

nated the Office of Civilian Defense and abolished the functions of the Office and its Director. See section 5195 et seq. of Title 42, The Public Health and Welfare.

Section 741, act Jan. 27, 1942, ch. 20, §1, 56 Stat. 19, related to provision by the Director of Civilian Defense of protection from bombing attacks and other war hazards.

Section 742, act Jan. 27, 1942, ch. 20, §2, 56 Stat. 19, related to unlawful use of insignia prescribed by the Director of Civilian Defense and interference by the Director of Civilian Defense or his agents with local districts or officials.

DECORATIONS, ETC., FOR MERCHANT MARINE

JOINT RES. APR. 11, 1942, CH. 241, 56 STAT. 217

§§ 751, 752. Repealed. July 25, 1947, ch. 327, § 1, 61 Stat. 449

Section 751, act Apr. 11, 1942, ch. 241, 56 Stat. 217, related to medals for outstanding conduct or service by persons serving in the merchant marines on or after Sept. 3, 1939.

Section 752, act Apr. 11, 1942, ch. 241, 56 Stat. 217, related to use of rosettes or other devices, number of medals to be issued, awards for repeated distinguished service, and posthumous award of medals.

ACT MAY 10, 1943, CH. 96, 57 STAT. 81

§§ 753 to 753f. Repealed. July 24, 1956, ch. 671, § 5(a)(1), 70 Stat. 606, eff. July 1, 1954

Section 753, act May 10, 1943, ch. 96, §1, 57 Stat. 81, related to seamen's service and war zone insignias and the persons eligible therefor.

Section 753a, act May 10, 1943, ch. 96, §2, 57 Stat. 81, related to seamen's honor bar and to persons eligible therefor.

Section 753b, act May 10, 1943, ch. 96, §3, 57 Stat. 82, related to a medal for seamen wounded, physically injured, or suffering from dangerous exposure from acts of enemy.

Section 753c, act May 10, 1943, ch. 96, §4, 57 Stat. 82, related to conditions for eligibility of awards, limitation and termination of awards, and posthumous awards.

Section 753d, act May 10, 1943, ch. 96, §5, 57 Stat. 82, related to seamen's service flag and lapel button and persons entitled to display it.

Section 753e, act May 10, 1943, ch. 96, §6, 57 Stat. 82, related to rules and regulations and expenditures of funds.

Section 753f, act May 10, 1943, ch. 96, §7, as added July 31, 1945, ch. 337, 59 Stat. 511; amended Aug. 7, 1946, ch. 786, 60 Stat. 884, prescribed regulations governing manufacture, sale, possession, or display of awards and decorations, and penalties for violations.

See sections 249 to 249c of Title 46, Appendix, Shipping.

REPLACEMENT OF AWARDS, MEDALS, AND DECORATIONS

Section 5(b) of act July 24, 1956, which authorized the Secretary of Commerce, notwithstanding the repeal of sections 753 to 753f, 754 to 754b, and 1471 to 1475 of this Appendix, under such rules and regulations as he may from time to time prescribe, to make replacements at cost or permit replacements at reasonable prices by persons authorized by him of the awards, medals, decorations, or other articles issued under such sections, if lost, destroyed, or rendered unfit for use, without fault or neglect on the part of the owner, was repealed by Pub. L. 100-324, §9, May 30, 1988, 102 Stat. 577. See section 2004(c) of Title 46, Appendix, Shipping.

ACT AUG. 8, 1946, CH. 918, 60 STAT. 960

§§ 754 to 754b. Repealed. July 24, 1956, ch. 671, § 5(a)(2), 70 Stat. 606, eff. July 1, 1954

Section 754, act Aug. 8, 1946, ch. 918, §1, 60 Stat. 960, provided for award of service medals and honorable discharge buttons (including posthumous award) to officers and crew in merchant marine who served honorably in a war zone for thirty days between Dec. 7, 1941, and Sept. 3, 1945, and who were entitled to a certificate of substantially continuous service between May 1, 1940 and July 25, 1947, pursuant to regulations prescribed by Maritime Commission.

Section 754a, act Aug. 8, 1946, ch. 918, §2, 60 Stat. 960, authorized funds required to make awards of service medals and honorable discharge buttons pursuant to sections 754 to 754b of this Appendix.

Section 754b, act Aug. 8, 1946, ch. 918, §3, 60 Stat. 960, related to regulations governing manufacture, sale, or use of decorations, and the penalties for violation.

REPLACEMENT OF AWARDS, MEDALS, AND DECORATIONS

For replacement of awards, medals, and decorations, see section 2004(c) of Title 46, Appendix, Shipping.

USE OF PUBLIC LANDS FOR WAR PURPOSES

ACT JUNE 5, 1942, CH. 346, 56 STAT. 323

§§ 756 to 759. Repealed. July 25, 1947, ch. 327, § 1, 61 Stat. 449

Section 756, act June 5, 1942, ch. 346, §1, 56 Stat. 323, provided for lease or sale of vacant public lands withdrawn or reserved under certain Executive Orders or within a grazing district for use in connection with manufacture of arms, etc.

Section 757, act June 5, 1942, ch. 346, §2, 56 Stat. 323, provided that lessee's interest in public lands leased under sections 756 to 759 should be taxable by States and political subdivisions thereof.

Section 758, act June 5, 1942, ch. 346, §3, 56 Stat. 323, provided for rules and regulations.

Section 759, act June 5, 1942, ch. 346, §4, 56 Stat. 323, provided a termination date for sections 756 to 759 of this Appendix.

MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS AFFECTING MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT

ACT JUNE 5, 1942, CH. 340, 56 STAT. 314

§§ 761, 762. Omitted

CODIFICATION

Sections 761 and 762 were omitted as terminated pursuant to section 776 of this Appendix.

Section 761, act June 5, 1942, ch. 340, §1, 56 Stat. 314, authorized Secretary of War to provide for entertainment and instruction of enlisted personnel and employment of interns in the Medical Department at not to exceed \$720 per annum. See Continuation of Section 761 note set out below.

Section 762, act June 5, 1942, ch. 340, §2, 56 Stat. 314, suspended all provisions of law existing on June 5, 1942, limiting the strength of any branch of the Army, the number of aviation cadets in the Army Air Corps, the number of assistant superintendents of the Army Nurse Corps, the number and grade of reserve officers who might be ordered to extended active duty, and the number of officers of the Army who might be required to participate in aerial flights. Such strength limitations were superseded by section 452 of this Appendix and sections 3201, 3205, 3213, 3222, 3223, 3225 [see 522, 12002, and 12008] of Title 10, Armed Forces. Appointments as assistant superintendents of the Army Nurse Corps have ceased to exist under section 1667 of former Title