

FINANCING AND IMPLEMENTATION

Appropriation.

SEC. 8. (a) There are authorized to be appropriated, to remain available until expended, \$50,209,000 for fiscal year 1974. There are authorized to be appropriated for fiscal year 1974 such additional or supplemental amounts as may be necessary for increases in salary, pay, retirement, or other employee benefits authorized by law and for other nondiscretionary costs.

Grants, terms and conditions.

(b) To allow for the orderly implementation of this Act, the Secretary of State is authorized to make grants to Radio Free Europe and to Radio Liberty under such terms and conditions as he deems appropriate for their continued operation until a majority of the voting members of the Board have been appointed and qualified, and until funds authorized to be appropriated under this Act are available to the Board.

Approved October 19, 1973.

Public Law 93-130

AN ACT

October 19, 1973
[H. R. 7699]

To provide for the filling of vacancies in the Legislature of the Virgin Islands.

Virgin Islands
legislature.
68 Stat. 500.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 6(h) of the Revised Organic Act of the Virgin Islands (48 U.S.C. 1572(h)) is amended to read as follows:

“(h) The Legislature of the Virgin Islands shall by law provide the procedure for filling any vacancy in the office of member of the legislature.”

Effective date.

SEC. 2. The amendment made by the first section of this Act shall apply with respect to vacancies occurring on or after the date of enactment of this Act.

Approved October 19, 1973.

Public Law 93-131

AN ACT

October 19, 1973
[H. R. 6628]

To amend section 101(b) of the Micronesian Claims Act of 1971 to enlarge the class of persons eligible to receive benefits under the claims program established by that Act.

Micronesian
Claims Act of
1971, amendments.
85 Stat. 92.

Definition.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 101(b) of the Micronesian Claims Act of 1971 (50 App. U.S.C. 2019(b)) is amended to read as follows:

“(b) A ‘Micronesian inhabitant of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands’ is defined for the purposes of this Act as a person who—

“(1) became a citizen of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands on July 18, 1947, and who remains a citizen of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, or is a citizen of the United States, as of the date of filing a claim; or

“(2) if then living, would have been eligible to become a citizen of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands on July 18, 1947; or

“(3) is the successor, heir, or assignee of a person eligible under paragraph (1) or (2) and who is a citizen of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, or of the United States, as of the date of filing a claim.”

SEC. 2. The fifth sentence of section 104(a) of the Micronesian Claims Act of 1971 (50 App. U.S.C. 2019c(a)) is amended to read as follows: "As claims are adjudicated, the Commission shall certify them to the Secretary for payment in such manner as he may direct."

Payment of
claims.
85 Stat. 94.

Approved October 19, 1973.

Public Law 93-132

AN ACT

To provide for the striking of medals in commemoration of Jim Thorpe.

October 19, 1973
[H. R. 4507]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That in recognition of the outstanding achievements of Jim Thorpe as an athlete and as a great American, the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized to strike and furnish to the Jim Thorpe Memorial-Oklahoma Athletic Hall of Fame Commission not more than one hundred thousand medals with suitable emblems, devices, and inscriptions to be determined by the Secretary, after consultation with the commission. The medals, which may be disposed of by the commission at a premium, shall be delivered at such times as may be required by the commission in quantities of not less than two thousand.

Jim Thorpe.
Commemoration
medals.

SEC. 2. The Secretary of the Treasury shall cause such medals to be struck and furnished at not less than the estimated cost of manufacture, including labor, materials, dies, use of machinery, and overhead expenses, and security satisfactory to the Director of the Mint shall be furnished to indemnify the United States for the full payment of such costs.

Cost.

SEC. 3. The medals authorized to be struck and delivered under this Act shall be of such size or sizes and of such various metals as shall be determined by the Secretary of the Treasury in consultation with the commission.

Size.

SEC. 4. No medals shall be made under the authority of this Act after December 31, 1974.

Expiration of
authority.

SEC. 5. At the option of the commission, the Secretary may release the dies to a private manufacturer for production of some or all of the medals authorized under this Act.

SEC. 6. The medals, whether produced by the Secretary or by a private manufacturer from dies prepared by the Department of the Treasury, shall be considered to be national medals within the meaning of section 3551 of the Revised Statutes (31 U.S.C. 368).

Approved October 19, 1973.

Public Law 93-133

AN ACT

To amend the National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965, and for other purposes.

October 19, 1973
[S. 795]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That this Act may be cited as the "National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Amendments of 1973".

National Founda-
tion on the Arts
and the Human-
ities Amend-
ments of 1973.