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EXECUTIVE ORDER

PROVIDING FOR THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE ACT ENTITLED "AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE PRESIDENT TO REQUISITION CERTAIN ARTICLES AND MATERIALS FOR THE USE OF THE UNITED STATES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

Under and by virtue of the authority vested in me by the act of Congress entitled "AN ACT To authorize the President to requisition certain articles and materials for the use of the United States, and for other purposes", approved October 10, 1940, and as President of the United States, it is hereby ordered as follows:

(1) The Secretary of War and the Secretary of the Navy, acting jointly through the Army and Navy Munitions Board, shall make determination as to the necessity of requisitioning and taking over in the interest of national defense for the use or operation by the United States or in its interest any military or naval equipment or munitions, or component parts thereof, or machinery, tools, or materials, or supplies necessary for the manufacture, servicing, or operation thereof, within the purview of the said act of October 10, 1940.

(2) The provisions of the said act of October 10, 1940, relating to the sale or other disposition of any articles or materials requisitioned and taken over pursuant to the said act and to the determination whether the sale or disposition of any such articles or materials is in the public interest shall be administered by the Secretary of War and the Secretary of the Navy acting jointly through the Army and Navy Munitions Board.

(3) The provisions of the said act of October 10, 1940, other than those mentioned in paragraphs (1) and (2) hereof shall be administered by the Administrator of Export Control under regulations to be prescribed from time to time

by the President in the interest of national defense.

FRANKLIN D ROOSEVELT

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EXECUTIVE ORDER

ESTABLISHING THE ST. LAWRENCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE AND PROVIDING FOR A PRELIMINARY INVESTIGATION OF INTERNATIONAL RAPIDS SECTION, ST. LAWRENCE RIVER

By virtue of the authority vested in me by the act entitled "An Act making appropriations for the Navy Department and the Naval Service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1941, and for other purposes", approved June 11, 1940 (Pub. No. 588, 76th Cong.), and by the Military Appropriation Act, 1941, approved June 13, 1940 (Pub. No. 611, 76th Cong.), and as President of the United States, and in order to provide for emergencies affecting the national security and defense, it is hereby ordered as follows:

1. There is hereby established the St. Lawrence Advisory Committee, consisting of Leland Olds, Chairman of the Federal Power Commission, as chairman; A. A. Berle, Assistant Secretary of State; Brigadier General Thomas M. Robins of the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors, Corps of Engineers, United States Army; and Gerald V. Cruise, representative of the Trustees of the Power Authority of the State of New York. It shall be the duty of the Committee to advise the President with respect to the matters hereinafter set forth, and to perform such other functions as the President may determine.

2. The Federal Power Commission and the Corps of Engineers, United States Army, are authorized, empowered, and directed—

(a) To make such preliminary investigations as the Advisory Committee may

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FRANKLIN D ROOSEVELT

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REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE REQUISITIONING AND TAKING OVER FOR THE USE OR OPERATION BY THE UNITED STATES OR IN ITS INTEREST OF CERTAIN ARTICLES AND MATERIALS ISSUED PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF THE ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED OCTOBER 10, 1940

Pursuant to the authority vested in me by the provisions of the Act of Congress entitled "AN ACT To authorize the President to requisition certain articles and materials for the use of the United States and for other purposes", approved October 10, 1940, and as President of the United States, I hereby prescribe the following regulations to govern the requisitioning and taking over for the use or operation by the United States or in its interest, of articles and materials ordered, manufactured, procured, or possessed for export purposes, the exportation of which has been denied in accordance with the provisions of section 6 of the Act of Congress, approved July 2, 1940 (Public No. 703, 76th Congress):

(b) To make periodic reports, with recommendations to the President, of the results of the aforesaid investigations.

(c) To consult and cooperate with appropriate agencies of the Canadian Government.

3. In the performance of their functions and duties under this order the Federal Power Commission and the Corps of Engineers, United States Army, may avail themselves of the services, records, reports, and information of the Executive departments and other agencies of the Government.

4. The Federal Power Commission and Corps of Engineers, United States Army, shall have authority to appoint, without regard to the civil service laws, such officers, experts, and employees as they may deem necessary to carry out their functions under this order, and to prescribe their functions, duties, responsibilities, and tenure.

FRANKLIN D ROOSEVELT

THE WHITE HOUSE,
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EXECUTIVE ORDER

DESIGNATING THE DIRECTOR OF SELECTIVE SERVICE TO PERFORM CERTAIN DUTIES AND FUNCTIONS UNDER THE SELECTIVE TRAINING AND SERVICE ACT OF 1940

Under and by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940 (Public No. 783, 76th Congress), it is hereby ordered that the Director of Selective Service be, and he is hereby designated, authorized and empowered to appoint necessary members of local boards, local board physicians, government appeal agents, and members of appeal boards, provided for in Sections V and VI, Volume One'

2. The Administrator of Export Control shall hold or cause to be held whatever hearings may be necessary to determine the fair and just value of such property, at which hearings the owner of the property, his duly authorized agent or representative, or other person claiming an interest therein, may present evidence orally or in writing regarding the fair and just value of the article or material requisitioned and taken over. Upon conclusion of such hearings the Administrator of Export Control shall report to the President his finding and recommendation in regard thereto.