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1947

CONSTITUTION OF 1879 AS AMENDED
MEASURES SUBMITTED TO VOTE
OF ELECTORS, 1946
GENERAL LAWS, AMENDMENTS TO
CODES, RESOLUTIONS, AND
CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS
PASSED AT THE
1946 FIRST AND SECOND EXTRAORDINARY
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proceedings and bring the necessary suits to cure any defects in
said title, the cost and expenses of all of which, together with
any other expenses of the sale, may be paid from the appropria-
tion for support of the Department of Finance, and such appropria-
tion reimbursed from the proceeds of said sale. The balance
of said proceeds shall be paid into the General Fund.

SEC. 3. The Director of Finance is hereby authorized to
deeds execute to the purchaser for and on behalf of and in the name
of the State of California, deeds of conveyance of said real prop-
erty in the usual form of grant, bargain and sale, and deliver
the same upon the payment of the full amount of the purchase
price. Said deeds shall be effectual to pass and convey to the said
purchaser all of the right, title, interest and estate of the State
of California in and to said real property.

SEC. 4. There is hereby excepted and reserved to the State
of California all deposits of minerals, including oil and gas, in
said lands, together with the right to prospect for, extract and
remove such deposits of minerals, including oil and gas, there-
from.

CHAPTER 1532

An act to amend Sections 126 and 113, and to repeal Sections
111, 112, 114, 116, and 117 of the Government Code, and to
repeal Chapter 3, Statutes 1934 (1st Ex.) Session, relating to
the acquisition of land in this State by the United States

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The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 126 of the Government Code is
amended to read:

126. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, general
or special, the Legislature of California consents to the acquisi-
tion by the United States of land within this State upon and
subject to each and all of the following express conditions and
reservations, in addition to any other conditions or reservations
prescribed by law:

(a) The acquisition must be for the erection of forts, in-
azines, arsenals, dockyards, and other needful buildings, or
other public purpose within the purview of Clause 17 of Section
8 of Article I of the Constitution of the United States, or for
the establishment, consolidation and extension of national
forests under the provisions of the act of Congress approved
March 1, 1911, (36 Stat. 961) known as the "Weeks Act";

(b) The acquisition must be pursuant to and in compliance
with the laws of the United States;

(c) The United States must in writing have assented to
acceptance of jurisdiction over the land upon and subject to
each and all of the conditions and reservations in this section prescribed;

(d) The conditions prescribed in subdivisions (a), (b), and (c) of this section must have been found and declared to have occurred and to exist, by the State Lands Commission, and the commission must have found and declared that such acquisition is in the interest of the State, certified copies of its orders or resolutions making such findings and declarations to be filed in the office of the Secretary of State and recorded in the office of the county recorder of each county in which any part of the land is situate;

(e) In granting this consent, the Legislature and the State reserve jurisdiction on and over the land for the execution of civil process and criminal process in all cases, and the State's entire power of taxation including that of each state agency, county, city, city and county, political subdivision or public district of or in the State; and reserve to all persons residing on such land all civil and political rights, including the right of suffrage, which they might have were this consent not given.

(f) This consent continues only so long as the land continues to belong to the United States and is held by it in accordance and in compliance with each and all of the conditions and reservations in this section prescribed.

The finding and declaration of the State Lands Commission provided for in subdivision (d) of this section shall be made only after a public hearing. Notice of such hearing shall be published once in a newspaper of general circulation in each county in which the land or any part thereof is situated and a copy of such notice shall be personally served upon the clerk of the board of supervisors of each such county. The State Lands Commission shall make rules and regulations governing the conditions and procedure of such hearings, which shall provide that the cost of publication and service of notice shall be borne by the owner or transferee of the property.

The provisions of this section do not apply to any land or water areas heretofore or hereafter acquired by the United States for migratory bird reservations in accordance with the provisions of Sections 375 to 380, inclusive, of the Fish and Game Code.

Sec. 2. Section 113 of said code is amended to read:

113. The State reserves the administration of the criminal law of the State with respect to any land over which any jurisdiction has been or may be ceded or conveyed to the United States, during the time the United States is the owner thereof.

Sec. 3. Sections 111, 112, 114, 116, and 117 of said code are repealed.

Sec. 4. Chapter 3 of the Statutes of 1934 (First Extraordinary) Session is repealed.