

(3) inserting, immediately after the third paragraph thereof, the following new paragraph:

Claims. "Claims of the type described in the first section of the Act entitled 'An Act to provide for the prompt settlement of claims for damages occasioned by Army, Navy, and Marine Corps forces in foreign countries', approved January 2, 1942 (55 Stat. 880, as amended; 31 U. S. C. 224d), on account of damage to or loss or destruction of property both real and personal, or personal injury or death of any person, arising on or after the date of the enactment of this paragraph and caused by the negligent or wrongful act or omission of any officer or civilian employee of the Commission while acting within the scope of his office or employment, may be considered, ascertained, adjusted, determined, and paid in the manner provided in such Act for the settlement of Army claims, except that in such cases one or more officers or employees of the Commission may be appointed by the Secretary of the Army to a claims commission or commissions or as officers to approve settlements of claims made by such commission or commissions, and all payments in settlement of such claims shall be made out of appropriations made for the purposes of this Act."

57 Stat. 66.

Approved July 25, 1956.

Public Law 793

CHAPTER 722

July 25, 1956
[S. 3180]

AN ACT

To amend title 28 of the United States Code to authorize the appointment of two United States commissioners for Cumberland Gap National Historical Park.

Cumberland Gap
National Historical
Park.
62 Stat. 916.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 631 (a) of title 28 of the United States Code is amended by inserting after the third paragraph of such section the following new paragraph:

"Two United States commissioners may be appointed for Cumberland Gap National Historical Park. One, whose jurisdiction shall be limited to the portion of the park situated in Kentucky, shall be appointed by the District Court for the Eastern District of Kentucky; the other, whose jurisdiction shall be limited to the portion of the park situated in Tennessee and Virginia, shall be appointed by joint action of the District Courts for the Eastern District of Tennessee and the Western District of Virginia."

Approved July 25, 1956.

Public Law 794

CHAPTER 723

July 25, 1956
[S. 3397]

AN ACT

To amend section 3 of the Act of May 19, 1947 (ch. 80, 61 Stat. 102), as amended, for the purpose of extending the time in which payments are to be made to members of the Shoshone Tribe and the Arapahoe Tribe of the Wind River Reservation in Wyoming, and for other purposes.

Indians.
Shoshone and
Arapahoe Tribes.25 USC 613.
Per capita pay-
ments.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 3 of the Act entitled "An Act to authorize the segregation and expenditure of trust funds held in joint ownership by the Shoshone and Arapahoe Tribes of the Wind River Reservation", approved May 19, 1947 (ch. 80, 61 Stat. 102), as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows: "SEC. 3. Notwithstanding any other provision of existing law, the trust funds credited to the Shoshone Tribe and the Arapahoe Tribe,

respectively, under the provisions of this Act shall be available for expenditure or for advance to the tribe for such purposes as may be requested by the tribal council and approved by the Secretary of the Interior or such official as may be designated by him: *Provided*, That commencing with the quarterly period beginning April 1, 1956, 85 per centum of all sums credited to said trust funds during the period ending May 19, 1959, shall be paid on the first day of September, the first day of December, the first day of March, and the first day of June each year, per capita, to the individual members of said tribes: *Provided further*, That said per capita payments shall not be subject to any lien or claim of any nature against any of the members of said tribes unless the tribal council of such member shall consent thereto in writing, except as to reimbursable Treasury loans made to individual members of either tribe which may be due to the United States, and except as to irrigation charges owed by individual Indians to the United States with respect to lands for which water is requested and received by said individual Indians, and with respect to lands that are determined by the Secretary of the Interior to be properly classified under existing law on the basis of a survey to be undertaken by the Secretary after the date of the enactment of this Act: *Provided further*, That nothing in this Act shall be construed to limit the existing authority of the Secretary to protect and conserve the per capita funds payable to members of the tribes who are minors, non compos mentis, or who, in the opinion of the Secretary, are in need of assistance in conducting their affairs."

SEC. 2. As a basis for determining the conditions under which per capita payments may be authorized after May 19, 1959, the Secretary of the Interior is requested to report to the Congress before January 1, 1958, (1) his recommendations regarding any new authority, if any, that he believes is needed in order to protect adequately the interests of minors and incompetent Indians, (2) the results of a survey and reclassification of the lands that should be removed from the irrigation project, and (3) the adequacy of the tribal contribution to the cost of administering the reservation.

Approved July 25, 1956.

Report to Congress.

Public Law 795

CHAPTER 724

AN ACT

To amend the District of Columbia Unemployment Compensation Act so as to extend the coverage of such Act to employees of the municipal government of the District of Columbia employed in District of Columbia institutions located in Maryland and Virginia.

July 25, 1956
[H. R. 10670]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 1 (b) (8) of the District of Columbia Unemployment Compensation Act, approved August 28, 1935 (49 Stat. 946), as amended (title 46, ch. 3, D. C. Code; 68 Stat. 988), is amended by adding at the end thereof the following subsection:

D. C., unemployment compensation.

"(iii) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection 1 (b) (2) of this Act, service performed in the employ of the municipal government of the District of Columbia but not localized within the District may, if said government elects, be covered employment."

D. C. Code 46-301.

SEC. 2. This amendatory Act shall take effect as of 12:01 antemeridian on the first day of the next succeeding calendar quarter following the enactment of this amendatory Act.

Effective date.

Approved July 25, 1956.