

amended (5 U. S. C., sec. 790), as though he were an employee, as defined in such Act, who had sustained such injury in the performance of such duty, but shall not receive benefits under that Act for any period for which he elects to receive similar benefits from a State agency.

63 Stat. 860.

SEC. 5. Appropriations of the Department shall be available, in accordance with Standardized Government Travel Regulations, as amended, for the expenses of travel of employees assigned to States on either a detail or leave basis, expenses of transportation of their immediate families and expenses of transportation of their household goods and personal effects to the location of the posts of assignment and for such expenses for the return of employees to their official stations, but shall not be available for expenses of travel of the employees during such period of assignment.

Travel expenses.

SEC. 6. Employees of States who are assigned to the Department under authority of this Act may (1) be given appointments in the Department covering the periods of such assignments, or (2) be considered to be on detail to the Department. Appointments of persons so assigned may be made without regard to the civil-service laws or regulations. Persons given appointment in the Department shall be paid at rates of compensation in accordance with the Classification Act of 1949, as amended. State employees who are assigned to the Department without appointment shall not be considered to be employees of the Department, except as provided in section 7, nor shall they be paid a salary or wage by the Department during the period of their detail. The supervision of the duties of such employees during the assignment may be governed by agreement between the Department and the State involved.

State employees.

63 Stat. 954.
5 USC 1071 note.

SEC. 7. (a) Any State employee who is assigned to the Department without appointment shall nevertheless be subject to the provisions of sections 281, 283, 284, 434, 1902, 1905, and 1914 of title 18 of the United States Code and section 99, title 5, of the United States Code.

62 Stat. 697, 703,
790.

(b) Any State employee who is given an appointment while assigned to the Department or who is assigned to the Department without appointment and who suffers disability or death as a result of personal injury arising out of and in the course of such assignment, or sustained in the performance of duties in connection therewith shall be treated, for the purpose of the Federal Employees' Compensation Act, as amended (5 U. S. C., sec. 790), as though he were an employee, as defined in such Act, who had sustained such injury in the performance of such duty, but shall not receive benefits under that Act for any period for which he elects to receive similar benefits as a State employee.

63 Stat. 860.

SEC. 8. The appropriations of the Department shall be available in accordance with the Standardized Government Travel Regulations, as amended, for the payment of expenses of travel of persons assigned to, but not given appointments by, the Department under authority of this Act during the periods of such assignments on the same basis as if they were employees of the Department.

Travel expenses.

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Public Law 919

CHAPTER 879

AN ACT

To further protect and assure the privacy of grand or petit juries in the courts of the United States while such juries are deliberating or voting.

August 2, 1956
[S. 2887]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That chapter 73 of

Grand or petit
juries.
62 Stat. 769.

title 18 of the United States Code is amended by adding at the end thereof the following new section :

"§ 1508. Recording, listening to, or observing proceedings of grand or petit juries while deliberating or voting

"Whoever knowingly and willfully, by any means or device whatsoever—

"(a) records, or attempts to record, the proceedings of any grand or petit jury in any court of the United States while such jury is deliberating or voting; or

"(b) listens to or observes, or attempts to listen to or observe, the proceedings of any grand or petit jury of which he is not a member in any court of the United States while such jury is deliberating or voting—

"shall be fined not more than \$1,000 or imprisoned not more than one year, or both.

"Nothing in paragraph (a) of this section shall be construed to prohibit the taking of notes by a grand or petit juror in any court of the United States in connection with and solely for the purpose of assisting him in the performance of his duties as such juror."

SEC. 2. The analysis of chapter 73 of title 18 of the United States Code is amended by adding at the end thereof the following :

"1508. Recording, listening to, or observing proceedings of grand or petit juries while deliberating or voting."

Approved August 2, 1956.

Public Law 920

CHAPTER 880

AN ACT

August 2, 1956
[S. 3779]

To amend the Act of August 27, 1954 (68 Stat. 868), with respect to the Uintah and Ouray Reservation in Utah.

Indians,
Uintah and Ouray
Tribes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 5 of the Act of August 27, 1954 (68 Stat. 868), is amended by adding at the end thereof the following sentence: "New membership in the tribe shall thereafter be controlled and determined by the constitution and bylaws of the tribe and ordinances enacted thereunder."

68 Stat. 869.

SEC. 2. Section 8 of said Act of August 27, 1954, is amended by changing the period at the end thereof to a comma and by adding the following: "but this Act shall not be construed as granting any inheritable interest in tribal assets to full-blood members of the tribe or as preventing future membership in the tribe, after the date of enactment of this Act, in the manner provided in the constitution and bylaws of the tribe."

68 Stat. 876.

SEC. 3. Section 17 of said Act of August 27, 1954, is amended as follows: After "except that" delete the word "any" and insert in lieu thereof: "any corporation organized by the mixed-blood members for the purpose of aiding in the joint management with the tribe and in the distribution of unadjudicated or unliquidated claims against the United States, all gas, oil, and mineral rights of every kind, and all other assets not susceptible to equitable and practicable distribution shall not be subject to corporate income taxes. Any".

Approved August 2, 1956.