JOINT RESOLUTION

To terminate certain emergency and war powers.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following statutory provisions are hereby repealed:

Act of June 10, 1942 (56 Stat. 351);
Section 207, title II, Act of September 21, 1944 (58 Stat. 736);
Act of March 5, 1940 (54 Stat. 45), as amended;
Section 609, Act of July 1, 1944 (58 Stat. 714, ch. 373);
Act of October 1, 1942 (56 Stat. 763, ch. 573);
Sections 2, 3, and 4, Act of July 8, 1942 (56 Stat. 649);
Act of April 16, 1943 (57 Stat. 65), as amended;
Act of September 29, 1943 (56 Stat. 760);
Section 61 (b) of the National Defense Act of June 3, 1916, as added by the Act of June 26, 1944 (58 Stat. 359, ch. 279);
Section 21 of the Act of February 16, 1914 (38 Stat. 289);
Act of January 15, 1942 (56 Stat. 5, ch. 3);
Act of June 3, 1941 (55 Stat. 238, ch. 162), as amended;
The provision in the Act of June 11, 1940, making appropriations for the Navy Department for the fiscal year 1941, under the heading "Bureau of Supplies and Accounts, Pay, Subsistence, and Transportation of Naval Personnel", prohibiting the payment of active-duty pay and allowances to retired officers except during the war or national emergency (54 Stat. 265, 275);
The provision in the Act of February 7, 1942 (56 Stat. 68), under the heading "Marine Corps—Pay of officers, active list", relating to the availability of funds for the payment of active-duty pay to retired officers;
Section 2 of the Act of February 15, 1879 (20 Stat. 295);
Act of May 29, 1915 (59 Stat. 226, ch. 137);
The provisions under the headings "Bureau of Engineering" and "Bureau of Construction and Repair", in the Act of June 11, 1940 (54 Stat. 293), authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to exceed the statutory limit on repair and alterations to vessels commissioned or converted to meet the existing emergency;
Act of November 29, 1940 (54 Stat. 1219, ch. 923), as extended by the Act of May 15, 1945 (59 Stat. 168, ch. 127);
The proviso of the Act of February 7, 1942 (56 Stat. 68), that no officer of the Navy or Marine Corps who has been or hereafter may be adjudged fitted shall be involuntarily retired prior to six months subsequent to the termination of the existing national emergency;
Act of December 2, 1944 (58 Stat. 793);
Act of February 21, 1942 (56 Stat. 97, ch. 107);
Act of April 9, 1943 (57 Stat. 61, ch. 40);
The proviso of the Act of June 26, 1940 (54 Stat. 599), under the heading "Council of National Defense", that until such time as the President shall declare the present emergency at an end the head of any department or independent establishment of the Government, notwithstanding the provisions of existing law, may employ, with the approval of the President, any person of outstanding experience and ability at a compensation of $1 per annum;
The provision of the Act of July 2, 1942 (56 Stat. 548), as amended, which permits the Secretary of the Interior, or any official to whom he may delegate such authority, to appoint, without regard to the Classification Act of 1923, as amended, skilled and unskilled laborers, mechanics, and other persons engaged in a recognized trade or craft, including foremen of such groups;
Act of December 22, 1942 (56 Stat. 1070, ch. 801);
The provisions under the headings "Department of Agriculture, Surplus Marketing Administration", and "Department of the Interior, Government in the Territories", contained in the Act of December 23, 1941 (55 Stat. 856–857);
Section 301 of the Act of September 9, 1940 (54 Stat. 884), as amended;
The provision in the First Deficiency Appropriation Act of 1942, under the heading "Selective Service System", relating to the presentation of quarterly reports to the Postmaster General (56 Stat. 101);
Act of July 9, 1943 (57 Stat. 390, ch. 209);
Section 5 of the Act of June 28, 1944 (58 Stat. 394);
The provision in the Interior Department Appropriation Act, 1945, under the heading "Water conservation and utilization projects", relating to the use of the services or labor of prisoners of war, enemy aliens, and American-born Japanese (58 Stat. 463, 491);
Section 6 (b) of the Act of March 11, 1941 (55 Stat. 33), as amended;
Section 19 of the Act of February 26, 1944 (58 Stat. 104);
The provision of section 8 (b) of the Act of July 30, 1941 (55 Stat. 611), as amended, conferring certain authority upon the President;
Act of December 17, 1941 (55 Stat. 808, ch. 588), as amended;
Section 606 (b) of the Communications Act of 1934, added by the Act of December 29, 1942 (56 Stat. 1096);
Act of April 29, 1942 (56 Stat. 265, ch. 266);
Act of May 14, 1940 (54 Stat. 216, ch. 201), as amended;
Act of June 11, 1940 (54 Stat. 396, ch. 327), as amended;
Act of June 29, 1940 (54 Stat. 689, ch. 447), as amended;
Act of October 10, 1940 (54 Stat. 1092, ch. 838), as amended;
Act of May 2, 1941 (55 Stat. 148), as amended;
Act of July 14, 1941 (55 Stat. 591, ch. 297), as amended;
Section 3 (i) of the Act of March 24, 1943 (57 Stat. 45, 51);
Section 1 of the Act of April 24, 1944 (58 Stat. 216), except that any suspension of the statute of limitations heretofore provided for in an agreement entered into under the authority of such section shall continue in effect for the period provided in such agreement, but in no case longer than two years after the date of enactment of this joint resolution;
Act of April 11, 1942 (56 Stat. 217);
Section 3 of the Act of July 11, 1941 (55 Stat. 585);
Act of November 23, 1942 (56 Stat. 1020), as amended;
Act of October 29, 1942 (56 Stat. 1012);
Section 303 of the Act of December 18, 1941 (55 Stat. 840);
Section 12 of the Act of June 11, 1942 (56 Stat. 357), except that outstanding certificates issued thereunder shall continue in effect for a period of six months from the date of enactment of this joint resolution unless sooner revoked;
Act of July 12, 1943 (57 Stat. 520);
Act of June 5, 1942 (56 Stat. 323, ch. 346);
Act of January 2, 1942 (55 Stat. 881, ch. 616);
Act of December 24, 1942 (56 Stat. 1089, ch. 812);
Act of July 8, 1943 (57 Stat. 390, ch. 200);
The provisions of the Act of November 19, 1941 (55 Stat. 765), as amended, relating to the availability for obligation of funds appropriated pursuant to said Act, as amended, except that such funds shall remain available for the completion of access road projects which are now under construction.
SEC. 2. Notwithstanding the termination date or termination period heretofore provided therefor by law, the following statutory provisions are repealed effective upon the date hereinafter specified, or upon the expiration of the period hereinafter specified, and shall remain in full force and effect until such date or until the expiration of such period. Such statutory provisions are hereby amended accordingly:

a. Repeal effective July 1, 1948:
   Act of July 8, 1941 (55 Stat. 379, ch. 278), and the Act of June 22, 1943 (57 Stat. 161, ch. 127);
   Section 2 of the Act of November 17, 1941 (55 Stat. 764);
   Act of July 1, 1943 (57 Stat. 371), and the Act of May 14, 1942 (56 Stat. 278), as amended;
   Act of September 22, 1941 (55 Stat. 728, ch. 414), as amended:
   Provided, however, That so long as the Secretary of War deems it necessary in the interest of national defense, each man who completed a course of medical instruction at Government expense in a university, college or other similar institution of learning, pursuant to the provisions of the Act of February 6, 1942 (56 Stat. 50, ch. 40), as amended, shall not be relieved from active duty until the completion of two years of active service as a commissioned officer, exclusive of any periods during which he served as an interne;
   The provision in the Second Supplemental National Defense Appropriation Act, 1943, under the heading "Federal Works Agency, Public Buildings Administration", relating to the authority of the Commissioner of Public Buildings to designate employees as special policemen (56 Stat. 990, 1000);

b. Repeal effective six months after the date of enactment of this joint resolution:
   Act of January 27, 1942 (56 Stat. 19, ch. 21, as amended);
   Section 610 (c) of the Act of July 1, 1944 (58 Stat. 682, 714);
   Act of October 10, 1942 (56 Stat. 780, ch. 588);
   Act of June 28, 1944 (56 Stat. 463, ch. 297);

c. Repeal effective one year after the date of enactment of this joint resolution:
   Section 605 (c) of the Act of July 1, 1944 (58 Stat. 682, 713).

SEC. 3. In the interpretation of the following statutory provisions, the date when this joint resolution becomes effective shall be deemed to be the date of the termination of any state of war heretofore declared by the Congress and of the national emergencies proclaimed by the President on September 8, 1939, and on May 27, 1941;
   Act of July 1, 1941 (55 Stat. 498, as amended);
   Act of February 28, 1945 (59 Stat. 9, ch. 15);
   Section 86 of the Act of June 3, 1916 (39 Stat. 204);
   Act of July 2, 1917 (40 Stat. 241), as amended;
   Section 16 of the Act of June 10, 1920 (41 Stat. 1072);
   Act of February 26, 1925 (43 Stat. 984, ch. 340);
   Act of April 12, 1926 (44 Stat. 241);
   Act of May 29, 1926 (44 Stat. 677, ch. 424);
   Section 20 of the Act of May 18, 1933 (48 Stat. 68).

The provision of the Act of May 15, 1936 (49 Stat. 1292), which authorizes the United States to control and operate the Little Rock Municipal Airport without rental or other charge in time of national emergency;
   Act of May 27, 1936 (49 Stat. 1387);
   Provisions authorizing the assumption of possession and control of the areas specified in the following statutes or parts of statutes:
Section 3 of the Act of June 21, 1938 (52 Stat. 834); Act of June 20, 1936 (49 Stat. 1557, ch. 636); Act of August 19, 1937 (50 Stat. 696, ch. 697); section 4 of the Act of February 28, 1933 (47 Stat. 1368); Act of December 26, 1941 (55 Stat. 683, ch. 633); Act of January 26, 1942 (56 Stat. 19); Section 120 of the Act of June 3, 1916 (39 Stat. 213, 214); Provision of Naval Appropriation Act for the fiscal year 1917 (Act of August 29, 1916, 39 Stat. 602), under the heading “Lighthouse Service”, authorizing the President to transfer vessels, equipment, stations, and personnel of the Lighthouse Service (now Coast Guard under Reorganization Plan Numbered II) to the jurisdiction of the Navy or War Department; Section 16 of the Act of May 22, 1917 (40 Stat. 87); Provision of chapter XVIII of the Act of July 9, 1918 (40 Stat. 892), as amended by the Act of November 21, 1941 (55 Stat. 781, ch. 499), extending the time for examination of accounts of Army disbursing officers; Section 69 of the National Defense Act of June 3, 1916, as amended by section 7 of the Act of June 15, 1933 (48 Stat. 156); The provision authorizing the extension of enlistments in the Regular Army or the Enlisted Reserve Corps, in force at the outbreak of war or entered into during its continuation, for six months after its termination, contained in the Act of March 15, 1940 (54 Stat. 53, ch. 61); Act of May 14, 1940 (54 Stat. 213); Section 2 of the Act of December 13, 1941 (55 Stat. 799, ch. 571); Chapter II, articles 2 (d), 48, 58, 59, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 104, and 119 of the Act of June 4, 1920 (41 Stat. 759, ch. 227); Paragraph 3 of section 127a as added to the Act of June 3, 1916 (39 Stat. 166), by section 51 of the Act of June 4, 1920 (41 Stat. 759, ch. 227); Revised Statutes, 1166; The fourth proviso of section 18 of the Act of February 2, 1901 (31 Stat. 748, ch. 192); Provision of the Act of July 9, 1918 (40 Stat. 861), making appropriations for the Army for the fiscal year 1919, under the heading “Barracks and Quarters”, authorizing the Secretary of War to rent or lease buildings in the District of Columbia necessary for military purposes; Section 111 of the Act of June 3, 1916 (39 Stat. 211), as amended; Section 363 of title III of the Act of July 1, 1944 (58 Stat. 682, ch. 373); Act of December 26, 1941 (55 Stat. 682, ch. 629), as amended by the Act of December 23, 1944 (ch. 720, 58 Stat. 925); Act of February 20, 1942 (56 Stat. 94); Provision of Naval Appropriation Act for the fiscal year 1917 (Act of August 29, 1916, 39 Stat. 581), under heading “Officers for Engineering Duty Only”, authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to recall to active duty enlisted men on furlough without pay to complete the enlistment period; Act of August 18, 1941 (55 Stat. 629); Section 2 of the Act of December 13, 1941 (55 Stat. 799, ch. 570); Revised Statutes, 1420, as amended by section 2 of the Act of January 20, 1944 (58 Stat. 4, ch. 2); Provision of the Act of August 29, 1916 (39 Stat. 614), which authorizes Marine Corps training camps for the instruction of citizens to be in existence for a period longer than six weeks in each fiscal year in time of actual or threatened war;
Revised Statutes, 1624, article 4, paragraphs 6, 7, 12-20, and article 5;
Act of March 22, 1943 (57 Stat. 41);
Revised Statutes, 1462-1464;
Provision of the Naval Appropriation Act for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1917 (Act of August 29, 1916, 39 Stat. 591), under the heading "Fleet Naval Reserve", authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to call retired enlisted men into active service;
Provisions contained in the Act of July 1, 1918 (40 Stat. 717), as amended (14 U. S. C. 164, 165), which authorize commissioned or warrant officers on the retired list to be ordered to active duty and to be temporarily advanced on the retired list, so far as such provisions pertain to personnel of the Coast Guard;
Act of April 8, 1946 (Public Law 337, Seventy-ninth Congress);
Section 4 (c) of the Act of August 10, 1946 (Public Law 720, Seventy-ninth Congress);
Revised Statutes, 1436;
First proviso of section 18 of the Act of May 22, 1917 (40 Stat. 84, 89);
Act of October 6, 1917 (40 Stat. 398, ch. 93), as amended;
Section 11 (c) of the Act of June 23, 1938 (52 Stat. 948);
Act of June 17, 1943 (57 Stat. 156, ch. 128);
Section 10 of the Act of August 2, 1946 (Public Law 604, Seventy-ninth Congress);
Provisions of the Act of March 4, 1917 (39 Stat. 1192-1193); the Act of May 13, 1942 (56 Stat. 277, ch. 304); sections 3 and 4 of the Act of July 9, 1942 (56 Stat. 656); the Act of June 17, 1943 (57 Stat. 156, ch. 128); the Act of June 26, 1943 (57 Stat. 209); and the Act of May 31, 1944 (58 Stat. 265, ch. 218), which authorize the President or the Secretary of the Navy to acquire, through construction or conversion, ships, landing craft and other vessels;
Section 10 of the Act of May 14, 1930 (46 Stat. 329, 332);
Act of May 29, 1930 (46 Stat. 479, ch. 350);
Section 7 of the Act of April 26, 1898 (30 Stat. 365);
Act of March 7, 1942 (56 Stat. 143-148, ch. 166), as amended;
Sections 3 and 12 of the Act of February 21, 1946 (Public Law 305, Seventy-ninth Congress);
Section 1 of the Act of July 20, 1942 (56 Stat. 662, ch. 508), as amended;
Act of December 17, 1942 (56 Stat. 1056, ch. 763);
Act of March 17, 1916 (39 Stat. 36, ch. 46);
Act of April 11, 1898 (30 Stat. 737);
Act of March 3, 1925 (43 Stat. 1109, 1110);
Section 1 of the Act of July 2, 1940 (54 Stat. 724, ch. 516);
Section 4 of the Act of July 7, 1943 (57 Stat. 388);
Act of May 18, 1946 (Public Law 385, Seventy-ninth Congress); Section 2 of the Act of August 8, 1946 (Public Law 697, Seventy-ninth Congress);
Section 4 (b) of the Act of July 2, 1940 (54 Stat. 712, 714);
Act of December 17, 1942 (56 Stat. 1052);
Section 3 of the Act of June 27, 1944 (58 Stat. 387, ch. 287);
Act of December 23, 1944 (58 Stat. 926, ch. 726);
Section 1 of the Act of December 7, 1945 (59 Stat. 603, 604);
Act of December 10, 1942 (56 Stat. 1045);
Act of December 26, 1941 (55 Stat. 858), as amended, except that the Commissioners of the District of Columbia may continue to exercise the authority under sections 7 and 9 of such Act, as amended, until not later than June 30, 1948, and the provisions of sections 11 and 12 of such Act, as amended, shall continue to apply to cases in which the authority under sections 7 and 9 is exercised;
Proviso of section 303 (c) of the Act of October 14, 1940, as added by the Act of February 18, 1946 (Public Law 301, Seventy-ninth Congress);

Sections 500 (a) and 507 of the Act of June 22, 1944 (58 Stat. 291, ch. 268), as amended;

Section 201 of the Act of August 10, 1946 (Public Law 719, Seventy-ninth Congress);

Section 700 (a) of the Act of June 22, 1944 (58 Stat. 295);

Section 2 of the Act of October 22, 1914 (38 Stat. 765, ch. 334);

Act of July 31, 1914 (38 Stat. 800-801), as amended;

Provision of Naval Appropriation Act for the fiscal year 1917 (Act of August 29, 1916, 39 Stat. 600), under heading “Coast Guard”, subjecting personnel of the Coast Guard operating as part of the Navy to the laws governing the Navy;

Title II of the Act of February 19, 1941 (55 Stat. 11), as amended;

Act of December 16, 1941 (55 Stat. 807, ch. 586);

Provisions appearing under the heading “Limitations upon Prosecutions”, relating to crimes committed two years before arraignment, except for desertion committed in time of war, of the Act of June 4, 1920 (41 Stat. 794);