

Public Law 896

CHAPTER 852

AN ACT

August 1, 1956
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To implement section 25 (b) of the Organic Act of Guam by carrying out the recommendations of the Commission on the Application of Federal Laws to Guam, and for other purposes.

Guam.
Application of
Federal laws.
Federal Seed
Act.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That (a) section 101 (a) (8) (A) (ii) of the Federal Seed Act (53 Stat. 1275, 1277; 7 U. S. C. 1561 (a) (8) (A) (ii)), is amended by inserting immediately after the words "Puerto Rico," the word "Guam,"

(b) Section 101 (a) (9) (A) (ii) of the Federal Seed Act (53 Stat. 1275, 1277; 7 U. S. C. 1561 (a) (9) (A) (ii)), is amended by inserting immediately after the words "Puerto Rico," the word "Guam,"

National banks.
13 Stat. 99,
12 USC 38 and
note.

SEC. 2. The National Bank Act, and all other Acts of Congress relating to national banks, shall, insofar as not locally inapplicable hereafter, apply to Guam.

Federal Deposit
Insurance Act.

SEC. 3. The Federal Deposit Insurance Act (64 Stat. 873; 12 U. S. C., secs. 1811-1831), is amended—

(a) by inserting the word "Guam," after the words "Puerto Rico," in subsection (a) of section 3, and by substituting a comma for the period at the end of such subsection (a) and adding the following words "and the word 'State' means any State of the United States, the District of Columbia, any Territory of the United States, Puerto Rico, Guam, or the Virgin Islands.";

(b) by inserting the word "Guam," after the words "Puerto Rico," in each place where they appear in subsections (d), (e), and (o) of section 3;

(c) by inserting the word "Guam," after the words "Puerto Rico," in the first proviso of subsection (l) of section 3; and

(d) by inserting the words "of Guam," after the words "of Puerto Rico," where they appear in subsection (m) of section 3.

Insurance busi-
ness.

SEC. 4. Section 5 of the Act of March 9, 1945 (59 Stat. 33, 34; 15 U. S. C., sec. 1015), is amended by inserting immediately after the words "Puerto Rico," the word "Guam,"

Roads to histori-
cal areas.

SEC. 5. Section 2 of the Act of June 3, 1948 (62 Stat. 334; 16 U. S. C., sec. 8f), is amended by inserting immediately after the words "Puerto Rico," the word "Guam,"

Park programs.

SEC. 6. Section 4 of the Act of June 23, 1936 (49 Stat. 1894, 1895; 16 U. S. C., sec. 17n), is amended by inserting immediately after the words "Puerto Rico," the word "Guam,"

Wildlife restora-
tion.
55 Stat. 632,
16 USC 669g-1.

SEC. 7. Subsection (a) of section 8 of the Act of September 2, 1937 (50 Stat. 917), as amended, is further amended (i) by inserting the words "the Governor of Guam," immediately following the words "the Commissioner of Agriculture and Commerce of Puerto Rico," (ii) by inserting the word "Guam," immediately following the words "Puerto Rico," where such words appear for the second time in such subsection, (iii) by inserting the word "Guam," immediately following the words "not exceeding \$10,000 each for Puerto Rico," and (iv) by inserting by the word "Guam," immediately following the words "Puerto Rico," in the second sentence of such subsection.

Fish restoration.
16 USC 777k.

SEC. 8. Section 12 of the Act of August 9, 1950 (64 Stat. 434), as amended, is further amended (i) by inserting the words "the Governor of Guam," immediately following the words "the Commissioner of Agriculture and Commerce of Puerto Rico," (ii) by inserting the word "Guam," immediately following the words "Puerto Rico," where such words appear for the second time in such subsection, (iii) by inserting the word "Guam," immediately following the words "not exceeding \$10,000 each for Puerto Rico," and (iv) by inserting the

word "Guam," immediately following the words "Puerto Rico," in the second sentence of such subsection.

SEC. 9. (a) Guam shall be entitled to share in the benefits of the Vocational Education Act of 1946 (60 Stat. 775), and any Act amendatory thereof or supplementary thereto, upon the same terms and conditions as any of the several States. There is hereby authorized to be appropriated, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1955, and annually thereafter, the sum of \$80,000, to be available for allotment to Guam under such Act and the modifications hereinafter provided.

Vocational education.
20 USC 15i note.
Appropriations.

(b) Sums appropriated under the authority of subsection (a) of this section shall be allocated for vocational education in (1) agriculture, (2) home economics, (3) trades and industries, and (4) distributive occupations, in the proportion which the amount authorized to be appropriated under paragraphs (1), (2), (3), and (4), respectively, of section 3 of the Vocational Education Act of 1946, bears to the sum of such amounts except insofar as the Commissioner of Education, with the approval of the Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare, deems it necessary to modify said proportions to meet special conditions existing in Guam.

20 USC 15j.

(c) The provisions of section 3 (60 Stat. 775; 20 U. S. C., sec. 15j), section 7 (60 Stat. 775, 777; 20 U. S. C., sec. 15o), and section 8 (b) (60 Stat. 775, 777; 20 U. S. C., sec. 15p (b)), of the Vocational Education Act of 1946, shall apply to sums appropriated under this section with such modifications as the Commissioner of Education, with the approval of the Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare, shall deem necessary to meet special conditions existing in Guam.

(d) In addition to the sums authorized to be appropriated under section 9 of the Vocational Education Act of 1946 (60 Stat. 775, 777; 20 U. S. C., sec. 15q), there are hereby authorized to be appropriated such additional sums as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of this section, such sums to be expended for the same purposes and in the same manner as provided in section 7 of the Act of February 23, 1917 (39 Stat. 929, 933), as amended (20 U. S. C., sec. 15).

SEC. 10. The Act of September 30, 1950 (64 Stat. 1100; 20 U. S. C., sec. 236 and the following), as amended by Public Law 248, Eighty-third Congress, 67 Stat. 530; is further amended by adding the word "Guam," immediately following the words "Wake Island," wherever they appear in such Act.

Education in Federally affected areas.

SEC. 11. Paragraph (14) of section 210 of the Act of September 23, 1950 (64 Stat. 967, 977), as amended, is further amended by inserting immediately after the words "Puerto Rico," the word "Guam,".

20 USC 280.

SEC. 12. (a) The heading of section 4735 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 is amended by inserting the word "GUAM," immediately following the words "THE TRUST TERRITORY OF THE PACIFIC ISLANDS,".

Narcotic drug taxes.

(b) Section 4735 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 is amended by adding thereto the following new subsection:

68A Stat. 559.
26 USC 4735.

"(d) GUAM.—In Guam the administration of sections 4701 to 4707, inclusive; sections 4721 to 4726, inclusive; sections 4732 to 4734, inclusive; and insofar as they relate to narcotic drugs, sections 4771 to 4776, inclusive; the collections of the special tax imposed by section 4721 and the issuance of the order forms specified in section 4705, shall be performed by the appropriate internal revenue officers of Guam, and all revenues collected thereunder in Guam shall accrue intact to the general government thereof."

26 USC 4701-4776.

(c) Section 4705 (h) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 is amended by adding at the end thereof the following new sentence: "For issuance of order forms in Guam, see section 4735 (d)."

68A Stat. 553.
26 USC 4705.
Supra.

Effective date.

(d) The amendments made by this section shall take effect on the first day of the third month which begins more than ten days after the date of enactment of this Act.

Opium.

SEC. 13. Subchapter B of part I, subchapter A, chapter 39 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 is amended by inserting immediately after section 4715, the following new section to be numbered section 4716:

68A Stat. 554.
26 USC 4715.

“SEC. 4716. APPLICATION TO GUAM.

“The provisions of this subpart shall be applicable to Guam, and in Guam the administration of this subpart shall be performed by the appropriate internal revenue officers of the Government of Guam, and all revenues collected thereunder in Guam shall accrue intact to the government thereof.”

Marihuana.
68A Stat. 568.
26 USC 4774.

SEC. 14. Section 4774 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 is amended by striking the period at the end thereof and inserting in lieu thereof the following: “*Provided*, That (notwithstanding section 7651), sections 4741 to 4762, inclusive, as amended, and, insofar as they relate to marihuana, sections 4771 to 4776, inclusive, shall not apply to Guam.”

26 USC 7651.
26 USC 4741-
4776.

SEC. 15. (a) It shall be unlawful for any person to produce, manufacture, compound, possess, sell, give away, deal in, dispense, administer, or transport marihuana in Guam, or to import marihuana into or export it from Guam.

26 USC 4761.

(b) As used in subsection (a) of this section, the term “marihuana” shall have the meaning now or hereafter ascribed to it in section 4761 (2) of the Internal Revenue Code, and the term “produce” shall mean (a) plant, cultivate, or in any way facilitate the natural growth of marihuana, or (b) harvest and transfer or make use of marihuana.

Penalties.

(c) Any person who shall violate subsection (a) of this section shall be punished for the first offense by a fine of not more than \$2,000, or by imprisonment in jail for not less than two or more than five years, or by both, and shall be punished for each subsequent offense by a fine of not more than \$2,000, or by imprisonment in jail for not less than five years or more than ten years, or by both; and any marihuana involved in any violation of subsection (a) of this section may be seized, and the court may order its confiscation and destruction.

**Vocational re-
habilitation.**
68 Stat. 661.
29 USC 42.

SEC. 16. (a) Subsection (g) of section 11 of the Vocational Rehabilitation Act (68 Stat. 652, 662), is amended by striking the words “and for the purposes of section 4, includes also Guam” and inserting the words “and Guam”.

(b) Subsection (h) of section 11 of the Vocational Rehabilitation Act (68 Stat. 652, 662), is amended by inserting immediately after the words “Puerto Rico” the word “Guam.”

(c) Subsection (i) of section 11 of the Vocational Rehabilitation Act (68 Stat. 652, 662), is amended by inserting immediately after the words “Puerto Rico” the word “Guam.”

**Employment
service.**

SEC. 17. (a) Subsection (b) of section 3 of the Act of June 6, 1933 (48 Stat. 113, 114), as amended (29 U. S. C., sec. 49b (b)), is further amended by inserting immediately after the words “Puerto Rico,” the word “Guam.”

(b) Subsection (b) of section 5 of the Act of June 6, 1933 (48 Stat. 113, 115), as amended (29 U. S. C., sec. 49d (b)), is further amended by inserting immediately after the words “Puerto Rico,” the word “Guam.”

**Public health.
Grants and serv-
ices.**

SEC. 18. Effective July 1, 1956, section 314 of the Public Health Service Act (58 Stat. 682, 693), as amended (42 U. S. C., sec. 246), is further amended by adding the following new subsection:

“(1) Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, the provisions of this section shall be applicable to Guam in the same manner in

which they apply to the States. Amounts paid to Guam from its allotment under subsections (a), (b), (c), or (e) of this section, together with matching funds of Guam, may, with the approval of the Surgeon General, be expended in carrying out the purposes specified in any such subsection or subsections other than the one under which the allotment was made.

SEC. 19. (a) Subsection (a) of section 631 of the Public Health Service Act (42 U. S. C., sec. 291i (a)), is amended by inserting immediately after the words "Puerto Rico" the word "Guam,".

(b) Subsection (d) of section 631 of the Public Health Service Act (42 U. S. C., sec. 291i (d)), is amended by inserting immediately after "Puerto Rico," the word "Guam,".

(c) Sections 624 and 652 of the Public Health Service Act (42 U. S. C., sec. 291g and 291t), are each amended by inserting immediately after the words "the Virgin Islands" the words "or Guam".

SEC. 20. Section 73 of the Act of January 12, 1895 (28 Stat. 601, 612), as amended (44 U. S. C., sec. 183), is further amended by inserting the word "Guam," immediately after the words "Puerto Rico,".

SEC. 21. The language preceding the proviso in subsection (a) of section 26 (64 Stat. 384, 391; 48 U. S. C., sec. 1421d (a)), of the Organic Act of Guam is amended to read as follows: "The Governor shall receive an annual salary at the rate provided for the Governor of the Virgin Islands in the Executive Pay Act of 1949, as heretofore or hereafter amended, to be paid by the United States."

SEC. 22. The Act of August 9, 1939 (53 Stat. 1291), as amended (49 U. S. C., secs. 781-788), is further amended by adding at the end of section 8 the following new section 9:

"SEC. 9. (a) In Guam the enforcement and administration of this Act shall be performed by the Governor of Guam, acting through such officers of the Government of Guam as he may designate.

"(b) The Governor of Guam is authorized to carry out the provisions of the related laws set forth in section 4 of this Act, with such modifications as he shall deem necessary to meet special conditions on Guam; and the Governor is further authorized to make such rules and regulations as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of this Act on Guam."

SEC. 23. Paragraphs (11) and (12) of article 2 of the Uniform Code of Military Justice (64 Stat. 108, 109; 50 U. S. C., sec. 552 (11) and (12)), are amended by inserting immediately after the words "Puerto Rico," the word "Guam,".

SEC. 24. The laws of the United States relating to copyrights, and to the enforcement of rights arising thereunder, shall have the same force and effect in Guam as in the continental United States.

SEC. 25. The Library Services Act (Public Law 597, Eighty-fourth Congress, second session; 70 Stat. 293) is amended—

(a) in subsection (a) of section 4 by inserting "each to Guam and" after "\$10,000";

(b) in subsection (a) of section 6 by inserting "and of Guam" after "Virgin Islands";

(c) in subsection (c) of section 6 by inserting "Guam," after "Puerto Rico,"; and

(d) in subsection (a) of section 9 by inserting "Guam," after "Puerto Rico,".

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Hospital construction.
60 Stat. 1046.

62 Stat. 1103; 68 Stat. 462.

Congressional Record.
Free copies.
49 Stat. 1547.

Governor's salary.

63 Stat. 880.
48 USC 1405s-1.
Ante, p. 739.

Carriers of contraband articles.

Uniform Code of Military Justice.

Copyrights.

Library Services Act, amendments.