART 3—RADIO BROADCAST SERVICES

ORDER EXTENDING EXEMPTION FROM EXISTING
RULES

In the matter of amendment of § 3.661 (a) (12 F. R. 6575) of the Commission's rules and regulations.

At a meeting of the Federal Communications Commission at its offices in Washington, D. C., on December 30, 1947;

The Commission having under consideration a proposal to extend from December 31, 1947, to March 31, 1948, the Commission's waiver of the requirements of § 3.661 (a) of the Commission's rules and regulations; and

It appearing that § 3.661 (a) requires television station licensees to broadcast a minimum of 2 hours of broadcast service in any given broadcast day and not less than 28 hours of broadcast service per week; and

It further appearing that because of the continued existence of construction difficulties and operating problems in the field of television, and because of the pending proceedings in Docket No. 8487—"In the matter of amendments to the Commission's rules and regulations governing Sharing of Television Channels, etc." the provisions of § 3.661 (a) should be waived until March 31, 1948; and

It further appearing that since the proposed extension of said waiver constitutes a temporary exemption from the requirements of § 3.661 (a), and since the present waiver will expire on December 31, 1947, compliance with the public notice and procedure requirements of section 4 of the Administrative Procedure Act is found to be impracticable;

It is ordered, That effective immediately, the footnote to § 3.661 (a) of the

RULES AND REGULATIONS

Commission's rules and regulations is amended to read as follows:

¹The requirements of § 3.661 (a) are waived until March 31, 1948.

Released: December 31, 1947.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS
COMMISSION,
[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

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TITLE 49—TRANSPORTATION AND RAILROADS

Chapter I—Interstate Commerce Commission

Subchapter A—General Rules and Regulations
[Rev. S. O. 798, Amdt. 3]

PART 95—CAR SERVICE

DEMURRAGE CHARGES ON PRIVATELY OWNED
TANK CARS

At a session of the Interstate Commerce Commission, Division 3, held at its office in Washington, D. C., on the 31st day of December A. D. 1947.

Upon further consideration of Revised Service Order No. 798 (12 F. R. 8461) as amended (12 F. R. 8792) and good cause appearing therefor: It is ordered, that:

Section 95.798 *Demurrage charges on privately owned tank cars*, of Revised Service Order No. 798, be, and it is hereby, amended by substituting the following Exception 1 in lieu of Exception 1, paragraph (b) thereof:

Exception 1. No provision of this order is applicable to tank cars designated "TP" or "TF" when loaded with Anhydrous Hydrofluoric Acid, Carbon Dioxide, Chlorine, Ethyl Chloride, Ethylene Oxide, Metallic Sodium, Methyl Chloride, Sulphur Dioxide or Motor Fuel Anti-knock Compound; or designated "TMI" when loaded with liquid rubber latex or white or yellow phosphorus; nor to tank cars stencilled or signboarded "not air-tight or liquid-tight" and such cars are unsuitable for transporting liquids or gases;

It is further ordered, that this amendment shall become effective at 7:00 a. m., January 1, 1948; that a copy of this order and direction be served upon the State railroad regulatory bodies of each State and upon the Association of American Railroads, Car Service Division, as agent of the railroads subscribing to the car service and per diem agreement under the terms of that agreement; and that notice of this order be given to the general public by depositing a copy in the office of the Secretary of the Commission

at Washington, D. C., and by filing it with the Director, Division of the Federal Register.

(Sec. 1, 24 Stat. 379, as amended; 49 U. S. C. 1 (10)-(17))

By the Commission, Division 3.

[SEAL] W P BARTEL,
Secretary.

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[S. O. 791-A]

PART 95—CAR SERVICE

CAR PRIORITY FOR WHEAT IN PACIFIC
NORTHWEST

At a session of the Interstate Commerce Commission, Division 3, held at its office in Washington, D. C., on the 31st day of December A. D. 1947.

Upon further consideration of Service Order No. 791 (12 F. R. 7791) and good cause appearing therefor: *It is ordered*, That:

Service Order No. 791, *Priority for wheat loading*, be, and it is hereby, suspended until 11:59 p. m., January 31, 1948, unless otherwise modified by order of the Commission.

It is further ordered, That this order shall become effective at 11:59 p. m., December 31, 1947; that a copy of this order and direction be served upon the Association of American Railroads, Car Service Division, as agent of the railroads subscribing to the car service and per diem agreement under the terms of that agreement; and that notice of this order be given to the general public by depositing a copy in the office of the Secretary of the Commission at Washington, D. C., and by filing it with the Director, Division of the Federal Register.

(Sec. 1, 24 Stat. 379, as amended; 49 U. S. C. 1 (10)-(17))

By the Commission, Division 3.

[SEAL] W P BARTEL,
Secretary.

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[S. O. 801-A]

PART 95—CAR SERVICE

COAL AT PARRISH, ALA.

At a session of the Interstate Commerce Commission, Division 3, held at its office in Washington, D. C., on the 31st day of December A. D. 1947.

Upon further consideration of Service Order No. 801 (12 F. R. 8902), and good cause appearing therefor: *It is ordered* That:

Service Order No. 801, *Coal at Parrish, Alabama, be unloaded*, be, and it is hereby, vacated and set aside.

It is further ordered, That this order shall become effective at 11:59 p. m., December 31, 1947; that a copy of this order and direction be served upon the Association of American Railroads, Car Service Division, as agent of the railroads subscribing to the car service and per diem agreement under the terms of that agreement; and that notice of this order be given to the general public by depositing a copy in the office of the Secretary of the Commission, at Washington, D. C., and by filing it with the Director, Division of the Federal Register.

(Sec. 1, 24 Stat. 379, as amended, 49 U. S. C. 1 (10)-(17))

By the Commission, Division 3.

[SEAL] W P BARTEL,
Secretary.

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Subchapter B—Carriers by Motor Vehicle

[Ex Parte MC-19]

PART 176—TRANSPORTATION OF HOUSEHOLD
GOODS IN INTERSTATE OR FOREIGN COM-
MERCE

PRACTICES OF MOTOR COMMON CARRIERS OF
HOUSEHOLD GOODS

Upon consideration of the record in the above-entitled proceeding, and good cause appearing therefor:

It is ordered, That the order entered in the above-entitled proceeding on April 25, 1947 (12 F. R. 3151), as modified by order of July 14, 1947 (12 F. R. 4790), and August 20, 1947 (12 F. R. 6010), to the extent only that it relates to § 176.10, *Estimates of charges*, of the rules and regulations prescribed in the said order of April 25, 1947, is hereby further modified so as to become effective on May 1, 1948.

(49 Stat. 547, 554, 560; 49 U. S. C. 304 (c),
316 (e) 317 (a))

Dated at Washington, D. C., this 30th
day of December A. D. 1947.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] W. P. BARTEL,
Secretary.

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PROPOSED RULE MAKING

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Production and Marketing Administration

[7 CFR, Part 521

UNITED STATES STANDARDS FOR GRADES OF CANNED BEETS¹

NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE MAKING

Notice is hereby given under the authority contained in the Department of Agriculture Appropriation Act, 1948 (Pub. Law 266, 80th Cong., approved July 30, 1947) that the United States Department of Agriculture is considering the issuance, as hereinafter proposed, of a revision of the United States Standards for Grades of Canned Beets, as amended on August 1, 1944.

All persons who desire to submit written data, views, or arguments for consideration in connection with the proposed revision shall file the same in quadruplicate with the Hearing Clerk, United States Department of Agriculture, Room 1844, South Building, Washington 25, D. C., not later than 30 days after the date of publication of this notice in the FEDERAL REGISTER.

The proposed revised standards are as follows:

§ 52.177 *Canned beets.* Canned beets means canned beets as defined in the definitions and standards of identity for canned vegetables (21 CFR, Cum. Supp., 52.990) issued pursuant to the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act.

(a) *Style of canned beets.* (1) "Whole" or "whole beets" means canned beets consisting of whole beets that retain the approximate original conformation of the whole beet.

(2) "Slices" or "sliced beets" means canned beets consisting of slices of beets irrespective of whether such slices are "Corrugated," "Fluted," "Wavy," or "Scalloped."

(3) "Quarters" or "quartered beets" means canned beets consisting of quarters of beets.

(4) "Dice" or "diced beets" means canned beets consisting of diced beets.

(5) "Julienne," "French style," or "Shoestring" means canned beets consisting of strips of beets.

(6) "Cut" means canned beets consisting of units irrespective of whether such units are "segmented" or "wedge-shaped," (i) which are not uniform in size or shape or (ii) which do not conform to any of the foregoing styles.

(7) "Unit" means an individual beet or portion of a beet in canned beets.

(b) *Grades of canned beets.* (1) "U. S. Grade A" or "U. S. Fancy" is the quality of canned beets that possess similar varietal characteristics; possess a normal flavor and odor; possess a good color; are practically free from defects; are tender; and possess such uniformity

of size and shape as to score not less than 85 points when scored in accordance with the scoring system outlined herein.

(2) "U. S. Grade C" or "U. S. Standard" is the quality of canned beets that possess similarly varietal characteristics; possess a normal flavor and odor; possess a fairly good color; are fairly free from defects; are fairly tender; and possess such uniformity of size and shape as to score not less than 70 points when scored in accordance with the scoring system outlined herein.

(3) "U. S. Grade D" or "Substandard" is the quality of canned beets that fail to meet the requirements of U. S. Grade C or U. S. Standard.

(c) *Recommended fill of container.* The recommended fill of container is not incorporated in the grades of the finished product since fill of container, as such, is not a factor of quality for the purpose of these grades. It is recommended that each container of canned beets be filled as full as practicable without impairment of quality and that the product and packing medium occupy not less than 90 percent of the total capacity of the container.

(d) *Recommended drained weight.* The drained weight recommendations in Table No. 1 hereof are not incorporated in the grades of the finished product since drained weight, as such, is not a factor of quality for the purpose of these

grades. The drained weight of canned beets is determined by emptying the contents of the container upon a circular sieve of proper diameter containing 8 meshes to the inch (0.097-inch square openings) and allowing to drain for 2 minutes. A sieve 8 inches in diameter is used for the No. 2½ size can (401 x 411) and smaller sizes; and a sieve 12 inches in diameter is used for containers larger than the No. 2½ size can.

TABLE NO. I—RECOMMENDED DRAINED WEIGHTS, IN OUNCES, OF BEETS

Container size or designation	Style of canned beets				
	Whole	Diced	Quartered-cut	Sliced	Julienne
No. 2.....	12½	13	13	12½	11
No. 2½.....	16½	19½	19	19	18
No. 10.....	73	72	72	71	63
16 oz. glass.....	16½	16½	10	9½	9

(e) *Sizes of beets in whole beets.* The size of any beet is determined by measuring the shortest diameter through the center transverse to the longitudinal axis of the beet. The word and number designations of the various sizes of beets in whole beets are shown in Table No. II hereof. Such table also specifies the count range per container for stated container sizes.

TABLE NO. II—SIZES OF BEETS IN WHOLE BEETS

Word designation and number designation	Count range per container			
	No. 2 can	No. 2½ can	No. 10 can	16 oz. glass
Tiny:				
Size 1.....	50 and over.....	70 and over.....	220 and over.....	35 and over.....
Size 2.....	35 to but not including 50.	50 to but not including 70.	175 to but not including 220.	25 to but not including 35.
Small:				
Size 3.....	25 to but not including 35.	35 to but not including 50.	125 to but not including 175.	18 to but not including 25.
Size 4.....	15 to but not including 25.	20 to but not including 25.	75 to but not including 125.	10 to but not including 18.
Medium:				
Size 5.....	10 to but not including 15.	15 to but not including 20.	50 to but not including 75.	7 to but not including 10.
Size 6.....	Less than 10.....	Less than 15.....	Less than 50.....	Less than 7.
Assorted sizes. ¹				
Mixed sizes. ²				

¹ Assorted sizes is a combination of any two adjacent sizes.
² Mixed sizes is a combination of more than two adjacent sizes.

(f) *Sizes of beet slices in sliced beets.* The size of any slice in sliced beets is determined by measuring the shortest diameter of the surfaces of the slice. The word designation of the various sizes of slices in sliced beets are shown in Table No. III hereof.

TABLE NO. III—SIZES OF SLICES IN SLICED BEETS

Word designation	Shortest diameter in inches
Small.....	Less than 2 inches.
Medium.....	From 2 inches up to but not including 2½ inches.
Large.....	Not less than 2½ inches.
Assorted sizes. ¹	
Mixed sizes. ²	

¹ Assorted sizes is a combination of any two adjacent sizes.
² Mixed sizes is a combination of all designated sizes.

(g) *Ascertaining the grade.* (1) The grade of canned beets may be ascertained by considering, in addition to the foregoing requirements of the respective grade, the following factors: Color, uniformity of size and shape, absence of defects, and texture. The relative importance of each factor is expressed numerically on the scale of 100. The maximum number of points that may be given each factor is:

	Points
(i) Color.....	25
(ii) Uniformity of size and shape.....	15
(iii) Absence of defects.....	30
(iv) Texture.....	30
Total score.....	100

(2) "Normal flavor and normal odor" means that the canned beets are free

¹ The requirements of these standards shall not excuse failure to comply with the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act.

from objectionable flavors and objectionable odors of any kind.

(h) *Ascertaining the rating of each factor* The essential variations within each factor are so described that the value may be ascertained for each factor and expressed numerically. The numerical range within each factor is inclusive (for example, "12 to 15 points" means 12, 13, 14, or 15 points)

(1) *Color* (i) Canned beets that possess a good color may be given a score of 21 to 25 points. "Good color" means that the canned beets possess a color that is uniform, bright, and typical of canned beets produced from beets of similar varietal characteristics.

(ii) If the canned beets possess a fairly good color, a score of 18 to 20 points may be given. Canned beets that fall into this classification shall not be graded above U. S. Grade C or U. S. Standard, regardless of the total score for the product (this is a limiting rule) "Fairly good color" means that the canned beets possess a color that is typical of canned beets produced from beets of similar varietal characteristics and such color may be variable or slightly dull.

(iii) Canned beets that fail to meet the requirements of subdivision (ii) of this subparagraph may be given a score of 0 to 17 points and shall not be graded above U. S. Grade D or Substandard, regardless of the total score for the product (this is a limiting rule)

(2) *Uniformity of size and shape.* (i) Canned beets that are practically uniform in size and shape may be given a score of 12 to 15 points. "Practically uniform in size and shape" has the following meanings with respect to the various styles of canned beets:

(a) *Whole beets.* The size of the individual beet is not more than $2\frac{1}{4}$ inches in diameter, measured as aforesaid; the beets may vary moderately in shape, and the weight of the largest beet does not exceed the weight of the smallest beet by more than 50 percent of the weight of the smallest beet.

(b) *Quartered beets.* The beets from which the quarters have been prepared were of a size not more than $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches in diameter, as aforesaid, and the weight of the largest quarter does not exceed the weight of the smallest quarter by more than 50 percent of the weight of the smallest quarter.

(c) *Sliced beets.* The individual slice is not more than $\frac{3}{8}$ inch in thickness when measured at the thickest portion; the size of each slice is not more than $3\frac{1}{2}$ inches in diameter, measured as aforesaid, and the weight of the largest slice does not exceed the weight of the smallest slice by more than 50 percent of the weight of the smallest slice.

(d) *Diced beets.* The units are practically uniform in size and shape with edges measuring not more than $\frac{5}{16}$ inch; and the aggregate weight of the units which are smaller than one-half of a cube and of all large and irregular units does not exceed 15 percent of the weight of all units.

(e) *Julienne, French style, or shoestring.* The strips of beets are practically uniform in size and shape, with cross sections measuring not more than $\frac{3}{16}$ inch, and the aggregate weight of

all strips less than $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches in length does not exceed 10 percent of the weight of all the strips.

(f) *Cut.* The individual units weigh not less than $\frac{1}{4}$ ounce nor more than 2 ounces each and the largest unit weighs not more than four times the weight of the smallest unit. An occasional unit which is not representative of the general size of all the units is excluded in determining size variation.

(ii) If the canned beets are fairly uniform in size and shape, a score of 8 to 11 points may be given. "Fairly uniform in size and shape" has the following meanings with respect to the various styles of canned beets:

(a) *Whole beets.* The size of the individual beet is not more than $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches in diameter, measured as aforesaid; the beets may vary considerably in shape, and the weight of the largest beet is not more than twice the weight of the smallest beet.

(b) *Quartered beets.* The beets from which the quarters have been cut were of a size not more than $3\frac{1}{2}$ inches in diameter, as aforesaid, and the weight of the largest quarter is not more than twice the weight of the smallest quarter.

(c) *Sliced beets.* The individual slice is not more than $\frac{3}{8}$ inch in thickness when measured at the thickest portion; the size of each slice is not more than $3\frac{1}{2}$ inches in diameter, measured as aforesaid; and the weight of the largest slice is not more than twice the weight of the smallest slice.

(d) *Diced beets.* The units are fairly uniform in size and shape, with edges measuring not more than $\frac{1}{2}$ inch; and the aggregate weight of all units which are smaller than one-half of a cube and all large and irregular units does not exceed 25 percent of the weight of all units.

(e) *Julienne, French style, or shoestring.* The strips of beets are fairly uniform in size and shape, with cross sections measuring not more than $\frac{3}{16}$ inch and the aggregate weight of all strips less than $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches in length does not exceed 25 percent of the weight of all the strips.

(f) *Cut.* The individual units weigh not less than $\frac{1}{8}$ ounce nor more than 3 ounces each and the largest unit weighs not more than twelve times the weight of the smallest unit. An occasional unit which is not representative of the general size of all the units is excluded in determining size variation.

(iii) Canned beets that fail to meet the requirements of subdivision (ii) of this subparagraph may be given a score of 0 to 7 points and shall not be graded above U. S. Grade C or U. S. Standard, regardless of the total score for the product (this is a limiting rule)

(3) *Absence of defects.* (i) The factor of absence of defects refers to the degree of freedom from defective units. Defective units are slabs, units damaged by mechanical injury, units blemished by brown or black internal or external discoloration, pathological injury or insect injury and units blemished by other means.

(a) "Slab" means the first portion of a whole beet obtained in slicing, usually possessing only one cut surface or cut

surfaces of unequal areas varying in diameter more than $\frac{1}{2}$ inch.

(b) "Damaged by mechanical injury" means crushed, broken, or cracked units, units with excessively frayed edges and surfaces, units with unpeeled areas, excessively trimmed units, or damaged by other means.

(c) "Blemished" means any blemish affecting an aggregate area greater than the area of a circle $\frac{3}{16}$ inch in diameter or any blemish which seriously affects the appearance or eating quality of the unit.

(ii) Canned beets that are practically free from defects may be given a score of 26 to 30 points. "Practically free from defects" has the following meanings with respect to the various styles of canned beets:

(a) *Whole beets.* The aggregate weight of all defective units does not exceed 15 percent of the weight of all the units, and of such 15 percent not more than one-half thereof or one beet, whichever weighs more, may consist of blemished units.

(b) *Sliced, quartered, and cut beets.* The aggregate weight of all defective units does not exceed 15 percent of the weight of all the units, and of such 15 percent not more than one-half thereof or one slice, quarter or cut, whichever weighs more, may consist of blemished units, and not more than 10 percent of the weight of all the units are slabs in sliced beets.

(c) *Diced, Julienne, French style, or shoestring beets.* The aggregate weight of all defective units does not exceed 10 percent of the weight of all the units, and of such 10 percent not more than one-half thereof may consist of blemished units.

(iii) Canned beets that are fairly free from defects may be given a score of 22 to 25 points. Canned beets that fall into this classification shall not be graded above U. S. Grade C or U. S. Standard, regardless of the total score for the product (this is a limiting rule) "Fairly free from defects" has the following meanings with respect to the various styles of canned beets:

(a) *Whole beets.* The aggregate weight of all defective units does not exceed 30 percent of the weight of all the units, and of such 30 percent not more than one-half may consist of blemished units.

(b) *Sliced, quartered, and cut beets.* The aggregate weight of all defective units does not exceed 30 percent of the weight of all the units, and of such 30 percent not more than one-half thereof may consist of blemished units, and not more than 25 percent of the weight of all the units are slabs in sliced beets.

(c) *Diced, Julienne, French style, or shoestring beets.* The aggregate weight of all defective units does not exceed 25 percent of the weight of all the units, and of such 25 percent not more than one-half thereof may consist of blemished units.

(iv) Canned beets that fail to meet the requirements of subdivision (iii) of this subparagraph may be given a score of 0 to 21 points and shall not be graded above U. S. Grade B or Substandard, regardless of the total score for the product (this is a limiting rule)

(4) *Texture.* (i) The factor of texture refers to the tenderness of the beets, and the degree of freedom from stringy or coarse fibers.

(ii) Canned beets that possess a tender texture may be given a score of 26 to 30 points. "Tender texture" means that the beets are tender, not fibrous, and possess a uniform character.

(iii) If the canned beets possess a fairly tender texture, a score of 22 to 25 points may be given. Cannel beets that fall into this classification shall not be graded above U. S. Grade C or U. S. Standard, regardless of the total score for the product (this is a limiting rule) "Fairly tender texture" means that the beets are fairly tender, may be variable in character but not tough or hard, and may possess a few stringy or coarse fibers.

(iv) Canned beets that fail to meet the requirements of subdivision (iii) of this subparagraph shall not be graded above U. S. Grade D or Substandard; regardless of the total score for the product (this is a limiting rule)

(i) *Tolerance for certification of officially drawn samples.* (1) When certifying samples that have been officially drawn and which represent a specific lot of canned beets, the grade for such lot will be determined by averaging the total scores of all containers, if:

(i) Not more than one-sixth of the containers comprising the sample fails to meet all the requirements of the grade indicated by the average of such total scores, and with respect to such containers which fail to meet the requirements of the indicated grade by reason of a limiting rule, the average score of all containers in the sample for the factor, subject to such limiting rule must be within the range for the grade indicated;

(ii) None of the containers comprising the sample falls more than 4 points below the minimum score for the grade indicated by the average of the total scores; and

(iii) All containers comprising the sample meet all applicable standards of quality promulgated under the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act and in effect at the time of the aforesaid certification.

(j) *Score sheet for canned beets.*

Container size.....	-----
Container code or marking.....	-----
Label.....	-----
Net weight (in ounces).....	-----
Vacuum (in inches).....	-----
Drained weight (in ounces).....	-----
Style.....	-----
Size of whole beets (count).....	-----
Size of sliced beets (diameter).....	-----

Factors	Score points
I. Color.....	25
II. Uniformity of size and shape.....	15
III. Absence of defects.....	30
IV. Texture.....	30
Total score.....	100

Grade.....	-----
Normal flavor and odor.....	-----

¹ Indicates limiting rule within classification.

Issued at Washington, D. C., this 31st day of December 1947.

[SEAL]

JESSE B. GILMER,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 48-262; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948; 8:47 a. m.]

[7 CFR, Part 721]

CORN

CORN ACREAGE ALLOTMENTS AND CORN MARKETING QUOTAS

Pursuant to Title III of the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938, as amended (7 U. S. C. and Supp. 1301-1393), the Secretary of Agriculture is required by sections 327 and 328 thereof to proclaim, not later than February 1, 1948, the commercial corn-producing area and the acreage allotment of corn for the calendar year 1948. In preparing to issue such proclamations the Secretary has under consideration sections 304 and 371 (b) of that act, which provide that the marketing quota provisions thereof shall not be invoked or continued in effect with respect to any one of the several basic commodities in case the Secretary finds a suspension or termination of the provisions necessary to protect consumers or to meet a national emergency.

All interested persons may submit their views in writing with respect to the proclamations to the Director, Grain Branch, Production and Marketing Administration, United States Department of Agriculture, Washington 25, D. C. All submissions must be postmarked not later than ten days from the date this notice appears in the FEDERAL REGISTER.

Issued at Washington, D. C., this 31st day of December 1947.

[SEAL]

JESSE B. GILMER,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 48-263; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948; 8:47 a. m.]

[7 CFR, Part 904]

MILK IN GREATER BOSTON, MASS., MARKETING AREA

NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE MAKING WITH RESPECT TO TERMINATION OF EMERGENCY PERIOD

Pursuant to the applicable provisions of the Administrative Procedure Act (60 Stat. 237) and the authority vested in the market administrator by § 904.1.(a) (5) of Order No. 4, as amended, regulating the handling of milk in the Greater Boston, Massachusetts, marketing area, notice is hereby given that a public meeting will be held at Room 726, 80 Federal Street, Boston, Massachusetts, on January 15, 1948, at 10:00 a. m., e. s. t. to consider the termination of Emergency Period No. 2 (§ 904.202, 12 F. R. 7048) which made effective the provisions of Order No. 4 relating to emergency milk.

All persons who desire to submit data, views, or arguments in connection with this matter will be given an opportunity to do so orally or in writing at this meeting.

Issued at Boston, Massachusetts, this 31st day of December 1947.

[SEAL]

RICHARD D. APLIN,
Acting Market Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 48-157; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948; 8:48 a. m.]

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[47 CFR, Parts 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 16, 17]

[Docket No. 8709]

LENGTH OF LICENSE TERM

NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE MAKING

In the matter of amendments of §§ 8.61, 9.116, 10.81, 11.41, 14.4, 16.22, 17.121, of the Commission's rules and regulations.

1. Notice is hereby given of proposed rule making in the above-entitled matter.

2. The purpose of the proposed amendments is to revise the length of the station license term for certain classes of stations in the Ship, Aeronautical, Emergency, Alaskan, Railroad, Utility, and Miscellaneous Radio Services, thereby expediting the processing of renewal applications for such stations and improving the internal administration of the Commission.

3. The proposed amendments, authority for which is contained in sections 301, 303 (r) and 307 (d) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, are as follows:

§ 8.61 *License period.* (a) New ship station licenses will be issued to expire at 3 a. m., e. s. t., on a date one to five years from the date on which they become effective, as the Commission shall determine in each case.

(b) Ship station licenses normally will be renewed upon proper application, to expire at 3 a. m., e. s. t., on a date four years from the effective date of renewal.

§ 9.116 *License period.* (a) Unless otherwise stated in the instrument of authorization, the license period for private aircraft stations shall be two years, expiring on the first day of the following month two years after the license is issued.

(b) For all stations in the Aeronautical Service, other than private aircraft stations, the license period shall be as follows:

(1) Each new or modified station license will be issued for a term of from one to five years from the effective date of grant, the term varying as may be necessary to permit the orderly scheduling of renewal applications.

(2) Each station license normally will be renewed, upon proper application for a term of four years from the effective date of renewal.

§ 10.81 *License period.* For all stations in the Emergency Service, the license period shall be as follows:

(a) Each new or modified station license will be issued for a term of from one to five years from the effective date of grant, the term varying as may be necessary to permit the orderly scheduling of renewal applications.

(b) Each station license normally will be renewed, upon proper application for

a term of four years from the effective date of renewal.

§ 11.41 *License period.* For all stations in the Miscellaneous Services, other than Provisional stations (see § 11.121), the license period shall be as follows:

(a) Each new or modified station license will be issued for a term of from one to five years from the effective date of grant, the term varying as may be necessary to permit the orderly scheduling of renewal applications.

(b) Each station license normally will be renewed, upon proper application, for a term of four years from the effective date of renewal.

§ 14.4 *License period.* (a) The normal license period for each radio station in Alaska which operates in the Fixed Public Radio Service or in the Public Coastal Radio Service shall be two years. All licenses in both services will be issued to expire concurrently at 3 a. m., e. s. t., on January 1 of the expiration year, and to achieve such scheduling the Commission may when necessary modify the length of the license term.

(b) The license period for each radio station operating in Alaska, other than stations referred to in paragraph (a) of

this section, shall coincide with the term established for similar stations operating in the continental United States, and may be determined by reference to the rules and regulations governing individual radio services.

§ 16.22 *License period.* For all stations in the Railroad Radio Service, the license period shall be as follows:

(a) Each new or modified station license will be issued for a term of from one to five years from the effective date of grant, the term varying as may be necessary to permit the orderly scheduling of renewal applications.

(b) Each station license normally will be renewed, upon proper application, for a term of four years from the effective date of renewal.

§ 17.121 *License period.* For all stations in the Utility Radio Service, the license period shall be as follows:

(a) Each new or modified station license will be issued for a term of from one to five years from the effective date of grant, the term varying as may be necessary to permit the orderly scheduling of renewal applications.

(b) Each station license normally will be renewed, upon proper application for

a term of four years from the effective date of renewal.

4. Any interested party who is of the opinion that the proposed amendments should not be adopted, or should not be adopted in the form set forth, may file with the Commission, on or before February 2, 1948, a written statement or brief setting forth his comments. The Commission will consider any such comments that are received before taking final action regarding the proposed amendments, and if any comments are received which appear to warrant the holding of an oral argument before final action is taken, notice of the time and place of such oral argument will be given.

5. In accordance with the provisions of § 1.764 of the Commission's rules and regulations, an original and 14 copies of all statements, briefs or comments filed shall be furnished the Commission.

Adopted: December 30, 1947.

Released: December 31, 1947.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS
COMMISSION,
T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 48-174; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948;
8:45 a. m.]

NOTICES

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

ALASKA

AIR-NAVIGATION SITE WITHDRAWAL NO. 170, ENLARGED

By virtue of the authority contained in section 4 of the act of May 24, 1928, 45 Stat. 729 (49 U. S. C. 214) it is ordered as follows:

Subject to valid existing rights, the public lands lying within the following-described boundaries are hereby withdrawn from all forms of appropriation under the public land laws, for the use of the Department of Commerce as an addition to Air-Navigation Site Withdrawal No. 170 at Tanacross, Alaska, established and modified by departmental orders of November 28, 1941; January 5, 1942, and March 4, 1947:

Beginning at a point on line 5-6 of U. S. Survey 2631 from which corner No. 5 bears N. 32° 48' W. 2226.4 feet thence by mete and bounds:

N. 86° 52' E., 2921.4 feet;
S. 32° 48' E., 3102.0 feet;
S. 67° 11' W., 2552.23 feet
to line 5-6 on U. S. Survey 2631;
N. 32° 48' W., 4523.5 feet
along line 5-6 to point of beginning.

The area as described contains 223.39 acres.

It is intended that the public land described herein shall be returned to the administration of the Department of the Interior when it is no longer needed for the purpose for which it is reserved.

OSCAR L. CHAPMAN,
Under Secretary of the Interior

DECEMBER 30, 1947.

[F. R. Doc. 48-142; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948;
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[Misc. 8064]

ALABAMA

RESTORATION ORDER NO. 1237 UNDER FEDERAL POWER ACT

DECEMBER 24, 1947.

Pursuant to the determination of the Federal Power Commission (DA-7, Alabama) and in accordance with 43 CFR, 4.275 (a) (16) (Departmental Order No. 2238 of August 16, 1946, 11 F. R. 9080), it is ordered as follows:

The land hereinafter described which was reserved for Power Project No. 276 on January 27, 1922, is hereby opened to disposition under the public land laws, subject to the provisions of section 24 of the Federal Power Act of June 10, 1920 (41 Stat. 1063), as amended by the act of August 26, 1935 (49 Stat. 846, 16 U. S. C. 818) and subject to the stipulation that if and when the land is required wholly or in part for purposes of power development, any structures or improvements placed thereon which shall be found to interfere with the proposed development shall be removed or relocated in so far as necessary to eliminate interference with power development without expense to the United States or its licensee.

At 10:00 a. m. on February 24, 1948, the lands shall, subject to valid existing rights and the provisions of existing withdrawals, become subject to application, petition, location, or selection as follows:

(a) *Ninety-day period for preference-right filings.* For a period of 90 days from February 24, 1948, to May 24, 1948, inclusive, the public lands affected by this order shall be subject to (1) application under the homestead laws, or the small tract act of June 1, 1938 (52 Stat. 609,

43 U. S. C. 682a) as amended, by qualified veterans of World War II, for whose service recognition is granted by the act of September 27, 1944 (58 Stat. 747, 43 U. S. C. Sup. 279-283) subject to the requirements of applicable law, and (2) application under any applicable public-land law, based on prior existing valid settlement rights and preference rights conferred by existing laws or equitable claims subject to allowance and confirmation. Application by such veterans shall be subject to claims of the classes described in subdivision (2)

(b) *Twenty-day advance period for simultaneous preference-right filings.* For a period of 20 days from February 4, 1948, to February 23, 1948, inclusive, such veterans and persons claiming preference rights superior to those of such veterans, may present their applications, and all such applications, together with those presented at 10:00 a. m. on February 24, 1948, shall be treated as simultaneously filed.

(c) *Date for non-preference-right filings authorized by the public-land laws.* Commencing at 10:00 a. m. on May 24, 1948, any of the lands remaining unappropriated shall become subject to such application, petition, location, or selection by the public generally as may be authorized by the public-land laws.

(d) *Twenty-day advance period for simultaneous non-preference-right filings.* Applications by the general public may be presented during the 20-day period from May 4, 1948, to May 24, 1948, inclusive, and all such applications, together with those presented at 10:00 a. m. on May 24, 1948, shall be treated as simultaneously filed.

Veterans shall accompany their applications with certified copies of their certificates of discharge, or other satisfac-

tory evidence of their military or naval service. Persons asserting preference rights, through settlement or otherwise, and those having equitable claims, shall accompany their applications by duly corroborated affidavits in support thereof, setting forth in detail all facts relevant to their claims.

Applications for these lands, which shall be filed in the Bureau of Land Management, Washington 25, D. C., shall be acted upon in accordance with the regulations contained in § 295.8 of Title 43 of the Code of Federal Regulations (Circular No. 324, May 22, 1914, 43 L. D. 254) and Part 296 of that title, to the extent that such regulations are applicable. Applications under the homestead laws shall be governed by the regulations contained in Parts 166 to 170, inclusive, of Title 43 of the Code of Federal Regulations and applications under the small tract act of June 1, 1938, shall be governed by the regulations contained in Part 257, of that title.

Inquiries concerning these lands shall be addressed to the Director, Bureau of Land Management, Washington 25, D. C.

The lands affected by this order are described as follows:

ST. STEPHENS MERIDIAN

T. 4 N., R. 25 E., sec. 4, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$.

The area described contains 40 acres.

This land is generally level to gently rolling in character and has sandy soils with sandy clay subsoils.

FRED W. JOHNSON,
Director

[F. R. Doc. 48-144; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948;
8:46 a. m.]

[Misc. 2090671]
ALASKA

SHORE SPACE RESTORATION ORDER NO. 396

DECEMBER 26, 1947.

Pursuant to the provisions of the act of June 5, 1920 (41 Stat. 1059, 48 U. S. C. 372) and in accordance with 43 CFR 4.275 (a) (56) (Departmental Order No. 2325 of May 24, 1947, 12 F. R. 3566) it is ordered as follows:

The 80-rod shore space reserve created under the act of May 14, 1898 (30 Stat. 409) as amended by the act of March 3, 1903 (32 Stat. 1028, 48 U. S. C. 371) is hereby revoked as to the land hereinafter described.

At 10:00 a. m. on February 26, 1948, the lands shall, subject to valid existing rights and the provisions of existing withdrawals, become subject to application, petition, location, or selection as follows:

(a) *Ninety-day period for preference-right filings.* For a period of 90 days from February 26, 1948, to May 25, 1948, inclusive, the public lands affected by this notice shall be subject to (1) application under the homestead laws, or the small tract act of June 1, 1938 (52 Stat. 609, 43 U. S. C. 682a) as amended, by qualified veterans of World War II, for whose service recognition is granted by the act of September 27, 1944 (58 Stat.

747, 43 U. S. C. Sup. 279-283), subject to the requirements of applicable law, and (2) application under any applicable public-land law, based on prior existing valid settlement rights and preference rights conferred by existing laws or equitable claims subject to allowance and confirmation. Application by such veterans shall be subject to claims of the classes described in subdivision (2).

(b) *Twenty-day advance period for simultaneous preference-right filings.* For a period of 20 days from February 6, 1948, to February 25, 1948, inclusive, such veterans and persons claiming preference rights superior to those of such veterans, may present their applications, and all such applications, together with those presented at 10:00 a. m. on February 26, 1948, shall be treated as simultaneously filed.

(c) *Date for non-preference-right filings authorized by the public-land laws.* Commencing at 10:00 a. m. on May 26, 1948, any of the lands remaining unappropriated shall become subject to such application, petition, location, or selection by the public generally as may be authorized by the public-land laws.

(d) *Twenty-day advance period for simultaneous non-preference-right filings.* Applications by the general public may be presented during the 20-day period from May 6, 1948, to May 25, 1948, inclusive, and all such applications, together with those presented at 10:00 a. m. on May 26, 1948, shall be treated as simultaneously filed.

Veterans shall accompany their applications with certified copies of their certificates of discharge, or other satisfactory evidence of their military or naval service. Persons asserting preference rights, through settlement or otherwise, and those having equitable claims, shall accompany their applications by duly corroborated affidavits in support thereof, setting forth in detail all facts relevant to their claims.

Applications for these lands, which shall be filed in the District Land Office at Fairbanks, Alaska, shall be acted upon in accordance with the regulations contained in § 295.8 of Title 43 of the Code of Federal Regulations (Circular No. 324, May 22, 1914, 43 L. D. 254), to the extent that such regulations are applicable. Applications under the homestead laws shall be governed by the regulations contained in Parts 65 and 66 of Title 43 of the Code of Federal Regulations and applications under the small tract act of June 1, 1938, shall be governed by the regulations contained in Part 257 of that Title.

Inquiries concerning these lands shall be addressed to the Acting Manager, District Land Office, Fairbanks, Alaska.

The lands affected by this order are described as follows:

FAIRBANKS MERIDIAN

T. 1 S., R. 1 W., sec. 8, lot 15.

The area described contains 49.67 acres.

This land borders on the Chena River but is not suitable, used, or needed for landing or harborage purposes. This tract is embraced in the homestead entry of Lacie O. Janes, Fairbanks 04662, upon which the entrywoman has placed valuable improvements

consisting of a frame house with basement, a well and pump, a storage shed, and a log garage.

FRED W. JOHNSON,
Director.

[F. R. Doc. 48-145; Filed Jan. 6, 1948;
8:46 a. m.]

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Office of the Secretary

WHEAT AND WHEAT FLOUR AVAILABLE FOR EXPORT

NOTICE OF ESTIMATES OF QUANTITIES

Pursuant to the provisions of section 11 (b) of the Foreign Aid Act of 1947 (Public Law 389—80th Congress and the Third Supplemental Appropriation Act, 1948 (Public Law 393—80th Cong.), the attached statement of the Cabinet Committee on World Food Programs, approved by the President, sets forth, on the basis of information currently available, the estimates of wheat and wheat flour in wheat equivalent, available for export from the United States.

Dated: January 2, 1948.

[SEAL] CLINTON P. ANDERSON,
Secretary of Agriculture.

In accordance with section 11 (b) of the Foreign Aid Act of 1947 and the Third Supplemental Appropriations Act 1948, we have surveyed the requirements of all countries which are dependent upon the United States for a portion of their supplies of wheat, wheat flour, and other cereal grains; we have estimated the quantities of such commodities that will probably be made available to such countries from the United States; we have also estimated the total amount of such commodities available for export from the United States to the countries receiving aid under the Foreign Aid Act of 1947, after giving due consideration to the quantity thereof required in this country for essential domestic needs and for wastage, food, feed, seed and industrial uses, and for the needs of other countries dependent upon the United States for supplies of such commodities. In determining the amount of wheat and flour available for export from the United States we have allowed for a carry-over of wheat in the United States as of July 1, 1948 of 150 million bushels.

Our estimates in this connection are as follows:

1. It is currently indicated that during the fiscal year 1947-49 450 million bushels of wheat (including flour in terms of wheat equivalent) will be available from the United States for export of which 59.4 million bushels will be exported under the Foreign Aid Act of 1947. Exports of 450 million bushels of wheat based on current estimates of the quantity required for domestic utilization will leave a carry-over on July 1, 1948, of 150 million bushels. (See attached table.)

2. For the 8 months July 1947-February 1948 a total of 332.4 million bushels of wheat and wheat flour in wheat equivalent will be exported to all countries. Of this quantity 33.8 million bushels will be exported in December, January, and February under the Foreign Aid Act of 1947. These exports will leave 117.4 million bushels of the 450 million bushel total available for export in March-June 1948. After giving due consideration to the needs of other countries, it is estimated that 25.6 million bushels of this quantity can

be made available for export under the Foreign Aid Act of 1947.

Respectfully,

CABINET COMMITTEE ON WORLD
FOOD PROGRAMS,
CLINTON P. ANDERSON,
Chairman, Secretary of Agriculture.
ROBERT S. LOVETT,
Acting Secretary of State.
DAVID BRUCE,
Acting Secretary of Commerce.

I approve the statement submitted by the Cabinet Food Committee relating to wheat as required under section 11 (b) of the Interim Aid Act.

HARRY S. TRUMAN,
The President.

DECEMBER 27, 1947.

WHEAT SUPPLY AND DISTRIBUTION

July 1947-June 1948

[Million bushels]

Supply:		
Stocks, July 1.....	84	
Estimated production.....	1,365	
Total supply.....	1,449	
Distribution:		
Domestic food.....	510	
Feed and waste.....	250	
Industrial use.....	1	
Seed.....	88	
Exports.....	450	
Stocks, June 30.....	150	
Total distribution.....	1,449	

[F. R. Doc. 48-160; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948; 8:49 a. m.]

CIVIL AERONAUTICS BOARD

[Docket No. 3016]

TACA, S. A.

NOTICE OF HEARING

In the matter of the application of TACA, S. A. under section 402 of the Civil Aeronautics Act of 1938, as amended, for renewal of its foreign air carrier permits authorizing the foreign air transportation of persons, property and mail between San Salvador, El Salvador and New Orleans, La., and between San Salvador, El Salvador and Miami, Fla., via Havana, Cuba, and for amendment of the said permits to include Guatemala City, Guatemala and Belize, British Honduras, as intermediate points on each of the aforesaid routes.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the Civil Aeronautics Act of 1938, as amended, particularly sections 402 and 1001 of said act, that a hearing in the above-entitled proceeding is assigned to be held on January 27, 1948, at 10 a. m. (eastern standard time) in Room 129, Wing E, Temporary Building No. 5, 16th Street and Constitution Ave. NW., Washington, D. C., before Examiner William J. Maden.

Without limiting the scope of the issues presented by said application, particular attention will be directed to the following matters and questions:

1. Whether the proposed air transportation will be in the public interest, as defined in section 2 of the Civil Aeronautics Act of 1938, as amended.

2. Whether the applicant is fit, willing and able to perform such transportation

and to conform to the provisions of the act and the rules, regulations, and requirements of the Board thereunder.

3. Whether the authorization of the proposed transportation is consistent with any obligation assumed by the United States in any treaty, convention or agreement in force between the United States and the Republic of El Salvador.

Notice is further given that any person desiring to be heard in this proceeding must file with the Board, on or before January 27, 1948, a statement setting forth the issues of fact or law raised by said application which he desires to controvert.

For further details of the service proposed and authorization requested, interested parties are referred to the application on file with the Civil Aeronautics Board.

Dated at Washington, D. C., December 31, 1947.

By the Civil Aeronautics Board.

[SEAL] M. C. MULLIGAN,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 48-221; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948; 8:48 a. m.]

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS
COMMISSION

[Designation Order 17]

DESIGNATION OF MOTIONS COMMISSIONER
FOR JANUARY 1948

At a session of the Federal Communications Commission held at its offices in Washington, D. C., on the 23d day of December 1947;

It is ordered, Pursuant to § 1.111 of the Commission's rules and regulations, that Clifford J. Durr, Commissioner, be and he is hereby designated as Motions Commissioner for the month of January 1948.

It is further ordered, That in the event said Motions Commissioner is unable to act during any part of said period the Acting Chairman will designate a substitute Motions Commissioner.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS
COMMISSION,

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 48-177; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948; 8:45 a. m.]

[Docket Nos. 8151, 8152]

WOODWARD M. RITTER AND EMPIRE
BROADCASTING Co.

ORDER CONTINUING HEARING

In re applications of Woodward M. Ritter, San Bernardino, California, Docket No. 8151, File No. BP-5432; Empire Broadcasting Company, Pomona, California, Docket No. 8152, File No. BP-5813; for construction permits.

Whereas, the above-entitled applications are scheduled to be heard in the field on January 19, 1948; and

Whereas, on May 9, 1947, the Commission published a notice of proposed rule-making with respect to daytime skywave

transmissions of standard broadcast stations (Docket No. 8333) and stated therein that it would defer action on all pending applications requesting daytime or limited time operation on United States I-A or I-B frequencies until a decision was announced in the said hearing (Mimeo No. 6630), and

Whereas, the above-entitled application of Woodward M. Ritter requests the use of 660 kc, 250 watts, daytime only and the above-entitled application of Empire Broadcasting Company requests the use of 660 kc, 1 kw, daytime only and

Whereas, the public interest, convenience and necessity would be served by removing the said hearing to Washington, D. C.,

It is ordered, This 19th day of December 1947, on the Commission's own motion, that the said hearing on the above-entitled applications be, and it is hereby, continued to 10:00 a. m., Thursday, March 18, 1948, at Washington, D. C.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 48-178; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948; 8:46 a. m.]

[Docket Nos. 7998, 7999, 8434]

HECTOR REICHARD ET AL.

ORDER CONTINUING HEARING

In re application of Hector Reichard, Aguadilla, Puerto Rico, Docket No. 8434, File No. BP-5952; Joramo-Fer Radio Corporation, Caguas, Puerto Rico, Docket No. 7998, File No. BP-5174; Caguas Radio Broadcasting, Inc., Caguas, Puerto Rico, Docket No. 7999, File No. BP-5475; for construction permits.

The Commission having under consideration a joint petition filed December 19, 1947, by Hector Reichard, Aguadilla, Puerto Rico, Joramo-Fer Radio Corporation, Caguas, Puerto Rico, and Caguas Radio Broadcasting, Inc., Caguas, Puerto Rico, requesting a continuance to approximately January 23, 1948, of the hearing now scheduled in the consolidated proceeding on their above-entitled applications for January 5, 1948, at Washington, D. C.,

It is ordered, This 26th day of December 1947, that the petition be, and it is hereby, granted; and that the said hearing on the above-entitled applications be, and it is hereby, continued to 10 a. m., Thursday, January 22, 1948, at Washington, D. C.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 48-170; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948; 8:46 a. m.]

[Docket Nos. 7279, 7293, 8554, 8555-8557, 8629-8631, 8648-8651]

NEW ENGLAND THEATRES, INC., ET AL.

ORDER CONTINUING HEARING

In re applications of New England Theatres, Inc., Boston, Massachusetts,

Docket No. 8557, File No. BPCT-140; Empire Coil Company, Inc., Sharon, Massachusetts, Docket No. 8629, File No. BPCT-202; Boston Metropolitan Television Company, Boston, Massachusetts, Docket No. 8630, File No. BPCT-203; New England Television Company, Inc., Boston, Massachusetts, Docket No. 8631, File No. BPCT-210; Massachusetts Broadcasting Corporation, Boston, Massachusetts, Docket No. 8651, File No. BPCT-219; for construction permit for Boston, Massachusetts. United Detroit Theatres Corporation, Detroit, Michigan, Docket No. 7279, File No. BPCT-50; WJR, The Goodwill Station, Inc., Detroit, Michigan, Docket No. 8648, File No. BPCT-212; for construction permits for Detroit, Michigan. The Fort Industry Company, Detroit, Michigan, Docket No. 8554, File No. BMPCT-80; for modification of construction permit for Detroit, Michigan. Allen B. Dumont Laboratories, Inc., Cleveland, Ohio, Docket No. 7293, File No. BPCT-161, United Broadcasting Company, Cleveland, Ohio, Docket No. 8650, File No. BPCT-216; WGAR Broadcasting Company, Cleveland, Ohio, Docket No. 8649, File No. BPCT-214; for construction permits for Cleveland, Ohio. Allen B. Dumont Laboratories, Inc., Cincinnati, Ohio, Docket No. 8555, File No. BPCT-163; for construction permit for Cincinnati, Ohio. Interstate Circuit, Inc., Dallas, Texas, Docket No. 8556, File No. BPCT-94; for construction permit for Dallas, Texas.

The Commission having under consideration a petition filed December 16, 1947, by New England Theatres, Inc., Boston, Massachusetts, and United Detroit Theatres Corporation, Detroit, Michigan, requesting continuance to February 16, 1948, of the hearing now scheduled to begin on January 5, 1948, at Washington, D. C., on the above-entitled applications;

It is ordered, This 26th day of December 1947, be and it is hereby, granted in part, and that the said hearing on the above-entitled applications be, and it is hereby, continued to 10 a. m. Monday, March 1, 1948.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 48-180; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948; 8:46 a. m.]

[Docket Nos. 8145, 8146, 8585]

RADIO DINUBA Co. (KRDU) ET AL.

ORDER CONTINUING HEARING

In re applications of Egon A. Hofer, David L. Hofer and John M. Banks, a partnership d/b as Radio Dinuba Company (KRDU) Dinuba, California, Docket No. 8585, File No. BP-5691, R. K. Wittenberg and R. L. Stoddard, a partnership d/b as San Joaquin Broadcasters, Fresno, California, Docket No. 8145, File No. BP-5743; Edward W. McCleery and Frank C. McIntyre, a partnership d/b as Public Interest Broadcasters, Madera, California, Docket No. 8146, File No. BP-5785; for construction permits.

The Commission having under consideration a petition filed December 19, 1947, by Egon A. Hofer, David L. Hofer and

John M. Banks, a partnership d/b as Radio Dinuba Company (KRDU) Dinuba, California, requesting continuance to February 10, 1948, of the hearing on the above-entitled applications now scheduled to begin on January 12, 1948, at Madera, California;

It is ordered, This 26th day of December 1947, that the petition be, and it is hereby, granted; and that the said hearing on the above-entitled applications be, and it is hereby, continued to 10 a. m., Tuesday, February 10, 1948, at Madera, California.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 48-181; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948; 8:46 a. m.]

[Docket Nos. 8918, 8919]

WHP, INC., AND HAROLD O. BISHOP

ORDER CONTINUING HEARING

In re applications of WHP, Inc., Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, Docket No. 8618, File No. BPCT-192; Harold O. Bishop, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, Docket No. 8619, File No. BPCT-201, for construction permits.

Whereas, the above-entitled applications were, on November 13, 1947, designated for hearing in a consolidated proceeding at a time and place subsequently to be scheduled by the Commission;

It is ordered, This 23d day of December 1947, that the said hearing on the above-entitled applications be, and it is hereby, scheduled for 10 a. m., Thursday, March 18, 1948, at Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 48-182; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948; 8:46 a. m.]

[Docket Nos. 8634-8636]

NORTHERN VIRGINIA BROADCASTERS, INC.

ORDER CONTINUING HEARING

In re applications of Northern Virginia Broadcasters, Inc., Arlington, Virginia, Docket No. 8634, File No. BPH-1350; Montgomery FM Broadcasting Corporation, Alexandria, Virginia, Docket No. 8635, File No. BMPH-610; Potomac Broadcasting Corporation, Alexandria, Virginia, Docket No. 8636, File No. BMPH-781, for construction permits.

Whereas, The above-entitled applications were, on November 21, 1947, designated for hearing in a consolidated proceeding at a time and place subsequently to be scheduled by the Commission;

It is ordered, This 23d day of December 1947, that the said hearing on the above-entitled applications be, and it is hereby, scheduled for 10 a. m., Monday, April 5, 1948, at Washington, D. C.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 48-183; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948; 8:46 a. m.]

[Docket No. 8661, 8662]

NEW ENGLAND TELEVISION Co., INC., AND E. ANTHONY AND SONS, INC.

ORDER CONTINUING HEARING

In re applications of New England Television Company, Inc., Fall River, Massachusetts, Docket No. 8661, File No. BPCT-209; E. Anthony and Sons, Inc., New Bedford, Massachusetts, Docket No. 8662, File No. BPCT-217; for construction permits.

Whereas, The above-entitled applications were, on December 4, 1947, designated for hearing in a consolidated proceeding at a time and place subsequently to be scheduled by the Commission;

It is ordered, This 23d day of December 1947, that the said hearing on the above-entitled applications be, and it is hereby, scheduled for 10 a. m., Thursday, February 26, 1948, at Fall River, Massachusetts, and 10 a. m., Friday, February 27, 1948, at New Bedford, Massachusetts.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 48-184; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948; 8:47 a. m.]

[Docket Nos. 8668, 8669]

WHAS, INC., AND WAVE, INC.

ORDER CONTINUING HEARING

In re applications of WHAS, Inc. Louisville, Kentucky, Docket No. 8668, File No. BMPCT-123; WAVE, Inc. Louisville, Kentucky, Docket No. 8669, File No. BPCT-213; for construction permits.

Whereas, The above-entitled applications were, on December 4, 1947, designated for hearing in a consolidated proceeding at a time and place subsequently to be scheduled by the Commission;

It is ordered, This 23d day of December 1947, that the said hearing on the above-entitled applications be, and it is hereby, scheduled for 10 a. m., Friday, March 12, 1948, at Louisville, Kentucky.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 48-185; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948; 8:47 a. m.]

[Docket Nos. 8679, 8680]

LOUIS G. BALTIMORE AND WYOMING VALLEY BROADCASTING CO.

ORDER CONTINUING HEARING

In re applications of Louis G. Baltimore, Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania, Docket No. 8679, File No. BPCT-134; Wyoming Valley Broadcasting Company, Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania, Docket No. 8680, File No. BPCT-231; for construction permits.

Whereas, The above-entitled applications were, on December 4, 1947, designated for hearing in a consolidated proceeding at a time and place subsequently to be scheduled by the Commission;

It is ordered, This 23d day of December 1947, that the said hearing on the

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above-entitled applications be, and it is hereby, scheduled for 10 a. m., Tuesday, March 16, 1948, at Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 48-186; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948;
8:47 a. m.]

[Docket Nos. 7629, 8119, 8261]

LAKE SHORE BROADCASTING CO. ET AL.

ORDER CONTINUING HEARING

In re applications of Lake Shore Broadcasting Company, Evanston, Illinois, Docket No. 7629, File No. BP-4760; Lake States Broadcasting Company, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, Docket No. 8119, File No. BP-5359; Cornbelt Broadcasting Company (WHOW) Clinton, Illinois, Docket No. 8261, File No. BMP-2562; for construction permits.

Whereas, the above-entitled applications are scheduled to be heard at Washington, D. C., on January 21, 22 and 23, 1948; and

Whereas, on May 9, 1947, the Commission published a notice of proposed rule-making with respect to daytime skywave transmissions of standard broadcast stations (Docket No. 8333) and stated therein that it would defer action on all pending applications requesting daytime or limited time operation on United States I-A or I-B frequencies until a decision was announced in the said hearing (Mimeo No. 6630) and

Whereas, the above-entitled application of Lake Shore Broadcasting Company requests the use of 1520 kc, 5 kw, daytime, using directional antenna; and the above-entitled application of Lake States Broadcasting Company requests the use of 1520 kc, 5 kw, unlimited time, using directional antenna, and the above-entitled application of Cornbelt Broadcasting Company (WHOW) requests the use of 1520 kc, 1 kw night, 5 kw day, unlimited time, using directional antenna;

It is ordered, This 19th day of December 1947, on the Commission's own motion, that the said hearing on the above-entitled applications be, and it is hereby, continued to 10:00 a. m., Tuesday, March 23, 1948, at Washington, D. C.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 48-187; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948;
8:47 a. m.]

[Docket Nos. 8011, 8012, 8162, 8338, 8339,
8671, 8672]

AMERICAN BROADCASTING CO., INC. (KGO),
ET AL.

ORDER CONTINUING HEARING

In re applications of American Broadcasting Company, Inc. (KGO), San Francisco, California, Docket No. 8011, File No. BMP-2157; for modification of

construction permit. Denver Broadcasting Company, Denver, Colorado, Docket No. 8012, File No. BP-5141, for construction permit. General Electric Company (WGY) Schenectady, New York, Docket No. 8162, File No. BS-264; for modification of broadcast license. KCMO Broadcasting Company (KCMO) Kansas City, Missouri, Docket No. 8338, File No. BMP-2556; for modification of construction permit. A. Frank Katzentine (WKAT) Miami Beach, Florida, Docket No. 8339, File No. BP-5973; W. A. Smith, Plant City, Florida, Docket No. 8671, File No. BP-5647; Tampa Daily Times (WDAE), Tampa, Florida, Docket No. 8672, File No. BP-6266; for construction permits.

The Commission having under consideration a petition filed December 12, 1947, by American Broadcasting Company, Inc. (KGO) San Francisco, California, requesting an approximately 90-day continuance of the hearing now scheduled for January 5, 1948, at Washington, D. C.; in the proceeding on the above-entitled applications and matters;

It appearing, that the continuance requested will enable the petitioner to complete certain engineering studies which may reduce the extent of the engineering conflict between some of the above-entitled applications and may result in simplification of the issues designated for hearing;

It is ordered, This 19th day of December, 1947, that the petition be, and it is hereby, granted; and that the said hearing on the above-entitled applications be, and it is hereby, continued to 10:00 a. m., Monday, April 5, 1948, at Washington, D. C.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 48-188; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948;
8:47 a. m.]

[Docket No. 8027]

ROCK CREEK BROADCASTING CORP.

ORDER CONTINUING HEARING

In re application of Rock Creek Broadcasting Corporation, Washington, D. C., Docket No. 8027, File No. BP-5482; for construction permit.

Whereas, the above-entitled application is scheduled to be heard at Washington, D. C., on February 2, 1948; and

Whereas, on May 9, 1947, the Commission published a notice of proposed rule-making with respect to daytime skywave transmissions of standard broadcast stations (Docket No. 8333) and stated therein that it would defer action on all pending applications requesting daytime or limited time operation on United States I-A or I-B frequencies until a decision was announced in the said hearing (Mimeo No. 6630), and

Whereas, the above-entitled application requests the use of 840 kc, 10 kw, daytime only using directional antenna;

It is ordered, This 19th day of December 1947, on the Commission's own motion, that the said hearing on the above-entitled application be, and it is hereby,

continued to 10:00 a. m., Tuesday, March 30, 1948, at Washington, D. C.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 48-189; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948;
8:47 a. m.]

[Docket Nos. 8040, 8058]

TYTEX BROADCASTING CO. AND TYLER
BROADCASTING CO.

ORDER CONTINUING HEARING

In re applications of Tytex Broadcasting Company, Tyler, Texas, Docket No. 8040, File No. BP-5540; Tyler Broadcasting Company, Tyler, Texas, Docket No. 8058, File No. BP-5564; for construction permits.

Whereas, the above-entitled applications are scheduled to be heard in the field, on February 5, 1948; and

Whereas, on May 9, 1947, the Commission published a notice of proposed rule-making with respect to daytime skywave transmissions of standard broadcast stations (Docket No. 8333) and stated therein that it would defer action on all pending applications requesting daytime or limited time operation on United States I-A or I-B frequencies until a decision was announced in the said hearing (Mimeo No. 6630), and

Whereas, the above-entitled application of Tytex Broadcasting Company, Tyler, Texas, requests the use of 940 kc, 250 watts, daytime only, and the above-entitled application of Tyler Broadcasting Company, Tyler, Texas, requests the use of 940 kc, 250 watts, daytime only, and

Whereas, the public interest, convenience and necessity would be served by removing the said hearing to Washington, D. C.,

It is ordered, This 19th day of December 1947, on the Commission's own motion, that the said hearing on the above-entitled applications be, and it is hereby, continued to 10:00 a. m., Monday, March 29, 1948, at Washington, D. C.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 48-190; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948;
8:47 a. m.]

[Docket Nos. 8075, 8076]

BEAVER VALLEY RADIO, INC., AND WZHD,
INC.

ORDER CONTINUING HEARING

In re applications of Beaver Valley Radio, Inc., Beaver Falls, Pennsylvania, Docket No. 8075, File No. BP-5563; WZHD, Inc., Warren, Ohio, Docket No. 8076, File No. BP-5598; for construction permits.

Whereas, the above-entitled applications are scheduled to be heard at Washington, D. C., on February 3, 1948; and

Whereas, on May 9, 1947, the Commission published a notice of proposed rule-

making with respect to daytime sky-wave transmissions of standard broadcast stations (Docket No. 8333) and stated therein that it would defer action on all pending applications requesting daytime or limited time operation on United States I-A or I-B frequencies until a decision was announced in the said hearing (Mimeo No. 6630) and

Whereas, the above-entitled application of Beaver Valley Radio, Inc., requests the use of 830 kc, 250 watts, daytime only and the above-entitled application of WZHD, Inc., requests the use of 830 kc, 1 kw, daytime only

It is ordered, This 19th day of December 1947, on the Commission's own motion, that the said hearing on the above-entitled applications be, and it is hereby, continued to 10:00 a. m., Monday, March 29, 1948, at Washington, D. C.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 48-191; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948;
8:47 a. m.]

[Docket No. 8125]

KNOX BROADCASTING CO.

ORDER CONTINUING HEARING

In re application of Knox Broadcasting Company, Galesburg, Illinois, Docket No. 8125, File No. BP-5761; for construction permit.

Whereas, the above-entitled application is scheduled to be heard at Washington, D. C., on February 9, 1948; and

Whereas, on May 9, 1947, the Commission published a notice of proposed rule-making with respect to daytime skywave transmissions of standard broadcast stations (Docket No. 8333) and stated therein that it would defer action on all pending applications requesting daytime or limited time operation on United States I-A or I-B frequencies until a decision was announced in the said hearing (Mimeo No. 6630) and

Whereas, the above-entitled application requests the use of 1110 kc, 1 kw, daytime only

It is ordered, This 19th day of December, 1947, on the Commission's own motion, that the said hearing on the above-entitled application be, and it is hereby, continued to 10:00 a. m., Friday, April 16, 1948, at Washington, D. C.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 48-192; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948;
8:47 a. m.]

[Docket Nos. 8197, 8198, 8218, 8219]

RADIO BROADCASTING CORP. ET AL.

ORDER CONTINUING HEARING

In re applications of Radio Broadcasting Corporation, Peru, Illinois, Docket No. 8197, File No. BP-5747; McLean County Broadcasting Company, Bloomington, Illinois, Docket No. 8198, File No.

BP-5857; Northwestern Indiana Radio Company, Inc., Valparaiso, Indiana, Docket No. 8218, File No. BP-5574; Steel City Broadcasting Corporation, Gary, Indiana, Docket No. 8219, File No. BP-5888; for construction permits.

Whereas, the above-entitled applications are scheduled to be heard in the field on January 7, 8, 9 and 10, 1948; and

Whereas, on May 9, 1947, the Commission published a notice of proposed rule-making with respect to daytime sky-wave transmissions of standard broadcast stations (Docket No. 8333) and stated therein that it would defer action on all pending applications requesting daytime or limited time operation on United States I-A or I-B frequencies until a decision was announced in the said hearing (Mimeo No. 6630) and

Whereas, the above-entitled application of Radio Broadcasting Corporation requests the use of 1080 kc, 1 kw, daytime only and the above-entitled application of McLean County Broadcasting Company requests the use of 1080 kc, 250 watts, daytime only and the above-entitled application of Northwestern Indiana Radio Company, Inc. requests the use of 1080 kc, 250 watts, daytime only; and the above-entitled application of Steel City Broadcasting Corporation requests the use of 1080 kc, 1 kw, daytime only and

Whereas, the public interest, convenience and necessity would be served by removing the said hearing to Washington, D. C.,

It is ordered, This 19th day of December 1947, on the Commission's own motion, that the said hearing on the above-entitled applications be, and it is hereby, continued to 10 a. m., Monday, March 15, 1948, at Washington, D. C.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 48-193; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948;
8:48 a. m.]

[Docket No. 8232]

SUBURBAN BROADCASTING CORP. (WRUD)

ORDER CONTINUING HEARING

In re application of Suburban Broadcasting Corporation (WRUD) Upper Darby, Pennsylvania, Docket No. 8232, File No. BP-5134, for construction permit.

Whereas, the above-entitled application is scheduled to be heard at Washington, D. C., on January 30, 1948; and

Whereas, on May 9, 1947, the Commission published a notice of proposed rule-making with respect to daytime skywave transmissions of standard broadcast stations (Docket No. 8333) and stated therein that it would defer action on all pending applications requesting daytime or limited time operation on United States I-A or I-B frequencies until a decision was announced in the said hearing (Mimeo No. 6630) and

Whereas, the above-entitled application requests the use of 1170 kc, 1 kw, daytime only

It is ordered, This 19th day of December 1947, on the Commission's own mo-

tion, that the said hearing on the above-entitled application be, and it is hereby, continued to 10 a. m., Friday, March 26, 1948, at Washington, D. C.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 48-194; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948;
8:51 a. m.]

[Docket No. 8265]

HEIGHTS BROADCASTING CO.

ORDER CONTINUING HEARING

In re application of The Heights Broadcasting Company, Cleveland, Ohio, Docket No. 8266, File No. BP-5412; for construction permit.

Whereas, the above-entitled application is scheduled to be heard at Washington, D. C., on February 2, 1948; and

Whereas, on May 9, 1947, the Commission published a notice of proposed rule-making with respect to daytime skywave transmission at standard broadcast stations (Docket No. 8333) and stated therein that it would defer action on all pending applications requesting daytime or limited time operation on United States I-A or I-B frequencies until a decision was announced in the said hearing (Mimeo No. 6630) and

Whereas, the above-entitled application requests the use of 710 kc, 250 watts, daytime only

It is ordered, This 19th day of December 1947, on the Commission's own motion, that the said hearing on the above-entitled application be, and it is hereby, continued to 10 a. m., Friday, April 2, 1948, at Washington, D. C.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 48-195; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948;
8:51 a. m.]

[Docket Nos. 8272, 8311]

CHICAGO FEDERATION OF LABOR (WCFL) AND CAPITAL BROADCASTING CO.

ORDER CONTINUING HEARING

In re application of Chicago Federation of Labor (WCFL) Chicago, Illinois, Docket No. 8272, File No. BMP-2486; Capital Broadcasting Company, Lincoln, Nebraska, Docket No. 8311, File No. BP-5495; for construction permits.

Whereas, the above-entitled applications are scheduled to be heard at Washington, D. C., on February 5, 1948; and

Whereas, on May 9, 1947, the Commission published a notice of proposed rule-making with respect to daytime skywave transmissions of Standard Broadcast stations (Docket No. 8333) and stated therein that it would defer action on all pending applications requesting daytime or limited time operation on United States I-A or I-B frequencies until a decision was announced in the said hearing (Mimeo No. 6630) and

Whereas, the above-entitled application of Chicago Federation of Labor

(WCFL), Chicago, Illinois, requests the use of 1000 kc, 50 kw, unlimited time; and the above-entitled application of Capital Broadcasting Company, Lincoln, Nebraska, requests the use of 1000 kc, 10 kw, daytime only.

It is ordered, This 19th day of December 1947, on the Commission's own motion, that the said hearing on the above-entitled applications be, and it is hereby, continued to 10 a. m., Monday, April 5, 1948, at Washington, D. C.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 48-196; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948;
8:51 a. m.]

[Docket No. 8517]

SUPREME BROADCASTING SYSTEM, INC.
(WJMR)

ORDER CONTINUING HEARING

In re application of Supreme Broadcasting System, Inc. (WJMR) New Orleans, Louisiana, Docket No. 8517; File No. BML-1260; for modification of license.

The Commission having under consideration a petition filed December 11, 1947, by Supreme Broadcasting System, Inc. (WJMR) New Orleans, Louisiana, requesting an approximately 60-day continuance of the hearing on its above-entitled application for modification of license, now scheduled for December 22, 1947 at Washington, D. C.,

It is ordered, This 19th day of December 1947, that the petition be, and it is hereby, granted; and that the said hearing on the above-entitled application be, and it is hereby, continued to 10 a. m., Tuesday, February 24, 1948, at Washington, D. C.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 48-197; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948;
8:51 a. m.]

CERTAIN MAIN RADIOTELEGRAPH TRANSMITTERS INSTALLED ON VESSELS

DECEMBER 26, 1947.

Attention is invited to the fact that certain types of main radiotelegraph transmitters which have been approved by the Commission as being capable of meeting the requirements of § 8.143 of the Commission's rules will no longer be accepted as meeting the requirements for a main radiotelegraph transmitter on ships subject to Title III, Part II of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, after January 1, 1948. For information, § 8.143 of the Commission's rules is quoted in part below:

(a) A main electron-tube transmitter which was in existence prior to February 1, 1938, will be considered as capable of meeting the relevant requirements of sections 354 (e) and (d) of the Communications Act until not later than January 1, 1948, if it is demonstrated to the satisfaction of the Commission

that the transmitter involved or a transmitter of the same identical type is capable of meeting the specific requirements of paragraphs (b), (c), (d) and (e) of this section.

In accordance with the foregoing provisions, it will be necessary after January 1, 1948, that all main transmitters on ships subject to Title III, Part II of the Communications Act, comply with the more stringent requirements of § 8.142 of the Commission's rules. Although most ships are now equipped with radiotelegraph transmitters complying with § 8.142 of the rules, an examination of the Commission's license records discloses that some vessels are equipped with main radiotelegraph transmitters capable of complying only with § 8.143 of the rules. In those cases, it will be necessary that the old main transmitter be replaced or suitably modified or an additional transmitter be installed not later than January 1, 1948, for the purpose of complying with § 8.142 of the rules.

Following is a list of types of transmitters which are capable of complying with § 8.143 of the rules, but which apparently are not capable of complying with § 8.142 of the rules, and which will not normally be accepted as the required main radiotelegraph transmitter after January 1, 1948:

Manufacturer	Type No.
Federal Telegraph Co.	120-M.
Radiomarine Corp. of America.	ET-3627-S-AS, BS.
Radiomarine Corp. of America.	ET-3628.
Radiomarine Corp. of America.	ET-3629.
Radiomarine Corp. of America.	ET-3630.
Radiomarine Corp. of America.	B-1-C.
Federal Telegraph Co.	104-M.
Federal Telegraph Co.	147-A and M.

Adopted: December 23, 1947.

By direction of the Commission.

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 48-198; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948;
8:51 a. m.]

FEDERAL POWER COMMISSION

[Docket Nos. G-115, G-399-G-401]

EAST OHIO GAS CO. ET AL.

NOTICE OF ORDER MODIFYING ORDERS OF JUNE 25, 1946 AND NOVEMBER 7, 1947, AND DENYING APPLICATIONS OF EAST OHIO GAS COMPANY FOR REHEARING AND STAY AND OF INTERVENORS FOR REHEARING

DECEMBER 31, 1947.

In the matters of The East Ohio Gas Company, Docket No. G-115; City of Euclid, Complainant, v. The East Ohio Gas Company, Defendant, Docket No. G-399; City of Cleveland, Complainant, v. The East Ohio Gas Company, Defendant, Docket No. G-400; City of Lakewood, Complainant v. The East Ohio Gas Company, Defendant, Docket No. G-401.

Notice is hereby given that, on December 30, 1947, the Federal Power Commission issued its order entered December 30, 1947, modifying orders of June 25, 1946 and November 7, 1947, and denying

applications of The East Ohio Gas Company for rehearing and stay and of intervenors for rehearing in the above-designated matters.

[SEAL]

LEON M. FUQUAY,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 48-149; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948;
8:47 a. m.]

[Docket No. G-980]

MOUNTAIN FUEL SUPPLY CO.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

DECEMBER 31, 1947.

Notice is hereby given that on December 8, 1947, Mountain Fuel Supply Company (Applicant) a Utah corporation with its principal place of business at Salt Lake City, Utah, filed an application for a certificate of public convenience and necessity pursuant to section 7 of the Natural Gas Act, as amended, authorizing the construction and operation of certain natural gas facilities subject to the jurisdiction of the Commission described as consisting of (1) Two, 300-hp gas engine driven gas compressors with necessary accessories, (2) Two, 60-kw gas engine driven electric generating units with necessary accessories, (3) Additional camp facilities.

Applicant states the proposed facilities will be located in the South Baxter field in Sweetwater County, Wyoming, and will receive suction gas supply from wells in that field. The gas will be discharged into Applicant's 16-inch main transmission line. The initial maximum capacity of the proposed facilities will be 10,000 Mcf daily.

Applicant further states total recoverable gas reserves available to it as of December 31, 1946 were estimated to be 294,587,000 Mcf, 31,500,000 Mcf of which will be drawn from the Frontier reserve through the proposed compressor plant facilities.

Applicant recites that the estimated total over-all capital cost of the proposed facilities is \$217,000, and will be financed from available cash funds of the Company.

Any interested State commission is requested to notify the Federal Power Commission whether the application should be considered under the cooperative provisions of Rule 37 of the Commission's rules of practice and procedure (18 CFR 1.37) and, if so, to advise the Federal Power Commission as to the nature of its interest in the matter and whether it desires a conference, the creation of a board, or a joint or concurrent hearing, together with reasons for such request.

The application of Mountain Fuel Supply Company is on file with the Commission and is open to public inspection. Any person desiring to be heard or to make any protest with reference to the application shall file with the Federal Power Commission, Washington 25, D. C., not later than 15 days from the date of publication of this notice in the FEDERAL REGISTER, a petition to intervene or protest. Such petition or protest shall conform to the requirements of Rule 8 or 10, whichever is applicable, of the rules of

practice and procedure (as amended on June 16, 1947) (18 CFR 1.8 or 1.10)

[SEAL] LEON M. FUQUAY,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 48-151; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948;
8:47 a. m.]

[Docket No. ID-1090]

JAMES M. CROCKETT

NOTICE OF AUTHORIZATION PURSUANT TO SECTION 305 (b) OF FEDERAL POWER ACT

DECEMBER 31, 1947.

Notice is hereby given that, on December 30, 1947, the Federal Power Commission issued its order entered December 30, 1947, authorizing James M. Crockett to hold the position of director of the following companies: Eastern Shore Public Service Company of Virginia and The Eastern Shore Public Service Company of Maryland.

[SEAL] LEON M. FUQUAY,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 48-150; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948;
8:47 a. m.]

[Project No. 618]

ALABAMA POWER Co. (JORDAN DAM)

NOTICE OF ORDER MODIFYING ORDER OF OCTOBER 7, 1941, AS AMENDED BY ORDER OF JANUARY 16, 1942, DETERMINING ACTUAL LEGITIMATE ORIGINAL COST AND PRESCRIBING ACCOUNTING THEREFOR

DECEMBER 31, 1947.

Notice is hereby given that, on December 31, 1947, the Federal Power Commission issued its order entered December 30, 1947, modifying order of October 7, 1941, as amended by order of January 16, 1942, determining actual legitimate original cost and prescribing accounting therefor in the above-designated matter.

[SEAL] LEON M. FUQUAY,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 48-148; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948;
8:47 a. m.]

[Project No. 1881]

PENNSYLVANIA WATER & POWER Co.

NOTICE OF ORDER GRANTING PETITION TO REVISE ORDER AUTHORIZING ISSUANCE OF LICENSE (MAJOR) AND DISMISSING AMENDATORY PETITION

DECEMBER 31, 1947.

Notice is hereby given that, on December 31, 1947, the Federal Power Commission issued its order entered December 30, 1947, granting petition to revise order authorizing issuance of license and dismissing amendatory petition in the above-designated matter.

[SEAL] LEON M. FUQUAY,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 48-147; Filed, Jan. 6, 1948;
8:47 a. m.]

INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION

[No. 29894]

INCREASED COACH FARES; SOUTHERN RAILROADS (II)

JANUARY 2, 1948.

By petition dated December 29, 1947, the common carriers by railroad, listed in the appendix hereto (including the lines of the Illinois Central Railroad Company south of the Ohio River and east of the Mississippi River and the lines of the Gulf, Mobile and Ohio Railroad Company south of and including St. Louis, Mo.) request this Commission to authorize petitioners to increase between stations on their lines their interstate basic one-way passenger fares in coaches by 13.63 percent or to approximately 2.5 cents per mile, fractions of less than 0.5 cent to be dropped and fractions of 0.5 cent or greater to be increased to the next whole cent, with a minimum one-way fare of 15 cents, and to increase such fares between stations on their lines and stations on connecting lines sufficiently to reflect the proposed increases on their lines.

Petitioners state that if authority is granted to increase the basic one-way fares as sought in the petition, it is the intention of petitioners to increase their round-trip fares in coaches to the following basis: 180 percent of the one-way fares (approximately 2.25 cents per mile in each direction) adding when necessary to make the resulting fare end in "0" or "5".

The Commission is further asked to modify its order of February 28, 1936, in No. 26550, *Passenger fares and surcharges*, 214 I. C. C. 174, as subsequently modified, sufficiently to permit the establishment and maintenance of the proposed increased fares on interstate traffic. Petitioners Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company and Gulf, Mobile and Ohio Railroad Company further ask this Commission to modify its order of November 13, 1920, in No. 11703, *Intrastate rates within Illinois*, 59 I. C. C. 350, as subsequently modified, sufficiently to permit the establishment and maintenance of like increased intrastate fares within Illinois on the lines of the former petitioner and the lines of the latter petitioner above referred to.

The Commission is further asked to grant such fourth-section relief as may be necessary to permit the establishment and maintenance of such increased fares, and to permit such establishment on five days' notice, without suspension, by simple forms of tariff publication.

The petition above described is identical in all respects with that filed by other rail carriers operating in the South under Docket No. 29796, *Increased coach fares*; Southern Railroads, decided October 6, 1947, and has been docketed as No. 29894, *Increased Coach Fares*; Southern Railroads (II), and is assigned for public hearing before Commissioner John L. Rogers and Examiner Burton Fuller on January 15, 1948, 9:30 o'clock a. m., United States Standard Time at the United States Court Rooms, Knoxville, Tenn.

A copy of this notice has, on the date hereof, been sent by regular mail to the said petitioners, the Governors and the rate regulatory bodies of the States traversed by petitioners and at the same time copies have also been deposited in the office of the Secretary of the Commission at Washington, D. C., and filed with the Director, Division of Federal Register, Washington, D. C.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] W. P. BARTEL,
Secretary.

APPENDIX—LIST OF PETITIONERS

Albany and Northern Railway Company
Central of Georgia Railway Company (M. P. Callaway, Trustee)
Florida East Coast Railway Company (Scott M. Loftin and John W. Martin, Trustees)
Gulf, Mobile and Ohio Railroad Company (St. Louis, Mo., and south thereof)
Illinois Central Railroad Company (south of Ohio and east of Mississippi Rivers)
Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company
Macon, Dublin and Savannah Railroad Company
Mississippi Central Railroad Company
The Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis Railway
Seaboard Air Line Railroad Company
Tennessee Central Railway Company.

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[S. O. 790, Special Directive 32]

BALTIMORE AND OHIO RAILROAD Co. TO FURNISH CARS FOR RAILROAD COAL SUPPLY

On December 29, 1947, the Terminal Railroad Association of St. Louis certified that it had on that date in storage and in cars a total supply of 4 days of fuel coal, and that it is immediately essential that this company increase its coal supply from certain enumerated mines.

The certified statements have been verified and found to be correct.

Therefore, pursuant to the authority vested in me by paragraph (b) of Service Order No. 790, The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company is directed:

(1) To furnish weekly to the Cranblett No. 1 mine at Meyersdale, Penna., 10 cars for the loading of the Terminal Railroad Association of St. Louis fuel coal from its total available supply of cars suitable for the transportation of coal.

(2) That such cars furnished in excess of the mine's distributive share for the week will not be counted against said mine.

(3) That it shall not accept billing of cars furnished for loading under the provisions of this directive unless billed for the Terminal Railroad Association of St. Louis fuel coal supply.

(4) To furnish this Bureau, as soon as may be practicable after the end of each week, information showing the total number of cars furnished to said mine for the preceding week under the authority of this directive and to indicate how many such cars were in excess of the weekly distributive share of car supply of such mine.

A copy of this special directive shall be served upon The Baltimore and Ohio

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Railroad Company and notice of this directive shall be given the public by depositing a copy in the office of the Secretary of the Commission, Washington, D. C., and by filing it with the Director of the Division of the Federal Register.

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Issued at Washington, D. C., this 30th day of December, A. D. 1947.

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INTERSTATE COMMERCE
COMMISSION,
HOMER C. KING,
Director,
Bureau of Service.

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APPENDIX A

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[S. O. 790, Amdt. 1 to Special Directive 29]

WESTERN MARYLAND RAILWAY CO. TO FURNISH CARS FOR RAILROAD COAL SUPPLY

Upon further consideration of the provisions of Special Directive No. 29 (12 F. R. 8389) under Service Order No. 790 (12 F. R. 7791) and good cause appearing therefor:

It is ordered, That Special Directive No. 29, be, and it is hereby amended by substituting paragraph (1) hereof for paragraph (1) thereof.

(1) To furnish daily to the Swamp Run mine two cars for the loading of Central Railroad Company of New Jersey fuel coal from its total available supply of cars suitable for the transportation of coal.

A copy of this amendment shall be served upon the Western Maryland Railway Company and notice of this amendment shall be given the public by depositing a copy in the office of the Secretary of the Commission, Washington, D. C., and by filing it with the Director of the Division of the Federal Register.

Issued at Washington, D. C., this 30th day of December, A. D. 1947.

INTERSTATE COMMERCE
COMMISSION,
HOMER C. KING,
Director,
Bureau of Service.

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[S. O. 790, Amdt. 1 to Special Directive 30]

BALTIMORE AND OHIO RAILROAD CO. TO FURNISH CARS FOR RAILROAD COAL SUPPLY

Upon further consideration of the provisions of Special Directive No. 30 (12 F. R. 8782) under Service Order No. 790 (12 F. R. 7791), and good cause appearing therefor:

It is ordered, That Special Directive No. 30, be, and it is hereby amended by substituting Appendix A hereof for Appendix A thereof.

A copy of this amendment shall be served upon The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company and notice of this amendment shall be given the public by depositing a copy in the office of the Secretary of the Commission, Washington, D. C., and by filing it with the Di-

Mino	Weekly number of cars
Century	30
Lawbar No. 1	12
Gum Mountain (Lawbar)	12
Roberta No. 2	12
Tuckahoe	25
Rex	4
Volga	12
Lona No. 1	23
Shamrock	8
Kano	14
Berryburg No. 1	6
Woodford No. 1	41
Woodford No. 2	41
Wbodyard	12
Crystal Ice Tipple	12
Webster No. 1	12
Polino (Mt. Cain Co)	12
Wendel No. 2	22
Wendel No. 4	14
Hebb	19
Glen Cambria	12
Hartley No. 1 (Pepper)	12
Johnson No. 5	12
Columbia	111
Clare	111
Daft	111
Bailey No. 3	111
Halfway	111
Reawick	111
Eagle No. 1	111
Eagle No. 2	111
Vincent No. 4	111
Oral Lake	14
Faris	85
Bridgeport	4
Elk Hill	4
Willard No. 1	23
Farmore	12
Cheftan	6
Carol No. 2	14
Lewis	14
Hilltop No. 1	30
Hilltop No. 2	30
Sandor	8
Ridge Nos. 1 and 2	8
Jenkins	17
Kingmont Jr.	5
Colfax	23
Jamson No. 9	23
Consol	402
No. 25	402
No. 32	402
No. 38	402
No. 63	402
No. 50A	402
Blaine	23
Seaboard	6
Meadowbrook Nos. 1 and 2	6
Ehlen No. 2	12
Scott No. 2	23
Riley	6
Robert	17
Haywood	6
Gypsy	12
Lambert Run	4
Cliff	7
McCandlish	23
Byron	23
Katherine	23
Pepper	23
Gregory No. 3	23
Penn No. 1	248
Penn No. 2	248
Piggott	248
Michael No. 1	248
Linda No. 1	248
Millford No. 1	248
Quinn	248
Dawson	58
Corona	23
Keeley No. 1	140
Keeley No. 2	140
Tasa No. 7	76
Tasa No. 9	76
Goff	12
McWhorter	12
Ralph	12
Norton	31
Silvester	9
Williams	6
Jon Tee	6

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Mino	Weekly number of cars
Bower	23
Martha	4
Orchard (Henry)	6
Bradley	9
Willow Grove No. 10	49
Hitchman	17
Alexander	170
Valley Camp:	170
No. 1	170
No. 3	170
No. 5	170
Blaine No. 3	82
Stanley No. 4	47
Barton	18
Roberts (Godway)	18
Norton No. 2	53
Camel Run	23
Virginia Hill	23
Junior	22
Liberty	45
Rice Bros. No. 1	18
June No. 1	18
Latrobe	0
Iles	0
Orall	11
Minder	11
McFarlin	4
Duch Bros.	9
Belga	9
Bruns	7
Morgan	0
Thorn Hill	7
Giblaw	8
Cenci	8
Sidwell	73
Barnes Bros.—Bristol	73
Tracy-Walton	41
Pike	23
Giblaw	2
Eagle (Pa.)	23
Canyon	23
Gilmore	10
Tunnel	6
Little Run, 2	12
Cornish	14
Lockview	1
Smith No. 4	5
Arnold No. 100	3
Carter	7
White Bridge No. 1	12
Shaw Big Vein	4
Fuel No. 3	1
Keystone No. 3	5
Ponfelgh No. 6	3
Ponfelgh-Pine Hill	7
Kimberly	12
Scurfield	4
Consol 119	16
Consol 120	4
Jerome Nos. 1, 2, and 3	8
Wildwood	8
Tasa No. 8	7
James Bros.	12
Shillinger	6
Rossiter	1
Yatesboro No. 5	23
Helvetia	23
Ernest	23
Lucerne	23
Kent Nos. 1 and 2	23
Kent Nos. 3 and 4	23
Sagamore	23
Mesgrove	23
Lumsted	23
McWilliams	23
Summitt No. 5	233
Reeseaman	6
Good	6
Frances	6
Klingensmith	10
Park	240
Garzonis	12
Two Lick	12
Neal	14
Stratiff No. 8	14
Black Diamond	14
Bechtree	14
Black Fork	14
Julian	14
North Breese	14
Waterloo	14
Power	14
Todd	14
Kinnison	14
Kriebel	14
Irish Rldgo	14
Reed	14
W. & H	14
Jisco	14
Collins & Walton	14
Souders & Ramsey	14
Walton	14
Murdock	14

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

[File No. 7-1036]

ST. LAWRENCE CORP., LTD.

ORDER DETERMINING SHARES TO BE EQUIVALENT

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission, held at its office in the city of Philadelphia, Pa., on the 31st day of December A. D. 1947.

The New York Curb Exchange has made application under Rule X-12F-2 (b) for a determination that the First Cumulative Convertible Redeemable Preferred Shares, Par Value \$49.00, of St. Lawrence Corporation Limited are substantially equivalent to the Class A 4% Cumulative Convertible Preferred Shares, Par Value \$50.00, of that company, which have heretofore been admitted to unlisted trading privileges on the applicant exchange.

The Commission having duly considered the matter, and having due regard for the public interest and the protection of investors;

It is ordered, Pursuant to sections 12 (f) and 23 (a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and Rule X-12F-2 (b) thereunder, that the First Cumulative Convertible Redeemable Preferred Shares, Par Value \$49.00, of St. Lawrence Corporation Limited are hereby determined to be substantially equivalent to the Class A 4% Cumulative Convertible Preferred Shares, Par Value \$50.00, of that company heretofore admitted to unlisted trading privileges on the applicant exchange.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] ORVAL L. DUBOIS,
Secretary.

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[File Nos. 54-142, 59-84]

AMERICAN WATER WORKS AND ELECTRIC CO., INC., ET AL.

NOTICE OF FILING OF AMENDMENT EMBODYING TERMS OF CERTAIN SUPPLEMENTAL TRANSACTIONS TO BE UNDERTAKEN IN EFFECTUATING PLANS HERETOFORE APPROVED

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission, held at its office in the City of Philadelphia, Pa., on the 30th day of December A. D. 1947.

In the matter of American Water Works and Electric Company, Inc., American Water Works Company, Inc., Community Water Service Company, Ohio Cities Water Corporation, West Penn Railways Company, The West Penn Electric Company, File No. 54-142; American Water Works and Electric Company, Inc. and Subsidiary Companies, File No. 59-84.

On February 17, 1947 this Commission by order approved certain plans (styled Plan I and Plan II) filed pursuant to section 11 (e) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 by American Water Works and Electric Company, Inc. ("American") a registered holding company, and certain of its subsidiaries, in-

cluding The West Penn Electric Company ("West Penn Electric"), a registered holding company and direct subsidiary of American, and American Water Works Company, Inc. ("Water Works"), a company reorganized in connection with Plan I and no longer a subsidiary of American. That order, among other things, reserved jurisdiction with respect to the terms and provisions of any distribution to the common stockholders of American of the common stock of West Penn Electric in connection with the liquidation of American; the sale by American of 6,000 shares of common stock of Water Works (acquired by American in connection with the consummation of Plan I) and the reasonableness and proper allocation of all fees and expenses and other remunerations incurred in connection with the consummation of these plans.

Notice is hereby given that an amendment has been filed in this proceeding by American, West Penn Electric, and Water Works designating sections 6, 7, 9, 10, 11, and 12 of the act as being applicable thereto, and stating that the filing is made pursuant to the above-described provisions of the order of this Commission dated February 17, 1947.

Notice is further given that any interested person may not later than January 8, 1948 at 5:30 p. m., e. s. t., request the Commission in writing that a hearing be held on such matter, stating the reasons for such request, the nature of his interest, and the issues of fact or law raised by said filing which he desires to controvert or request that he be notified if the Commission should order a hearing thereon. Any such request should be addressed: Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, 18th and Locust Streets, Philadelphia 3, Pennsylvania. At any time after January 8, 1948, in the event no hearing is held with respect to this amendment, the Commission may issue an approving order with respect thereto.

All interested persons are referred to said amendment which is on file in the offices of this Commission for a statement of the transactions therein proposed which are summarized below:

Acting pursuant to the provisions of Plan II, as approved by the Commission, American has taken the necessary legal steps to effect its dissolution under the laws of the State of Delaware, and is now in the process of liquidation. The transactions to be undertaken pursuant to the instant amendment are in furtherance of such liquidation. In connection with this liquidation, American proposes to distribute the common stock of West Penn Electric to the holders of American's common stock. At the present time the total outstanding shares of common stock of American aggregate 2,343,105 shares without par value and the total outstanding shares of common stock of West Penn Electric aggregate 1,312,602 shares without par value.

West Penn Electric proposes to amend its charter to provide, inter alia: (1) An increase in the authorized number of shares of common stock of West Penn Electric to 5,000,000 shares; (2) cumulative voting rights for the common stock in the election of directors; (3) preemp-

tive rights to holders of common stock to purchase, at the time of issuance, any new or additional shares of common stock, in the event, and only in the event, that the company proposes to sell such stock, for money, other than by a public offering of all of such shares or an offering of all of such shares to or through underwriters for public sale; and (4) that a quorum for transacting business is to consist of a majority of voting shares.

West Penn Electric proposes to change its 1,312,602 outstanding shares of common stock into 2,343,105 shares without par value, this latter number being equal to the number of outstanding shares of common stock of American. American will thereupon distribute to its stockholders said 2,343,105 shares of common stock of West Penn Electric on the basis of one share of common stock of West Penn Electric for each share of common stock of American now held, against the surrender in exchange to American by its common stockholders of the shares of American's common stock owned by them. American proposes to appoint City Bank Farmers Trust Company as agent to effect this distribution. American further proposes to make a capital contribution to West Penn Electric of all of its remaining assets, other than common stock of West Penn Electric, and West Penn Electric is to assume all of the liabilities of American, not theretofore paid or otherwise provided for, but only to the extent of contributions received by West Penn Electric from American.

American also proposes to sell the 6,000 shares of common stock of Water Works Company now owned by American at such time or times as shall be determined by the officers of American pursuant to authorizations of its Board of Directors. In the event it does not appear to these officers desirable to effect all such sales prior to the distribution of the common stock of West Penn Electric any shares then unsold will be transferred to West Penn Electric and will be subsequently sold by West Penn Electric. All sales will be made on the New York Stock Exchange at prices then current.

The filing also contains a request of applicants-declarants that the payment of certain fees and expenses be released from the jurisdiction heretofore reserved by the Commission. These fees are concerned primarily with expenses in connection with printing, accounting, and banking operations entailed in the preparation and consummation of Plans I and II. In the aggregate these fees and expenses total \$201,339.15, of which \$137,392.95 has been allocated to Water Works and \$63,946.20 has been allocated to American.

The applicants-declarants have requested that the Commission enter its supplemental order authorizing and approving the transactions hereinabove outlined, releasing any jurisdiction reserved by it with respect thereto in said earlier order, and extending, to the extent necessary, the period within which certain such transactions may be effected. Applicants-declarants further request that the supplemental order to issue herein conform to the requirements

of and contain the recitals, and specifications, and itemization required by Supplement R and section 1808 (f) of the Federal Internal Revenue Code, as amended, and section 270-c (10) of the State Laws of the State of New York. It is further requested that this supplemental order be issued as promptly as possible and become effective on the date of issuance.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

ORVAL L. DuBOIS,
Secretary.

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[File Nos. 54-26, 59-11, 59-17]

UNITED LIGHT AND RAILWAYS CO. ET AL.

ORDER APPROVING AMENDED PLAN

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission, held at its office in the City of Philadelphia, Pa., on the 30th day of December A. D. 1947.

In the matter of the United Light and Railways Company, American Light & Traction Company, et al., File Nos. 59-11, 59-17, and 54-26.

The United Light and Railways Company ("Railways") and its subsidiary, American Light & Traction Company ("American") both registered holding companies, having filed on June 26, 1947, an application designated as Application No. 31 pursuant to the provisions of section 11 (e) and other applicable sections of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 and the rules and regulations of the Commission promulgated thereunder, for the approval of a plan of reorganization for the purpose of complying with the provisions of section 11 (b) of the act and with an order of this Commission dated August 5, 1941, and said application having been amended on September 18, 1947, and October 28, 1947;

Public hearings having been held on such plan of reorganization as amended after appropriate notice in which all interested persons were given opportunity to be heard, briefs having been filed and oral argument having been heard;

The applicants having requested that the Commission enter an order finding the proposed transactions to be necessary to effectuate the provisions of section 11 (b) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 and fair and equitable to the persons affected thereby, and that such order contain recitals in accordance with the requirements of section 1808 (f) and Supplement R of the Internal Revenue Code, as amended; and having further requested the Commission to enter an order permitting the transactions proposed in the plan to become effective forthwith;

The Commission having considered the entire record herein and having this date issued its findings and opinion finding the amended plan to be necessary to effectuate the provisions of section 11 (b) and fair and equitable to the persons affected thereby, and the Commission having further found that the transactions proposed should be permitted to the extent indicated in said findings and opinion;

It is ordered, Pursuant to the applicable provisions of the act that the amended plan of reorganization be, and hereby is, approved, subject, however, to the conditions specified in Rule U-24 and subject to the following terms and conditions;

1. That jurisdiction be and it hereby is reserved to the Commission to approve, disapprove, modify, allocate or award from the assets of applicants by further order or orders, all fees or other compensation and all remuneration or expenses claimed or hereafter claimed by any persons in connection with the amended plan, transactions incident thereto, and the consummation thereof;

2. That jurisdiction be and it hereby is reserved to the Commission to take such further action as the Commission may deem necessary or appropriate to effectuate the requirements of section 11 (b) of the act, including, but not limited to, the retainability in the American system of Milwaukee Solvay Coke Company and the ordering of such steps as may be necessary to bring about compliance by American, Railways, and Continental Gas & Electric Corporation with the provisions of section 11 (b)

3. That jurisdiction be and it hereby is reserved to the Commission to entertain such further proceedings, to make such supplemental findings and to take such further action as the Commission may deem appropriate in connection with the amended plan, the transactions incident thereto and the consummation thereof and the accounting entries in connection therewith, and to enter such further orders as may be necessary to secure full compliance with the act;

4. That jurisdiction be and it hereby is reserved to the Commission over the further financing of Michigan-Wisconsin Pipe Line Company ("Michigan-Wisconsin") and to enter such further orders as may be necessary under the act in connection with such financing; and

5. That jurisdiction be and it hereby is reserved to the Commission to pass upon such transactions as are reserved for later action in accordance with the provisions of said amended plan.

It is further ordered, That the restriction on common dividend payments by Railways imposed by our order of November 28, 1945 be and hereby is removed;

It is further ordered and recited, That the steps and transactions itemized below involved in the consummation of the plan as amended are necessary or appropriate to the integration or simplification of the holding company systems of which American and Railways are members and are necessary or appropriate to effectuate the provisions of section 11 (b) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935:

(1) The distribution and transfer by American to its common stockholders, as dividends in kind, of shares of common stock of Detroit Edison Company ("Detroit Edison") of the par value of \$20 per share, such dividends to be paid quarterly at the rate of one share of Detroit Edison common stock for each 75 shares of common stock of American (together with cash in lieu of fractional shares),

(2) The purchase by American of up to 250,000 shares of the common stock of Michigan-Wisconsin at the par value thereof of \$10 per share and of not in excess of 285,714 shares of common stock of Michigan Consolidated Gas Company ("Michigan Consolidated") at the par value thereof of \$14 per share, to the extent that American in consummating purchases of either or both such common stocks, shall expend proceeds derived from sales of common stock of Detroit Edison or other funds not in excess of such proceeds;

(3) The sale and transfer by American from time to time of such number of shares of common stock of Detroit Edison as shall be necessary to enable American to complete its investment in common stocks of Michigan-Wisconsin and Michigan Consolidated as set forth in (2) above and to meet the reasonably foreseeable needs of American and its subsidiaries;

(4) The expenditure by American of the proceeds of sales of common stock of Detroit Edison, or of other funds not in excess of such proceeds, in the purchase of common stocks of Michigan-Wisconsin and Michigan Consolidated, as set forth in (2) above;

(5) The distribution and transfer by American to its common stockholders, as a dividend in kind, of all remaining shares of common stock of Detroit Edison not distributed or reserved for distribution as set forth in (1) above or sold as set forth in (3) above;

(6) The issuance by American of its ten-year serial notes in an aggregate principal amount not in excess of \$15,000,000 in connection with the borrowing of funds to be used in purchasing its outstanding 6% preferred stock of the par value of \$25 per share;

(7) The distribution and transfer by American to its common stockholders, as a dividend in kind, of the 276,805 shares of common stock of the par value of \$16 per share of Madison Gas and Electric Company now owned by it (out of certificate Nos. TU1 and TU2),

(8) The distribution and transfer by Railways to its common stockholders, as dividends in kind, of shares of common stock of American of the par value of \$25 per share, such dividends to be paid quarterly at the rate of one share of common stock of American for each 50 shares of common stock of Railways (together with cash in lieu of fractional shares),

(9) The sale and transfer by Railways to American of the 202,528 shares of 6% preferred stock of the par value of \$25 per share of American now owned by Railways (evidenced by certificate Nos. NPS 330 and NPX 1482) at a price of \$33 per share (plus an amount equal to the unpaid accrued dividends on such shares) pursuant to the offer to purchase such shares at such price to be made by American;

(10) The sale and transfer by Railways to its common stockholders of common stock of American, pursuant to offerings to be made to such stockholders on the basis of one share of such common stock of American Light for each five shares of common stock of Railways;

(11) The sale and transfer by Railways of all shares of the common stocks of Detroit Edison and Madison Gas and Electric Company to be received by it as dividends in kind or distributions on its common stock in American;

(12) The expenditure by Railways of the proceeds of the sale of 6% preferred stock of American and of common stocks of American, Detroit Edison and Madison Gas and Electric Company referred to in (9) (10) and (11) above, or of other funds not in excess of such proceeds, to pay, retire and cancel its outstanding notes, maturing December 31, 1948, issued under its loan agreement dated November 24, 1945 as amended, and to pay, in part, the final maturity of the notes (or other obligations) referred to in (13) below and

(13) The issuance by Railways of its 15 year serial notes (or other obligations) in an aggregate principal amount of \$28,500,000 in connection with the borrowing of funds to be used in redeeming its outstanding prior preferred stock of the par value of \$100 per share, consisting of three series bearing dividends at the rates of 7%, 6.36% and 6%, respectively, and in investing \$9,000,000 in common stock without par value of Continental Gas & Electric Corporation.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] ORVAL L. DuBOIS,
Secretary.

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[File Nos. 59-23, 70-1277]

MIDDLE WEST CORP. ET AL.

ORDER APPROVING PLAN

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission, held at its office in the city of Philadelphia, Pa., on the 31st day of December A. D. 1947.

In the matter of The Middle West Corporation, North West Utilities Company, File No. 70-1277; The Middle West Corporation, North West Utilities Company, Wisconsin Power and Light Company, File No. 59-23.

The Middle West Corporation ("Middle West") a registered holding company, and North West Utilities Company ("North West") also a registered holding company and a subsidiary of Middle West, having jointly filed a plan, providing in general for the distribution among the stockholders of North West of all its assets, consisting of cash and 1,259,850 shares of common stock of the Wisconsin Power and Light Company ("Wisconsin"), so that each share of 7% prior lien preferred stock held by others than Middle West would entitle its holder to 10½ shares of Wisconsin common stock and a cash dividend, at the rate of \$7 per annum from December 31, 1946, to the effective date of the plan; each share of 7% preferred stock held by others than Middle West would entitle its holder to 10 shares of Wisconsin common stock and a cash dividend, at the rate of \$7 per annum from December 31, 1946, to the effective date of the plan; and Middle West would receive the remaining

686,186.5 shares of Wisconsin common stock and whatever cash remained after all debts of North West and all fees and expenses in connection with the plan had been paid; and providing further for the dissolution of North West; and

Middle West and North West having requested the Commission, in the event of approval of the plan, to apply to an appropriate District Court of the United States, in accordance with the provisions of sections 11 (e) and 18 (f) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935, to enforce and carry out the terms and provisions of the plan; and

Public hearings having been held after appropriate notice, and the Commission having been duly advised and having filed its findings and opinion on the 8th day of December 1947, stating that the plan could be approved only if it were modified to increase the allocation of Wisconsin common stock for each share of 7% prior lien preferred stock held by others than Middle West from 10½ to 11½ shares and to limit to a period of five years from the effective date of the plan the time within which the North West stockholders would be given an opportunity to obtain the cash dividend and shares of Wisconsin common stock allocated under the plan; and

Middle West and North West on the 26th day of December 1947, having jointly filed a further amendment to the plan which contained the modifications above set forth and which further requested that the order of the Commission conform to the pertinent requirements of sections 371, 372, 373 and 1808 (f) of the Internal Revenue Code and contain the recitals, specifications and itemizations therein required;

It is found, on the basis of the findings and opinion issued December 8, 1947, that the plan as so modified on December 26, 1947 (hereinafter referred to as "the Plan") is necessary to effectuate the provisions of section 11 (b) of the act and fair and equitable to the persons affected thereby;

It is ordered, Pursuant to section 11 (e) and other applicable provisions of the act and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder, that the Plan be and it hereby is approved, subject to the following terms, conditions and reservations:

1. That the order entered herein shall not be operative to authorize the consummation of the transactions proposed in the Plan until an appropriate District Court of the United States shall, upon application thereto, enter an order enforcing the Plan; and

2. That jurisdiction is hereby reserved by this Commission over the payment of all fees and expenses in connection with the consummation of the Plan and the proposed transactions incident thereto;

It is further ordered, That counsel for the Commission be, and they hereby are, authorized and directed to make application forthwith on behalf of the Commission to an appropriate District Court of the United States pursuant to the provisions of section 11 (e) and subsection (f) of section 18 of the act, to enforce and carry out the terms and provisions of the Plan;

It is further ordered and recited, That the Plan and the acts and transactions provided by the Plan to be taken and performed on the part of North West and on the part of the stockholders of North West, including Middle West, are necessary or appropriate to the integration or simplification of the holding company system of which North West is a member, and are necessary or appropriate to effectuate the provisions of section 11 (b) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935, including in such acts and transactions, but without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the following:

1. The distribution and transfer by North West of its assets, consisting of 1,259,850 shares of common stock of Wisconsin and cash, to the holders of its outstanding shares of stock, upon the transfer and surrender to North West of said shares in accordance with the terms of the Plan, on the following basis as provided in the Plan:

a. For each share of 7% prior lien preferred stock held by others than Middle West, to the holder thereof (i) 11½ shares of common stock of Wisconsin (and warrants for fractional shares) and (ii) an amount of cash equivalent to a dividend at the rate of \$7 per annum on such share of 7% prior lien preferred stock from December 31, 1946, to the effective date of the Plan;

b. For each share of 7% preferred stock held by others than Middle West, to the holder thereof (i) 10 shares of common stock of Wisconsin and (ii) an amount of cash equivalent to a dividend at the rate of \$7 per annum on such share of 7% preferred stock from December 31, 1946, to the effective date of the Plan;

c. To Middle West, for all shares of stock of all classes of North West held by Middle West (consisting of 26,573 shares of 7% prior lien preferred stock, 21,687 shares of preferred stock, 24,000 shares of \$6 cumulative preferred stock, and 260,531 shares of common stock) the assets (estimated to be approximately 668,759 shares of common stock of Wisconsin and cash) of North West not required by the Plan to be distributed to other stockholders of North West or required for the payment of any debts of North West.

2. The transfer and surrender, pursuant to the terms of the Plan, to North West by its stockholders, other than Middle West, of the shares of stock of North West held by them, respectively, in exchange for the shares of stock of Wisconsin and the amounts of cash to which they are, respectively, entitled under the Plan as hereinabove itemized and specified; and

3. The transfer and surrender, in accordance with the terms of the Plan, to North West by Middle West of the shares of stock of North West held by it (consisting of 26,573 shares of 7% prior lien preferred stock, 21,687 shares of 7% preferred stock, 24,000 shares of \$6 cumulative preferred stock, and 260,531 shares of common stock) in exchange for the assets of North West (estimated to be approximately 668,759 shares of common stock of Wisconsin and cash) not re-

quired by the Plan to be distributed to other stockholders of North West or required for the payment of any debts of North West.

By the Commission,

[SEAL] ORVAL L. DuBOIS,
Secretary.

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[File No. 70-1624]

NORTH AMERICAN LIGHT & POWER CO. AND
ILLINOIS POWER CO.

ORDER GRANTING APPLICATION-DECLARATION

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission, held at its office in the city of Philadelphia, Pa., on the 30th day of December 1947.

North American Light & Power Company ("Light & Power") a registered holding company and its subsidiary, Illinois Power Company ("Illinois Power") also a registered holding company, having jointly filed an application-declaration pursuant to sections 6 (b), 9 (a) 10, 12 (d) and 12 (f) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 and Rules U-23, U-43 and U-44 thereunder with respect to the proposed sale by Light & Power of all its interest in Kewanee Public Service Company ("Kewanee"), a public utility subsidiary of Light & Power, to Illinois Power in consideration for the issuance to Light & Power by Illinois Power of 16,000 shares of Common Stock of Illinois Power the securities of Kewanee being sold to Illinois Power by Light & Power are: (a) All the common stock (10,000 shares) (b) 1496 shares of 7% Cumulative Preferred Stock, \$50 par value, on which dividends in arrears amounted to \$51.33 per share at August 31, 1947 and (c) \$210,000 principal amount of 5½% notes, due November 1, 1946, with accrued interest from March 1, 1944, in the amount of \$40,425 at August 31, 1947; and

A public hearing having been held on said joint application-declaration after appropriate notice, and the Commission having examined the record and having this day made and filed its Findings and Opinion herein:

It is ordered, Subject to the terms and conditions prescribed by Rule U-24, that said joint application-declaration be, and the same hereby is, granted and permitted to become effective forthwith, subject further, to the condition that such of the foregoing transactions as are subject to the jurisdiction of the Illinois Commerce Commission shall not be consummated unless pursuant to an appropriate order of that Commission.

By the Commission,

[SEAL] ORVAL L. DuBOIS,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Office of Alien Property

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[Vesting Order 10195]

GWENDOLEN DE VEAUX LEWIS

In re: Trust deed of Gwendolen de Veaux Lewis. File No. F-28-19295-G-1 Under the authority of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, Executive Order 9193, as amended, and Executive Order 9788, and pursuant to law, after investigation, it is hereby found:

1. That Fanny Schadt, whose last known address is Germany, is a resident of Germany and a national of a designated enemy country (Germany)

2. That all right, title, interest and claim of any kind or character whatsoever of the person identified in subparagraph 1 hereof, in and to and arising out of or under that certain trust agreement dated March 25, 1925 and supplemental agreements dated June 21, 1940 and April 24, 1944 between Gwendolen de Veaux Lewis and Fidelity-Philadelphia Trust Company and in and to all property held thereunder by the Fidelity-Philadelphia Trust Company, is property within the United States owned or controlled by, payable or deliverable to, held on behalf of or on account of, or owing to, or which is evidence of ownership or control by, the aforesaid national of a designated enemy country (Germany),

and it is hereby determined:

3. That to the extent that the person named in subparagraph 1 hereof is not within a designated enemy country, the national interest of the United States requires that such person be treated as a national of a designated enemy country (Germany)

All determinations and all action required by law, including appropriate consultation and certification, having been made and taken, and, it being deemed necessary in the national interest,

There is hereby vested in the Attorney General of the United States the property described above, to be held, used, administered, liquidated, sold or otherwise dealt with in the interest of and for the benefit of the United States.

The terms "national" and "designated enemy country" as used herein shall have the meanings prescribed in section 10 of Executive Order 9193, as amended.

Executed at Washington, D. C., on November 19, 1947.

For the Attorney General.

[SEAL] DAVID L. BAZELON,
Assistant Attorney General,
Director Office of Alien Property.

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[Vesting Order 10240]

MARIE SCHOEMIG

In re: T/W Marie Schoemig, a/k/a Marie Schomig and a/k/a Mari Schomig, deceased. File No. D-28-12089; E. T. sec. No. 16290.

Under the authority of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, Executive Order 9193, as amended, and Executive Order 9788, and pursuant to law, after investigation, it is hereby found:

1. That Katherine Schoemig and Mary Schoemig, whose last known address is Germany, are residents of Germany and nationals of a designated enemy country (Germany),

2 That all right, title, interest and claim of any kind or character whatsoever of the persons named in subparagraph 1 hereof in and to the trust under the will of Marie Schoemig, a/k/a Marie Schomig and a/k/a Mari Schomig, deceased, is property payable or deliverable to, or claimed by, the aforesaid nationals of a designated enemy country (Germany)

3. That such property is in the process of administration by The First National Bank of New Kensington, as Trustee, acting under the judicial supervision of the Orphans' Court of Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania;

and it is hereby determined:

4. That to the extent that the persons named in subparagraph 1 hereof are not within a designated enemy country, the national interest of the United States requires that such persons be treated as nationals of a designated enemy country (Germany)

All determinations and all action required by law, including appropriate consultation and certification, having been made and taken, and, it being deemed necessary in the national interest,

There is hereby vested in the Attorney General of the United States the property described above, to be held, used, administered, liquidated, sold or otherwise dealt with in the interest of and for the benefit of the United States.

The terms "national" and "designated enemy country" as used herein shall have the meanings prescribed in section 10 of Executive Order 9193, as amended.

Executed at Washington, D. C., on November 25, 1947.

For the Attorney General.

[SEAL] DAVID L. BAZELON,
Assistant Attorney General,
Director Office of Alien Property.

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[Vesting Order 10249]

BODEN & HAAC

In re: Portion of a bank account owned by and debt owing to Boden & Haac.

Under the authority of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, Executive Order 9193, as amended, and Executive Order 9788, and pursuant to law, after investigation, it is hereby found:

1. That Boden & Haac, the last known address of which is Bremen, Germany, is a partnership organized under the laws of Germany and which has or, since the effective date of Executive Order 8369, as amended, has had its principal place of business in Germany and is a

national of a designated enemy country (Germany)

2. That the property described as follows:

a. That certain debt or other obligation of The Chase National Bank of the City of New York, 18 Pine Street, New York, New York, in the amount of \$33,531.29, as of July 28, 1947, constituting a portion of an account entitled Amsterdamsche Bank N. V. Old Blocked Account, and any and all rights to demand, enforce and collect the same, and

b. That certain debt or other obligation of Esteve Brothers & Company, Inc., Coke Building, Dallas 1, Texas, in the amount of \$2501, as of December 31, 1945, evidenced on the books of said Esteve Brothers & Company, Inc. by an account payable in the name of N. V. Ex. and Import Mij. Roessingh & Company, together with any and all accruals thereto and any and all rights to demand, enforce and collect the same,

is property within the United States owned or controlled by, payable or deliverable to, held on behalf of or on account of, or owing to, or which is evidence of ownership or control by Boden & Haac, the aforesaid national of a designated enemy country (Germany)

and it is hereby determined:

3. That to the extent that the person named in subparagraph 1 hereof is not within a designated enemy country, the national interest of the United States requires that such person be treated as a national of a designated enemy country (Germany)

All determinations and all action required by law, including appropriate consultation and certification, having been made and taken, and, it being deemed necessary in the national interest,

There is hereby vested in the Attorney General of the United States the property described above, to be held, used, administered, liquidated, sold or otherwise dealt with in the interest of and for the benefit of the United States.

The terms "national" and "designated enemy country" as used herein shall have the meanings prescribed in section 10 of Executive Order 9193, as amended.

Executed at Washington, D. C., on November 25, 1947.

For the Attorney General.

[SEAL] DAVID L. BAZELON,
Assistant Attorney General,
Director Office of Alien Property.

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[Vesting Order 10251]

TH. GOLDSCHMIDT A.G. ET AL.

In re: Bank account owned by Th. Goldschmidt A.G., Dr. Theo Goldschmidt and Dr. Bernhard Goldschmidt.

Under the authority of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, Executive Order 9193, as amended, and Executive Order 9788, and pursuant to law, after investigation, it is hereby found:

1. That Th. Goldschmidt A.G., the last known address of which is Essen, Ger-

many, is a corporation organized under the laws of Germany, and which has or, since the effective date of Executive Order 8389, as amended, has had its principal place of business in Germany and is a national of a designated enemy country (Germany)

2. That Dr. Theo Goldschmidt, whose last known address is 14 Hohe Buchen, Essen-Bredene, Germany, and Dr. Bernhard Goldschmidt, whose last known address is 28 Bismarckallee, Klei, Germany, are residents of Germany and nationals of a designated enemy country (Germany)

3. That the property described as follows: That certain debt or other obligation of The New York Trust Company, 100 Broadway, New York, New York, arising out of an account entitled Dr. J. A. Dulker, and any and all rights to demand, enforce and collect the same,

is property within the United States owned or controlled by, payable or deliverable to, held on behalf of or on account of, or owing to, or which is evidence of ownership or control by Th. Goldschmidt A.G., Dr. Theo Goldschmidt and Dr. Bernhard Goldschmidt, the aforesaid nationals of a designated enemy country (Germany)

and it is hereby determined:

4. That to the extent that the persons named in subparagraphs 1 and 2 hereof are not within a designated enemy country, the national interest of the United States requires that such persons be treated as nationals of a designated enemy country (Germany)

All determinations and all action required by law, including appropriate consultation and certification, having been made and taken, and, it being deemed necessary in the national interest,

There is hereby vested in the Attorney General of the United States the property described above, to be held, used, administered, liquidated, sold or otherwise dealt with in the interest of and for the benefit of the United States.

The terms "national" and "designated enemy country" as used herein shall have the meanings prescribed in section 10 of Executive Order 9193, as amended.

Executed at Washington, D. C., on November 25, 1947.

For the Attorney General.

[SEAL] DAVID L. BAZELON,
Assistant Attorney General,
Director Office of Alien Property.

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[Vesting Order 10252]

IWAKAMI COMPANY

In re: Debt owing to Iwakami Company.

Under the authority of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, Executive Order 9193, as amended, and Executive Order 9788, and pursuant to law, after investigation, it is hereby found:

1. That Iwakami Company, the last known address of which is Yokohama, Japan, is a corporation, partnership, as-

sociation or other business organization, organized under the laws of Japan, and which has or, since the effective date of Executive Order 8389, as amended, has had its principal place of business in Japan and is a national of a designated enemy country (Japan)

2. That the property described as follows: That certain debt or other obligation owing to Iwakami Company by Teikoku Company, in dissolution, Portland, Oregon, in the amount of \$928.38, as of October 22, 1947, together with any and all accruals thereto and any and all rights to demand, enforce and collect the same,

is property within the United States owned or controlled by, payable or deliverable to, held on behalf of or on account of, or owing to, or which is evidence of ownership or control by, the aforesaid national of a designated enemy country (Japan)

and it is hereby determined:

3. That to the extent that the person named in subparagraph 1 hereof is not within a designated enemy country, the national interest of the United States requires that such person be treated as a national of a designated enemy country (Japan).

All determinations and all action required by law, including appropriate consultation and certification, having been made and taken, and, it being deemed necessary in the national interest,

There is hereby vested in the Attorney General of the United States the property described above, to be held, used, administered, liquidated, sold or otherwise dealt with in the interest of and for the benefit of the United States.

The terms "national" and "designated enemy country" as used herein shall have the meanings prescribed in section 10 of Executive Order 9193, as amended.

Executed at Washington, D. C., on November 25, 1947.

For the Attorney General.

[SEAL] DAVID L. BAZELON,
Assistant Attorney General,
Director Office of Alien Property.

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[Vesting Order 10254]

ALBERT KLADEN

In re: Debt owing to Albert Kladen. F-28-11630-A-1.

Under the authority of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, Executive Order 9193, as amended, and Executive Order 9788, and pursuant to law, after investigation, it is hereby found:

1. That Albert Kladen, whose last known address is Magdeburg B, Scrubger Str. 20, Germany, is a resident of Germany and a national of a designated enemy country (Germany)

2. That the property described as follows: That certain debt or other obligation owing to Albert Kladen by Sherry Hotel Corporation, Chicago, Illinois, in the amount of \$110.00, as of October 21, 1947, evidenced by a check in the sum of \$110.00 issued by said Sherry Hotel

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Corporation and presently in the custody of Securities Service Corporation, 105 South La Salle Street, Chicago, Illinois, and any and all rights to demand, enforce and collect the aforesaid debt or other obligation and any and all accruals thereto, together with any and all rights in, to and under, including particularly but not limited to the right to possession and presentation for collection and payment of, the aforesaid check,

is property within the United States owned or controlled by, payable or deliverable to, held on behalf of or on account of, or owing to, or which is evidence of ownership or control by the aforesaid national of a designated enemy country (Germany)

and it is hereby determined:

3. That to the extent that the person named in subparagraph 1 hereof is not within a designated enemy country, the national interest of the United States requires that such person be treated as a national of a designated enemy country (Germany)

All determinations and all action required by law, including appropriate consultation and certification, having been made and taken, and, it being deemed necessary in the national interest,

There is hereby vested in the Attorney General of the United States the property described above, to be held, used, administered, liquidated, sold or otherwise dealt with in the interest of and for the benefit of the United States.

The terms "national" and "designated enemy country" as used herein shall have the meanings prescribed in section 10 of Executive Order 9193, as amended.

Executed at Washington, D. C., on November 25, 1947.

For the Attorney General.

[SEAL] DAVID L. BAZELON,
*Assistant Attorney General,
Director Office of Alien Property.*

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[Vesting Order 10255]

LEONHARD M. KLUFFTINGER

In Re: Debt owing to Leonhard M. Klufftinger.

Under the authority of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, Executive Order 9193, as amended, and Executive Order 9788, and pursuant to law, after investigation, it is hereby found:

1. That Leonhard M. Klufftinger, whose last known address is 18 B. Greenbach, Allgaeu, Germany, is a resident of Germany and a national of a designated enemy country (Germany)

2. That the property described as follows: That certain debt or other obligation owing to Leonhard M. Klufftinger, by William R. Warner & Co., Inc., 113 West 18th Street, New York, New York, in the amount of \$23,270.33, as of April 17, 1941, together with any and all accruals thereto, and any and all rights to demand, enforce and collect the same,

is property within the United States owned or controlled by, payable or deliverable to, held on behalf of or on account of, or owing to, or which is evidence of ownership or control by, the aforesaid national of a designated enemy country (Germany)

and it is hereby determined:

3. That to the extent that the person named in subparagraph 1 hereof is not within a designated enemy country, the national interest of the United States requires that such person be treated as a national of a designated enemy country (Germany)

All determinations and all action required by law, including appropriate consultation and certification, having been made and taken, and, it being deemed necessary in the national interest,

There is hereby vested in the Attorney General of the United States the property described above, to be held, used, administered, liquidated, sold or otherwise dealt with in the interest of and for the benefit of the United States.

The terms "national" and "designated enemy country" as used herein shall have the meanings prescribed in section 10 of Executive Order 9193, as amended.

Executed at Washington, D. C., on November 25, 1947.

For the Attorney General.

[SEAL] DAVID L. BAZELON,
*Assistant Attorney General,
Director Office of Alien Property.*

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[Vesting Order 10274]

OTTO FISCHER

In re: Rights of Otto Fischer under insurance contract. File No. F-28-28248-H-2.

Under the authority of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, Executive Order 9193, as amended, and Executive Order 9788, and pursuant to law, after investigation, it is hereby found:

1. That Otto Fischer, whose last known address is Germany, is a resident of Germany and a national of a designated enemy country (Germany),

2. That the net proceeds due or to become due under a contract of insurance evidenced by Policy No. N-675410, issued by Aetna Life Insurance Company, Hartford, Connecticut, to Otto Fischer, together with the right to demand, receive and collect said net proceeds, is property within the United States owned or controlled by, payable or deliverable to, held on behalf of, or on account of, or owing to, or which is evidence of ownership or control by, the aforesaid national of a designated enemy country (Germany),

and it is hereby determined:

3. That to the extent that the person named in subparagraph 1 hereof is not within a designated enemy country, the national interest of the United States requires that such person be treated as

a national of a designated enemy country (Germany)

All determinations and all action required by law, including appropriate consultation and certification, having been made and taken, and, it being deemed necessary in the national interest,

There is hereby vested in the Attorney General of the United States the property described above, to be held, used, administered, liquidated, sold or otherwise dealt with in the interest of and for the benefit of the United States.

The terms "national" and "designated enemy country" as used herein shall have the meanings prescribed in section 10 of Executive Order 9193, as amended.

Executed at Washington, D. C., on December 9, 1947.

For the Attorney General.

[SEAL] DAVID L. BAZELON,
*Assistant Attorney General,
Director Office of Alien Property.*

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[Vesting Order 10278]

MARTHA GRUNDMAN

In re: Rights of Martha Grundman under insurance contract. File No. D-28-10716-H-1.

Under the authority of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, Executive Order 9193, as amended, and Executive Order 9788, and pursuant to law, after investigation, it is hereby found:

1. That Martha Grundman, whose last known address is Germany, is a resident of Germany and a national of a designated enemy country (Germany),

2. That the net proceeds due or to become due under a contract of insurance evidenced by Policy No. 0483359, issued by The Prudential Insurance Company of America, Newark, New Jersey, to Margarete A. Schmidt, together with the right to demand, receive and collect said net proceeds, is property within the United States owned or controlled by, payable or deliverable to, held on behalf of, or on account of, or owing to, or which is evidence of ownership or control by, the aforesaid national of a designated enemy country (Germany),

and it is hereby determined:

3. That to the extent that the person named in subparagraph 1 hereof is not within a designated enemy country, the national interest of the United States requires that such person be treated as a national of a designated enemy country (Germany)

All determinations and all action required by law, including appropriate consultation and certification, having been made and taken, and, it being deemed necessary in the national interest,

There is hereby vested in the Attorney General of the United States the property described above, to be held, used, administered, liquidated, sold or otherwise dealt with in the interest of and for the benefit of the United States.

The terms "national" and "designated enemy country" as used herein shall have

the meanings prescribed in section 10 of Executive Order 9193, as amended.

Executed at Washington, D. C., on December 9, 1947.

For the Attorney General.

[SEAL] DAVID L. BAZELON,
Assistant Attorney General,
Director Office of Alien Property.

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[Vesting Order 10308]

MRS. TOKUKO M. NAKANO

In re: Stock owned by Mrs. Tokuko M. Nakano, also known as Toku Moriwake Nakano. F-39-567-D-1.

Under the authority of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, Executive Order 9193; as amended, and Executive Order 9788, and pursuant to law, after investigation, it is hereby found:

1. That Mrs. Tokuko M. Nakano, also known as Toku Moriwake Nakano, whose last known address is Japan, is a resident of Japan and a national of a designated enemy country (Japan)

2. That the property described as follows: Twelve (12) shares of \$10.00 par value permanent guaranty common stock of State Savings & Loan Association, 61 W. South Temple, Salt Lake City, Utah, evidenced by certificates numbered 970 and 1081 for three (3) shares each, 1236 for four (4) shares and 1331 for two (2) shares, registered in the name of Mrs. Tokuko Nakano, together with all declared and unpaid dividends thereon, evidenced in whole or in part by dividend check or checks in the custody of State Savings & Loan Association, together with said check or checks,

is property within the United States owned or controlled by, payable or deliverable to, held on behalf of or on account of, or owing to, or which is evidence of ownership or control by, the aforesaid national of a designated enemy country (Japan)

and it is hereby determined:

3. That to the extent that the person named in subparagraph 1 hereof is not within a designated enemy country, the national interest of the United States requires that such person be treated as a national of a designated enemy country (Japan)

All determinations and all action required by law, including appropriate consultation and certification, having been made and taken, and, it being deemed necessary in the national interest,

There is hereby vested in the Attorney General of the United States the property described above, to be held, used, administered, liquidated, sold or otherwise dealt with in the interest of and for the benefit of the United States.

The terms "national" and "designated enemy country" as used herein shall have the meanings prescribed in section 10 of Executive Order 9193, as amended.

Executed at Washington, D. C., on December 9, 1947.

For the Attorney General.

[SEAL] DAVID L. BAZELON,
Assistant Attorney General,
Director, Office of Alien Property.

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[Vesting Order 10310]

ELISABETH ROTH

In re: Stock owned by Elisabeth Roth. File D-28-9100-A-1.

Under the authority of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, Executive Order 9193, as amended, and Executive Order 9788, and pursuant to law, after investigation, it is hereby found:

1. That Elisabeth Roth, whose last known address is Langenselbold b/Hanau Steinweg 43, Germany, is a resident of Germany and a national of a designated enemy country (Germany)

2. That the property described as follows:

a. One hundred (100) shares of no par value common capital stock of American Radiator & Standard Sanitary Corporation, 40 West 40th Street, New York, New York, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Delaware, evidenced by Certificate Numbered C408393, registered in the name and presently in the custody of Henry Clews & Company, 9 Broadway, New York 4, New York, together with all declared and unpaid dividends thereon,

b. One hundred (100) shares of \$10 par value common capital stock of National Can Corporation, 110 East 42nd Street, New York, New York, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Delaware, evidenced by Certificate Numbered C21288, registered in the name and presently in the custody of Henry Clews & Company, 9 Broadway, New York 4, New York, together with all declared and unpaid dividends thereon, and

c. Two hundred (200) shares of \$1.00 par value common capital stock of Paramount Pictures, Inc., Paramount Building, New York, New York, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of New York, evidenced by Certificates Numbered T10679 and C184764, registered in the name and presently in the custody of Henry Clews & Company, 9 Broadway, New York 4, New York, together with all declared and unpaid dividends thereon,

subject, however, to any and all lawful liens in favor of the said Henry Clews & Company, arising from a debit balance in the marginal account of the said Elisabeth Roth, is property within the United States owned or controlled by, payable or deliverable to, held on behalf of or on account of, or owing to, or which is evidence of ownership or control by, the aforesaid national of a designated enemy country (Germany),

and it is hereby determined:

3. That to the extent that the person named in subparagraph 1 hereof is not within a designated enemy country, the national interest of the United States requires that such person be treated as a national of a designated enemy country (Germany)

All determinations and all action required by law, including appropriate consultation and certification, having been made, and taken, and, it being deemed necessary in the national interest,

There is hereby vested in the Attorney General of the United States the property described above, to be held, used, administered, liquidated, sold or otherwise dealt with in the interest of and for the benefit of the United States.

The terms "national" and "designated enemy country" as used herein shall have the meanings prescribed in section 10 of Executive Order 9193, as amended.

Executed at Washington, D. C., on December 9, 1947.

For the Attorney General.

[SEAL] DAVID L. BAZELON,
Assistant Attorney General,
Director, Office of Alien Property.

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[Vesting Order 10326]

HERMANN HEINRICH BREDE AND CLAUS GERD BREDE

In re: Rights of Hermann Heinrich Brede and Claus Gerd Brede under insurance contract. File No. F-28-26776-H-1.

Under the authority of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, Executive Order 9193, as amended, and Executive Order 9788, and pursuant to law, after investigation, it is hereby found:

1. That Hermann Heinrich Brede and Claus Gerd Brede whose last known address is Germany, are residents of Germany and nationals of a designated enemy country (Germany)

2. That the net proceeds due or to become due under a contract of insurance evidenced by Policy No. 203142, issued by the West Coast Life Insurance Company, San Francisco, California, to Hermann Johann Brede, together with the right to demand, receive and collect said net proceeds, is property within the United States owned or controlled by, payable or deliverable to, held on behalf of, or on account of, or owing to, or which is evidence of ownership or control by, the aforesaid nationals of a designated enemy country (Germany)

and it is hereby determined:

3. That to the extent that the persons named in subparagraph 1 hereof are not within a designated enemy country, the national interest of the United States requires that such persons be treated as nationals of a designated enemy country. (Germany)

All determinations and all action required by law, including appropriate consultation and certification, having been made and taken, and, it being deemed necessary in the national interest,

There is hereby vested in the Attorney General of the United States the property described above, to be held, used, administered, liquidated, sold or otherwise dealt with in the interest of and for the benefit of the United States.

The terms "national" and "designated enemy country" as used herein shall have

the meanings prescribed in section 10 of Executive Order 9193, as amended.

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For the Attorney General.

[SEAL] DAVID L. BAZELON,
Assistant Attorney General,
Director Office of Alien Property.

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[Vesting Order 10360]

MARGARETE SCHNEIDER ET AL.

In re: Interest in stock owned by Margarete Schneider and others. F-28-24131-A-1, F-28-24131-D-1/3.

Under the authority of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, Executive Order 9193, as amended, and Executive Order 9788, and pursuant to law, after investigation, it is hereby found:

1. That Margarete Schneider, Hans Schneider, Leo Schneider and Alfred Schneider, each of whose last known address is Germany, are residents of Germany and nationals of a designated enemy country (Germany)

2. That the property described as follows: An undivided four-sixth ($\frac{4}{6}$) interest in and to the shares of stock described in Exhibit A, attached hereto and by reference made a part hereof, registered in the name of Peter Schneider and presently in the custody of Charles Schneider, 135-39 229th Street, Laurelton 13, Long Island, New York, together with an undivided four-sixths in-

terest in and to all declared and unpaid dividends thereon,

is property within the United States owned or controlled by, payable or deliverable to, held on behalf of or on account of, or owing to, or which is evidence of ownership or control by Margarete Schneider, Hans Schneider, Leo Schneider and Alfred Schneider, the aforesaid nationals of a designated enemy country (Germany)

and it is hereby determined:

3. That to the extent that the persons named in subparagraph 1 hereof are not within a designated enemy country, the national interest of the United States requires that such persons be treated as nationals of a designated enemy country (Germany)

All determinations and all action required by law, including appropriate consultation and certification, having been made and taken, and, it being deemed necessary in the national interest,

There is hereby vested in the Attorney General of the United States the property described above, to be held, used, administered, liquidated, sold or otherwise dealt with in the interest of and for the benefit of the United States.

The terms "national" and "designated enemy country" as used herein shall have the meanings prescribed in section 10 of Executive Order 9193, as amended.

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For the Attorney General.

[SEAL] DAVID L. BAZELON,
Assistant Attorney General,
Director Office of Alien Property.

EXHIBIT A

Name and address of issuing corporation	State of incorporation	Type of stock	Certificate No.	Number of shares
General Electric Co., 1 River Rd., Schenectady, N. Y.	New York	No par value common stock	NYD-475777	10
Radio Corp. of America, 30 Rockefeller Plaza, New York, N. Y.	Delaware	do	W0111273	1
Bethlehem Steel Corp., 25 Broadway, New York, N. Y.	do	do	NO427878	1
Standard Oil Co., 30 Rockefeller Plaza, New York, N. Y.	New Jersey	\$25 par value capital stock	133649	10
			C333700	10

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[Vesting Order 10334]

HUBERTINA JAUK

In re: Rights of Hubertina Jauk a/k/a Hubertine Jauck under insurance contract. File No. D-28-10278-H-1.

Under the authority of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, Executive Order 9193, as amended, and Executive Order 9788, and pursuant to law, after investigation, it is hereby found:

1. That Hubertina Jauk, also known as Hubertine Jauck, whose last known address is Germany, is a resident of Germany and a national of a designated enemy country (Germany)

2. That the net proceeds due or to become due under a contract of insurance evidenced by Certificate 129, under Group Life Policy No. G-8972A, issued by the Travelers Insurance Company, Hartford, Connecticut, to Nicholas Knorr, together with the right to demand, receive and

collect said net proceeds, is property within the United States owned or controlled by, payable or deliverable to, held on behalf of, or on account of, or owing to, or which is evidence of ownership or control by, the aforesaid national of a designated enemy country (Germany)

and it is hereby determined:

3. That to the extent that the person named in subparagraph 1 hereof is not within a designated enemy country, the national interest of the United States requires that such person be treated as a national of a designated enemy country (Germany)

All determinations and all action required by law, including appropriate consultation and certification, having been made and taken, and, it being deemed necessary in the national interest,

There is hereby vested in the Attorney General of the United States the prop-

erty described above, to be held, used, administered, liquidated, sold or otherwise dealt with in the interest of and for the benefit of the United States.

The terms "national" and "designated enemy country" as used herein shall have the meanings prescribed in section 10 of Executive Order 9193, as amended.

Executed at Washington, D. C., on December 15, 1947.

For the Attorney General.

[SEAL] DAVID L. BAZELON,
Assistant Attorney General,
Director Office of Alien Property.

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[Vesting Order 10338]

JOSEPH LUKEZIC

In re: Estate of Joseph Lukezic, deceased. File No. D-28-12046; E. T. sec: 16247.

Under the authority of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, Executive Order 9193, as amended, and Executive Order 9788, and pursuant to law, after investigation, it is hereby found:

1. That Johann Fritzel, whose last known address is Germany, is a resident of Germany and a national of a designated enemy country (Germany),

2. That all right, title, interest and claim of any kind or character whatsoever of the person named in subparagraph 1 hereof in and to the estate of Joseph Lukezic, deceased, is property payable or deliverable to, or claimed by, the aforesaid national of a designated enemy country (Germany),

3. That such property is in the process of administration by Glen Hesselgesser, of Taylor, Nebraska, acting under the judicial supervision of the County Court of Loup County, Nebraska;

and it is hereby determined:

4. That to the extent that the person identified in subparagraph 1 hereof is not within a designated enemy country, the national interest of the United States requires that such person be treated as a national of a designated enemy country (Germany)

All determinations and all action required by law, including appropriate consultation and certification, having been made and taken, and, it being deemed necessary in the national interest,

There is hereby vested in the Attorney General of the United States the property described above, to be held, used, administered, liquidated, sold or otherwise dealt with in the interest of and for the benefit of the United States.

The terms "national" and "designated enemy country" as used herein shall have the meanings prescribed in section 10 of Executive Order 9193, as amended.

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For the Attorney General.

[SEAL] DAVID L. BAZELON,
Assistant Attorney General,
Director Office of Alien Property.

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