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Public Law 91-240

AN ACT

To provide for disposition of estates of intestate members of the Cherokee, Chickasaw, Choctaw, and Seminole Nations of Oklahoma dying without heirs.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That upon the final okia. determination of a court having jurisdiction or by decision of the Secretary of the Interior after a period of five years from the death of bers. the decedent, it is determined that a member of the Cherokee, Chicka- estates. saw, Choctaw, or Seminole Nations or Tribes of Oklahoma or a person of the blood of said tribes has died intestate without heirs, owning trust or restricted Indian lands in Oklahoma or an interest therein or rents or profits therefrom, such lands, interests, or profits shall escheat to the Nation or tribe from which title to the trust or restricted Indian lands or interest therein was derived and shall be held thereafter in trust by the United States for said nation or tribe.

Approved May 7, 1970.

Public Law 91-241

AN ACT

To amend title 38, United States Code, to liberalize the conditions under which the administrator of Veterans' Affairs is required to effect recoupment from disability compensation otherwise payable to certain disabled veterans.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That chapter 11 of title 38, United States Code, is amended by adding the following new 76 Stat. 406. section at the end thereof:

"§ 361. Payment of disability compensation in disability severance cases

"The deduction of disability severance pay from disability compensation, as required by section 1212(c) of title 10, United States Code, shall be made at a monthly rate not in excess of the rate of compensation to which the former member would be entitled based on the degree of his disability as determined on the initial Veterans' Administration rating."

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AN ACT

To extend for four years the period of time during which certain requirements shall continue to apply with respect to applications for a license for an activity which may affect the resources of the Hudson Riverway, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 5 of the way. Act of September 26, 1966 (Public Law 89-605; 80 Stat. 848), is amended by striking out "three years after the date of this Act" and ments, exteninserting in lieu thereof "seven years after the date of this Act".

SEC. 2. Section 3 of such Act of September 26, 1966 (Public Law sion. 89-605; 80 Stat. 848), is amended by striking out "July 1, 1968" and inserting in lieu thereof "July 1, 1970, and annually thereafter,".

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Veterans. 72 Stat. 1117; 38 USC 301-360.

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