TITLE 31—MONEY AND FINANCE: TREASURY

Subtitle A—Office of the Secretary

PART 3—CLAIMS REGULATIONS

ACTION BY CLAIMANT

1. Section 3.2 (b) is amended to read as follows:

§ 3.2 *Action by claimant.* * * *

(b) Claims should be submitted in duplicate on Standard Form No. 95. If such forms are not used, claims should be submitted by presenting in duplicate a statement in writing setting forth the claimant's name and address, the amount of the claim, the detailed facts and circumstances surrounding the accident or incident, indicating the date and place, the property and persons involved, the nature and extent of the damage, loss, destruction, or injury. The claimant may, if he desires, file a brief with his claim setting forth the law or other arguments in support of his claim. In cases involving several claims arising from a single accident or incident, individual claims shall be filed.

(R. S. 161, sec. 2, 42 Stat. 1066, sec. 1, 57 Stat. 372, sec. 1, 59 Stat. 662, secs. 1, 401–424, 60 Stat. 56, 332, 842; 5 U. S. C. 22, 31 U. S. C. 215, 223 b–d)

2. This amendment shall be effective on July 1, 1948.

[SEAL] E. H. FOLEY, Jr.,
Acting Secretary of the Treasury.

[F. R. Doc. 48-5872; Filed, June 30, 1948; 8:49 a. m.]

Chapter II—Fiscal Service, Department of the Treasury

Subchapter B—Bureau of the Public Debt

[1948 4th Amdt. to Dept. Circ. 530, Sixth Rev., Dated Feb. 13, 1945]

PART 315—REGULATIONS GOVERNING SAVINGS BONDS

LIMITATION ON HOLDINGS

JUNE 25, 1948.

Pursuant to Section 22 (a) of the Second Liberty Bond Act, as amended (55 Stat. 7, 31 U. S. C. and Supp. 757c), Subpart C of Department Circular No. 530, Sixth Revision, dated February 13, 1945 (31 CFR 1945 Supp., Part 315), as amended, is hereby further amended[1] and revised to read as follows:

SUBPART C—LIMITATION ON HOLDINGS

§ 315.8 *Amount which may be held.* As provided by Section 22 of the Second Liberty Bond Act, as added February 4, 1935 (31 U. S. C., 757c), and by regulations prescribed by the Secretary of the Treasury pursuant to the authority of that section, as amended by the Public Debt Act of 1941 (55 Stat. 7), the amounts of savings bonds of the several series issued during any one calendar year that may be held by any one person at any one time are limited as follows:

(a) *Series A, B, C, and D.* $10,000 (maturity value) of each series for each calendar year.

(b) *Series E.* $5,000 (maturity value) for each calendar year up to and including the calendar year 1947, and $10,000 (maturity value) for each calendar year thereafter.

(c) *Series F and G.* $50,000 (issue price) for the calendar year 1941, and $100,000 (issue price) for each calendar year thereafter, of either series or of the combined aggregate of both, except that, in the case of commercial banks authorized to acquire such bonds in accordance with § 315.5, the limitation shall be such as may have been or may hereafter be provided specifically in official circulars governing the offering of other Treasury securities, but in no event in excess of $100,000 (issue price) for any calendar year.

(d) *Special limitation for Series F and G Bonds purchased by institutional investors and commercial banks from July 1 through July 15, 1948.* $1,000,000 (issue price) of either series or of the combined aggregate of both for institutional investors holding savings, insurance and pension funds and $100,000 (issue price) of either series or of the combined aggregate of both for commercial and industrial banks holding savings deposits or issuing time certificates of deposit in the names of individuals and of corporations, associations, and other organizations not operated for profit, subject to the following conditions:

(1) For the purposes of this paragraph the classes of institutional investors will be limited to: (i) Insurance companies, (ii) savings banks, (iii) savings and loan associations and building and loan associations, and cooperative banks, (iv) pension and retirement funds, including those of the Federal, State and local governments, (v) fraternal benefit associations, (vi) endowment funds, and (vii) credit unions.

(2) Any bonds of Series F–1948 and Series G–1948 purchased under this special limitation, including any bonds in excess of $100,000 (issue price) purchased by eligible institutional investors, must be purchased during the period from July 1 through July 15, 1948.

The regulations in this part are hereby modified to accord with the provisions of paragraph (d) of this section.

§ 315.9 *Calculation of amount.* In computing the amount of savings bonds of any one series issued during any one calendar year held by any one person at any one time for the purpose of determining whether the amount is in excess of the authorized limit as set forth in § 315.8, the following rules shall govern:

(a) The term "person" shall mean any legal entity, including but not limited to an individual, a partnership, a corporation (public or private), an unincorporated association or a trust estate, and the holdings of each person, individually and in a fiduciary capacity, shall be computed separately.

(b) In the case of bonds of Series A, B, C, D, and E, the computation shall be based upon maturity values. In the case of bonds of Series F and G the computation shall be based upon issue prices.

(c) Except as provided in paragraph (d) of this section, there must be taken into account: (1) All bonds originally issued to and registered in the name of that person alone; (2) all bonds originally issued to and registered in the name of that person as coowner or reissued, at the request of the original owner, to add the name of that person as coowner or to designate him as coowner instead of as beneficiary under the provisions of this part, except that the amount of bonds of Series E held in coownership form may be applied to the holdings of either of the coowners, but will not be applied to both, or the amount may be apportioned between them; and (3) all bonds acquired by him before March 1, 1941, upon the death of another or the happening of any other event.

(d) There need not be taken into account: (1) Bonds of which that person is merely the designated beneficiary; (2) those in which his interest is only that of a beneficiary under a trust; (3) those to which he is entitled as surviving designated beneficiary upon the death of the registered owner, as an heir or legatee of the deceased registered owner, or by virtue of the termination of a trust or the happening of any other event, unless he became entitled to any such bonds in his own right before March 1, 1941; or (4) with respect to bonds of Series E, those purchased with the proceeds of matured bonds of Series A and Series C–1938, where the Series A or Series C bonds were presented by an individual (natural person in his own right) owner or coowner for that purpose and the Series E bonds are registered in his name in any form of registration authorized for that series.

(e) Nothing herein contained shall be construed to invalidate any holdings within or, except as provided in paragraph (c) of this section, to validate any holdings in excess of, the authorized limits, as computed under the regulations in force at the time such holdings were acquired.

§ 315.10 *Disposition of excess.* If any person at any time acquire savings bonds issued during any one calendar year in excess of the prescribed amount, the excess must be immediately surrendered for refund of the purchase price, less (in the case of Series G bonds) any interest which may have been paid thereon, or for such other adjustment as may be possible.

(55 Stat. 7; 31 U. S. C. 757c)

Compliance with the notice, public procedure, and effective date requirements of the Administrative Procedure Act (Pub. Law 404, 79th Cong.; 60 Stat. 237) is found to be impracticable with respect to these regulations. This is a matter of fiscal policy and it was deemed

[1] The second and third amendments are hereby withdrawn from circulation. They were issued, respectively, to provide for the purchase of savings bonds of Series E outside of the limitation under certain conditions and to increase the Series E limitation from $5,000 to $10,000. The pertinent provisions are set forth in §§ 315.8 (b) and 315.9 (d) (4) of this amendment.

inadvisable to make determination with respect thereto at an earlier date.

[SEAL] JOHN W. SNYDER,
Secretary of the Treasury.

[F. R. Doc. 48-5852; Filed, June 30, 1948; 8:45 a. m.]

[1948 3d Amdt. to Dept. Circ. 654, Second Rev., Dated Jan. 1, 1944, as Amended]

PART 318—OFFERING OF UNITED STATES SAVINGS BONDS, SERIES F AND G

LIMITATION ON HOLDINGS; AUTHORIZED FORMS OF REGISTRATION

JUNE 25, 1948.

Sections 318.4 and 318.5 of Department Circular No. 654, Second Revision, dated January 1, 1944, as amended (31 CFR, 1944 Supp.), are hereby further amended to read as follows:

§ 318.4 *Limitation on holdings.* (a) The amount of United States Savings Bonds of Series F, or of Series G, or the combined aggregate amount of both series originally issued during any one calendar year to any one person, including those registered in the name of that person alone, and those registered in the name of that person with another named as coowner, that may be held by that person at any one time shall not exceed $100,000 (issue price), except as provided in paragraph (b) of this section. Commercial banks (which are defined for this purpose as those accepting demand deposits) are not authorized to acquire savings bonds of Series F or Series G, except as provided in paragraph (b), or (in accordance with the provisions of § 318.5 (a) (2)) in official circulars governing the offering of other Treasury securities.[1]

(b) For the period from July 1, 1948, through July 15, 1948, there is hereby provided for certain classes of institutional investors, and for certain commercial and industrial banks, a special limitation on holdings as follows:

(1) The limitation will be $1,000,000 (issue price) of United States Savings Bonds of Series F or Series G or the combined aggregate of both for institutional investors holding savings, insurance and pension funds, and $100,000 (issue price) of either series or of the combined aggregate of both for commercial and industrial banks holding savings deposits or issuing time certificates of deposit in the names of individuals and of corporations, associations and other organizations not operated for profit.

(2) For the purposes of this special limitation the classes of institutional investors will be limited to: (i) Insurance companies, (ii) savings banks, (iii) savings and loan associations and building and loan associations, and cooperative banks, (iv) pension and retirement funds, including those of the Federal, State and local governments, (v) fraternal benefit associations, (vi) endowment funds, and (vii) credit unions.

(3) Any bonds of Series F-1948 and Series G-1948 purchased under this special limitation, including any bonds in excess of $100,000 (issue price) purchased by eligible institutional investors, must be purchased during the period from July 1 through July 15, 1948.

(c) Any bonds acquired on original issue which create an excess must immediately be surrendered for refund of the issue price, as provided in the regulations governing savings bonds (Part 315 of this chapter).

§ 318.5 *Authorized forms of registration.* (a) United States Savings Bonds of Series F and Series G may be registered only in one of the following forms:

(1) In the names of natural persons (that is, individuals), whether adults or minors, in their own right, as follows: (i) In the name of one person; (ii) in the names of two (but not more than two) persons as coowners; and (iii) in the name of one person payable on death to one (but not more than one) other designated person.

(2) In the name of an incorporated or unincorporated body in its own right; but may not be registered in the names of commercial banks, which are defined for this purpose as those accepting demand deposits, except as provided in § 318.4 (b) or to such extent and under such conditions as may have been or may hereafter be provided specifically in official circulars governing the offering of other Treasury securities.

(3) In the name of a fiduciary (except where the fiduciary would hold the bonds merely or principally as security for the performance of a duty or obligation).

(4) In the name of the owner or custodian of public funds.

(b) *Restrictions.* Only residents (whether individuals or others) of the United States (which for the purposes of this section shall include the territories, insular possessions and the Canal Zone), citizens of the United States temporarily residing abroad and nonresident aliens employed in the United States by the Federal Government or an agency thereof may be named as owners, coowners or designated beneficiaries of savings bonds originally issued on or after April 1, 1940, or of authorized reissues thereof, except that such persons may name as coowners or beneficiaries of their bonds American citizens permanently residing abroad or nonresident aliens who are not citizens of enemy nations. American citizens permanently residing abroad and nonresident aliens who become entitled to bonds under these regulations, by right of survivorship or otherwise upon the death of another, will have the right only to receive payment either at or before maturity.

(c) Full information regarding authorized forms of registration will be found in the regulations currently in force governing United States Savings Bonds. (Part 315 of this chapter.)

(55 Stat. 7; 31 U. S. C. 757c)

Compliance with the notice, public procedure, and effective date requirements of the Administrative Procedure Act (Pub. Law 404, 79th Cong.; 60 Stat. 237) is found to be impracticable with respect to these regulations. This is a matter of fiscal policy and it was deemed inadvisable to make determination with respect thereto at an earlier date.

[SEAL] JOHN W. SNYDER,
Secretary of the Treasury.

[F. R. Doc. 48-5853; Filed, June 30, 1948; 8:46 a. m.]

[1] Circulars heretofore issued making provisions for subscription to Series F and Series G bonds by commercial banks are numbered as follows: 729 and 740, offering 2½% Treasury Bonds of 1965-70; 730, offering 2¼% Treasury Bonds of 1956-59; 741 and 756, offering 2% Treasury Bonds of 1952-54; 755, offering 2½% Treasury Bonds of 1966-71; 770, offering 1½% Treasury Bonds of 1950; 776, offering 2½% Treasury Bonds of 1967-72; and 777, offering 2¼% Treasury Bonds of 1959-62.

TITLE 36—PARKS AND FORESTS

Chapter II—Forest Service, Department of Agriculture

PART 251—LAND USES

PROHIBITION OF LOCATION OF MINING CLAIMS IN CERTAIN AREAS OF THE CUSTER STATE PARK GAME SANCTUARY

Pursuant to the provisions of the act approved June 24, 1948 (Pub. L. No. 747, 80th Cong.), and by virtue of the authority vested in the Secretary of Agriculture (R. S. 161, 5 U. S. C. 22), I, J. W. Duggan, Acting Secretary of Agriculture, do hereby issue the following regulation as § 251.10, Part 251, Chapter II, Title 36 of the Code of Federal Regulations.

§ 251.10 *Prohibition of location of mining claims within certain areas in the Custer State Park Game Sanctuary, South Dakota.* The location of mining claims in such areas within 660 feet of any Federal, State or county road and within such other areas where the location of mining claims would not be in the public interest, as may be designated by the Chief, Forest Service, or the Regional Forester of Forest Service Region 2, is hereby prohibited. The Director, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior, shall be advised of the areas so designated and notices of the boundaries of such areas posted at conspicuous places in the Sanctuary, as well as at the county courthouses in Pennington and Custer Counties and the post offices in the cities of Custer and Rapid City, State of South Dakota. (R. S. 161, Pub. Law 747, 80th Cong.; 5 U. S. C. 22)

Done at Washington, D. C., this 24th day of June 1948.

[SEAL] I. W. DUGGAN,
Acting Secretary of Agriculture.

[F. R. Doc. 48-5867; Filed, June 30, 1948; 8:49 a. m.]

TITLE 37—PATENTS, TRADE-MARKS, AND COPYRIGHTS

Chapter I—Patent Office, Department of Commerce

PART 5—TRADE-MARKS

PART 100—RULES OF PRACTICE IN TRADE-MARK CASES

CHANGE OF EFFECTIVE DATE OF AMENDMENTS

The time for taking effect of the establishment of § 100.44 *Advertising*, of Part 100 and the deletion of § 5.11 of Part 5 (12 F. R. 3956, June 19, 1947) is further changed from July 1, 1948 (12 F. R. 7140, November 4, 1947) to January 1, 1949.

(Secs. 1, 41, 60 Stat. 427, 440; 15 U. S. C. 1051, 1123)

THOMAS F. MURPHY,
Acting Commissioner of Patents.

Approved:

CHARLES SAWYER,
Secretary of Commerce.

[F. R. Doc. 48-5908; Filed, June 30, 1948; 8:47 a. m.]

TITLE 43—PUBLIC LANDS: INTERIOR

Chapter I—Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior

[Order 314]

PART 50—ORGANIZATION AND PROCEDURE

DELEGATIONS TO CHIEFS OF DIVISIONS AND CHIEFS OF SUBDIVISIONS OF DIVISIONS

JUNE 24, 1948.

1. The first paragraph of § 50.352 (Order No. 307, May 6, 1948) is designated as paragraph (a) and new subparagraphs are added, as follows:

§ 50.352 *Functions of the Chief, Division of Adjudication and the Chiefs of Subdivisions of that Division, with respect to various statutes.*[1] (a) The Chief of the Division of Adjudication and the Chiefs of subdivisions of that Division may act for the Director in the following classes of matters, subject to the conditions and restrictions set forth in § 50.351:

* * * * *

(7) Approval of construction in advance of the issuance of a permit or easement in right-of-way cases, in accordance with 43 CFR, 244.10, 245.8, as amended.

(8) Applications to use public lands under right-of-way permits for tramroads under the act of January 21, 1895 (28 Stat. 635; 43 U. S. C. 956), and the issuance, assignment, modification or cancellation of such permits.

(9) Applications to use public lands under permits for rights-of-way under the act of February 15, 1901 (31 Stat. 790; 43 U. S. C. 959, 16 U. S. C. 79), and the issuance, assignment, modification or cancellation of such permits: *Provided, however*, That cancellation shall be only in the circumstances specifically prescribed in regulations of the Secretary. This authority shall not relate to applications or permits involving lands within national parks, Indian reservations, or any reservations of the United States for the use of or administered by the National Park Service, the Fish and Wildlife Service, or any agency outside the Department of the Interior.

(10) Applications to use public lands under right-of-way easements under the act of March 4, 1911 (36 Stat. 1235, 1253–54; 43 U. S. C. 961), and the issuance and assignment of such easements. This authority shall not relate to applications or permits involving lands within national parks, Indian reservations, any reservations of the United States for the use of or administered by the National Park Service, the Fish and Wildlife Service, or any agency outside the Department of the Interior, or to the revocation of any easements granted under the act of March 4, 1911, or to the modification of such easements without the consent of the persons to whom they have been issued.

(46) Applications for the lease or sale of lands in the Matanuska Valley, Alaska, under the act of October 17, 1940 (54 Stat. 1191, 48 U. S. C. 353 note), including the approval of such applications, and the issuance, assignment, modification or cancellation of such leases. (43 CFR, Part 4)

2. The first paragraph of § 50.353 (Order No. 307, May 6, 1948) is designated as paragraph (a), subparagraph (1) thereof is amended, and new subparagraphs are added, as follows:

§ 50.353 *Functions of the Chief of the Division of Adjudication and the Chiefs of subdivisions of that Division; general.* (a) The Chief of the Division of Adjudication and the Chiefs of subdivisions of that Division may act for the Director in the following classes of matters, subject to the conditions and restrictions set forth in § 50.351:

(1) Applications for entries under the general, reclamation, second entry and other homestead laws, and necessary actions in connection therewith, including the allowance, amendment or rejection of such applications, the assignment of reclamation homestead entries, applications for extensions of time to establish residence, and for changes in the residence requirements, reductions of areas of cultivation, the issuance and publication of proof notices, the disposition of protests and conflicting applications, and the issuance of final certificates or expiration notices.

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(5) Closing of cases pursuant to Bureau or Departmental decisions, where proper.

(6) The initiation of Government contests by the issuance of charges as a basis therefor. (43 CFR, Part 4)

(R. S. 161; 5 U. S. C. 22; Reorg. Plan No. 3 of 1946, 11 F. R. 7875)

ROSCOE E. BELL,
Assistant Director.

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[1] The numbers of the subparagraphs in this section correspond with the numbers of the related subparagraphs in 43 CFR 4.275 (a).

Appendix—Public Land Orders

[Public Land Order 491]

CALIFORNIA

REVOKING IN PART EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 6361 OF OCTOBER 25, 1933, WITHDRAWING LANDS FOR CLASSIFICATION AND PENDING DETERMINATION AS TO ADVISABILITY OF INCLUDING SUCH LANDS IN A NATIONAL MONUMENT

By virtue of the authority vested in the President by section 1 of the act of June 25, 1910, c. 421, 36 Stat. 847 (U. S. C., title 43, sec. 141), and pursuant to Executive Order No. 9337 of April 24, 1943, it is ordered as follows:

Executive Order No. 6361 of October 25, 1933, withdrawing certain public lands in California for classification and pending determination as to the advisability of including such lands in a national monument, is hereby revoked so far as it affects the following-described lands:

SAN BERNARDINO MERIDIAN

T. 2 S., R. 4 E.,
Sec. 22, NW¼;
Sec. 24, N½NE¼;
Sec. 28, NW¼;
Sec. 32, SW¼.

The areas described aggregate 560 acres.

C. GIRARD DAVIDSON,
Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

JUNE 22, 1948.

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TITLE 45—PUBLIC WELFARE

Chapter VI—Office of Vocational Rehabilitation, Federal Security Agency

PART 601—BUSINESS ENTERPRISES PROGRAM FOR THE BLIND

MISCELLANEOUS AMENDMENTS

Pursuant to the authority conferred by the Labor-Federal Security Appropriation Act, 1949, approved June 14, 1948, Title II, Subheading "Office of Vocational Rehabilitation" governing Federal reimbursement for one-half of necessary expenditures for acquisition of vending stands and other equipment to be controlled by the State Agency for the use of blind persons, the regulations prescribed pursuant to the Labor-Federal Security Appropriation Act, 1948, approved July 8, 1947 (12 F. R. 4644) are hereby adopted and prescribed as the regulations under the Labor-Federal Security Appropriation Act, 1949, with the following changes:

1. Section 601.2 (a) is hereby changed to read as follows: "'Act' means Title II, Subheading 'Office of Vocational Re-