

UNITED STATES HOUSING CORPORATION

Salaries and expenses: For officers, clerks, and other employees, and for contingent and miscellaneous expenses, in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, including blank books, maps, stationery, file cases, towels, ice, brooms, soap, freight and express charges, communication service, travel expense, printing and binding not to exceed \$150, and all other miscellaneous items and expenses not included in the foregoing and necessary to collect and account for the receipts from the sale of properties and the receipts from the operation of unsold properties of the United States Housing Corporation, the Bureau of Industrial Housing and Transportation, property commandeered by the United States through the Secretary of Labor, and to collect the amounts advanced to transportation facilities and others; for payment of special assessments and other utility, municipal, State, and county charges or assessments unpaid by purchasers, and which have been assessed against property in which the United States Housing Corporation has an interest, and to defray expenses incident to foreclosing mortgages, conducting sales under deeds of trusts, or reacquiring title or possession of real property under default proceeding, including attorney fees, witness fees, court costs, charges, and other miscellaneous expenses; for the maintenance and repair of houses, buildings, and improvements which are unsold; in all, \$9,080: *Provided*, That no person shall be employed hereunder at a rate of compensation exceeding \$4,000 per annum, and only one person may be employed at that rate: *Provided further*, That no part of the appropriations heretofore made and available for expenditure by the United States Housing Corporation shall be expended for the purposes for which appropriations are made herein.

SEC. 2. That no part of the money appropriated under this Act shall be paid to any person for the filling of any position for which he or she has been nominated after the Senate has voted not to approve of the nomination of said person.

This title may be cited as the "Department of Labor Appropriation Act, 1935."

Approved, April 7, 1934.

United States Housing Corporation.

Salaries and expenses.

Printing and binding.

Proviso.
Salary restriction.

Prior appropriations not available.

Restriction on expenditure of appropriations.

Short title.

[CHAPTER 105.]

AN ACT

To amend section 3702, Revised Statutes.

April 9, 1934.
[S. 1528.]

[Public, No. 144.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 3702 of the Revised Statutes is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following paragraphs:

"(2) Whenever it appears to the Secretary of the Treasury by clear and unequivocal proof that any interest-bearing bond of the United States, fully identified by number and description, has, without bad faith on the part of the owner, been lost to such owner under such circumstances and for such period of time after it has matured or has become redeemable pursuant to a call for redemption as in the judgment of the Secretary would indicate that it had been destroyed or irretrievably lost, is not held by any person as his own property, and will not be presented by a bona fide holder for value, the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized to make payment of the amount which would have been due on such bond had it been presented at the time it became due and payable. But no payment shall be made on account of interest represented by coupons claimed to have been attached to a missing coupon bond at the time of its loss

United States interest-bearing bonds.
R.S., sec. 3702, p. 731; U.S.C., p. 1024, amended.

Payment to owner of lost bond, authorized.

Conditions.

Interest payment.

or destruction, unless the Secretary of the Treasury is satisfied that such coupons have not been paid and are in fact destroyed or can never be made the basis of a claim against the United States: *Provided*, That where relief is authorized under the provisions of this paragraph the bond of indemnity required by section 3703 of the Revised Statutes shall be in a penal sum of double the amount to be paid and shall be executed by an approved corporate surety. The Secretary of the Treasury is further authorized to make from time to time such regulations and restrictions as he may prescribe with respect to the administration of this paragraph.

“(3) The term ‘bond’ wherever used in this section and in sections 3703, 3704, and 3705 of the Revised Statutes shall be deemed, for the purposes of these sections, to include any interest-bearing obligation of the United States or those issued on a discount basis.”

Approved, April 9, 1934.

[CHAPTER 106.]

AN ACT

To extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Randolph, Missouri.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the times for commencing and completing the construction of the bridge across the Missouri River at or near Randolph, Missouri, authorized to be built by The Kansas City Southern Railway Company, its successors and assigns, by the Act of Congress approved May 24, 1928, heretofore extended by Acts of Congress approved March 1, 1929, May 14, 1930, February 6, 1931, and May 6, 1932, and January 19, 1933, are hereby further extended two and four years, respectively, from May 24, 1934.

SEC. 2. The right to alter, amend, or repeal this Act is hereby expressly reserved.

Approved, April 9, 1934.

[CHAPTER 107.]

AN ACT

Granting the consent of Congress to the State of Minnesota, and Scott County and Carver County, in the State of Minnesota, to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across the Minnesota River at or near Jordan, Minnesota.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the consent of Congress is hereby granted to the State of Minnesota, and Scott County and Carver County, in the State of Minnesota, to construct, maintain, and operate a free bridge and approaches thereto across the Minnesota River, at a point suitable to the interests of navigation, at or near Jordan, Minnesota, in accordance with the provisions of an Act entitled “An Act to regulate the construction of bridges over navigable waters”, approved March 23, 1906.

SEC. 2. The right to alter, amend, or repeal this Act is hereby expressly reserved.

Approved, April 9, 1934.

Proviso.
Indemnity bond required.
R.S., sec. 3703, p. 731;
U.S.C., p. 1024.

Administrative rules authorized.

“Bond” defined.

April 9, 1934.
[S. 2308.]
[Public, No. 145.]

Missouri River.
Time extended for bridging, at Randolph, Mo.
Vol. 45, pp. 729, 1431;
Vol. 46, pp. 323, 1064;
Vol. 47, pp. 149, 772,
amended.

Amendment.

April 9, 1934.
[S. 2662.]
[Public, No. 146.]

Minnesota River.
Minnesota may bridge, at Jordan;

Construction.
Vol. 34, p. 84.

Amendment.