

joint venturer shall be required to obtain a license where the annual gross receipts of the partnership, association, or joint venture in the District of Columbia were, during the prior calendar year, less than \$5,000: *And provided further*, That every person who, during any calendar year, commences as an individual, sole proprietor, partner, associate, or joint venturer, to engage in or conduct a trade, business, or profession in the District of Columbia without having so engaged in the prior calendar year, shall, within fifteen days after the date in said commencement year on which such trade, business, or profession attains gross receipts of \$5,000, make application to the Assessor, accompanied by a license fee of \$25, for the license required by this subsection for the calendar year during which the trade, business, or profession was commenced, and any person who, during the prior calendar year, although engaged in a trade, business, or profession, did not attain gross receipts of \$5,000, shall, within fifteen days after the date within the calendar year on which such trade, business, or profession attains gross receipts of \$5,000, make application to the Assessor, accompanied by a license fee of \$25, for the license required by this subsection for the calendar year during which the trade, business, or profession, attained gross receipts of \$5,000.

"No license shall be required (1) of any registered nurse or practical nurse for the purpose of engaging in or conducting a trade, business, or profession of registered nurse or practical nurse in the District of Columbia, (2) of any person licensed under chapter II, section 26, of the 'Life Insurance Act', approved June 19, 1934 (48 Stat. 1125, ch. 672; sec. 35-425, D. C. Code, 1951), for the purpose of acting within the District of Columbia for any life insurance company as a general agent, agent, or solicitor in the solicitation or procurement of applications for insurance, or (3) of any person engaged in the ministry of healing by prayer or spiritual means alone and who is a member of a church or denomination whose tenets and teachings include the practice of such healing. No officer or employee of the Government of the United States, or the government of the District of Columbia, and no individual in private or public employment who is compensated for services performed by him as an employee for his employer shall, for such employment, be required to obtain a license and, in the case of a partnership, association, or joint venture, no license shall be required of any partner, associate, or joint venturer who does not himself engage in or conduct the trade, business, or professional activities of the partnership, association, or joint venture in the District of Columbia. The license required to be obtained under the provisions of this subsection shall be in addition to all other licenses, fees, and permits required by law."

SEC. 8. The amendments made by sections 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 of this Act shall be applicable to taxable years beginning after December 31, 1956. The amendment made by section 6 of this Act shall be effective on July 1 next following the date of approval of this Act. The amendment made by section 7 of this Act shall be applicable to the calendar year 1958 and subsequent calendar years.

Approved September 4, 1957.

Public Law 85-282

AN ACT

To authorize the exchange of certain land in the State of Missouri.

September 4, 1957  
[H. R. 580]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That, notwith-*

State of Missouri.  
Conveyance.

Nurses.

Applicability.

Effective date.

Applicability.

12 Stat. 503.

standing the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act donating public lands to the several States and Territories which may provide colleges for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts", approved July 2, 1862 (7 U. S. C., secs. 301-308), the State of Missouri is authorized to convey to the United States all right, title, and interest of such State in and to any land granted to such State under authority of such Act of July 2, 1862, which is located within the exterior boundaries of the national forests situated within such State, and, in exchange therefor, the Secretary of Agriculture is authorized to convey to the State of Missouri all right, title, and interest of the United States in and to not to exceed an equal value of national forest lands (as determined by the Secretary) situated within such State.

36 Stat. 962.

SEC. 2. Any exchange authorized by the first section of this Act shall be made in accordance with the applicable provisions of section 7 of the Act of March 1, 1911, commonly referred to as the Weeks Law (16 U. S. C., sec. 516), and the applicable provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to consolidate national forest lands", approved March 20, 1922 (16 U. S. C., secs. 485 and 486).

42 Stat. 465; 43 Stat. 1090.

SEC. 3. Any land conveyed to the State of Missouri under authority of this Act shall, upon acceptance of such conveyance by such State, be held and considered to be granted to such State subject to the provisions of the Act of July 2, 1862, referred to in the first section of this Act.

Approved September 4, 1957.

Public Law 85-283

AN ACT

September 4, 1957 [S. 1996]

To approve the contract negotiated with the Casper-Alcova Irrigation District, to authorize its execution, and for other purposes.

Casper-Alcova Irrigation District, Wyo.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That, subject to the provisions of section 2 of this Act, the contract with the Casper-Alcova Irrigation District, Kendrick project, Wyoming, approved by the District Board of Commissioners on February 26, 1957, which has been negotiated by the Secretary of the Interior pursuant to subsection (a) of section 7 of the Reclamation Project Act of 1939 (53 Stat. 1192; 43 U. S. C. 485f) is hereby approved, and the Secretary is hereby authorized to execute said contract on behalf of the United States.

SEC. 2. The limitations on acreage and restrictions on delivery of water to excess lands under the Federal reclamation laws shall apply to the lands of the Kendrick project, Wyoming, except that four hundred and eighty irrigable acres shall, in this instance, be substituted for one hundred and sixty irrigable acres. The provisions of this section 2 are intended to meet the special conditions existing on the Kendrick project, Wyoming, and shall not be considered as altering the general policy of the United States with respect to the excess-land provisions of the Federal reclamation laws.

SEC. 3. The part of the cost of operation and maintenance of Seminole Dam and Reservoir and Alcova Dam and Reservoir of the Kendrick project, Wyoming, incurred by the United States for the calendar year 1958, which is properly allocable for payment by project irrigation water users, is hereby assigned to be repaid from Kendrick project power revenues.

Approved September 4, 1957.