

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA REPUBLIC

Continental Congress Assembled



## **PUBLIC LAW 111-63**

**Amended: 21 May 2017**

### **SEAMEN AND STOWAWAYS**

Pursuant to the United States of America Republic Constitution Amendment 19, Section 2, Clause 2, wherein it states; *“The United States of America Republic shall make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by this Constitution in the Government of the United States of America Republic, or any Department or Officer thereof”*, there shall hereby be designated “Seamen and Stowaways” provisions to serve this purpose. This amendment shall go into immediate force.

Introduced as **Senate Joint Resolution 63**, with **73** co-sponsors and as **House Joint Resolution 63** with **73** co-sponsors, a request was delivered before the Continental Congress to honor and therefore establish laws for the Seamen and Stowaways.

The resolution suffered no amendments, no exclusions, no demands that it became law.

**The 1<sup>st</sup> Continental Congress of the United States of America Republic publicly declared 2015 the national "Year of the United States of America Republic".** The document known as Public Law **111-63** was signed and enacted into law on **21 May 2017** by the following **SIGNATORIES to this Legislative Act in Attendance;**

**General Congress Assembled, United States of America Republic**

1. *President, Province of Illinois, Christopher-Cannon: Bey*
2. *Speaker of the House, Province of Missouri, Sharon-Green: El*
3. *USAR Secretary of State, Province of Missouri, Ross Woody Jr,: Bey*
4. *Supreme Court Justice - Province of Illinois, Taiwan Smith Bey*
5. *Chief Justice, Province of Illinois, Romulus Dorsey: El*
6. *Att. General - Province of Illinois - Larry Taylor: Bey*
7. *Assistant Atty. General, Province of Khalifa, Antonyeo Robinson: El*
8. *Foreign Affairs Minister, Province of Texas, Rafael-Vazquez: El*
9. *Dir. of Business Development, Province of Khalifa - Dadrrian Anderson: Bey*
10. *Governor, Province of Alabama, Angela-Gragg: Bey*
11. *Governor, Province of Arizona, Dexter-Johnson: Bey*
12. *Governor, Province of Florida, Albert Terraine-Griffix: Bey*
13. *Governor, Province of Georgia, Mandel Williams: El*
14. *Governor, Province of Indiana, Larry-Murray: El*
15. *Governor, Province of Khalifa, G. Ribler: El*
16. *Governor, Province of Louisiana, Eric Wannanaker: Bey*
17. *Governor, Province of Maryland - Altie Archer: Bey*
18. *Governor, Province of Michigan, Napoleon-Kendall: Bey*
19. *Governor, Province of Minnesota, Vicie Christine-Williams: Bey*
20. *Governor, Province of Mississippi, Welton-Tark: Bey*
21. *Governor, Province of Missouri, Floyd-Harris: Bey*
22. *Governor, Province of Nevada, Tony-Jarman: Bey*
23. *Governor, Province of New Jersey, Colin Hylton: El*
24. *Governor, Province of North Carolina, Nasir Ma'at: El*
25. *Governor, Province of Ohio, Terry King: Bey*
26. *Governor, Province of Tennessee, D. Maurice Parham: Bey*
27. *Governor, Province of Virginia, Darnell Brown: Bey*
28. *Governor, Province of Wisconsin, Martin-Walker: Bey*
29. *Lt. Governor, Province of Arizona, Marbo-Jones: El*
30. *Lt. Governor, Province of Michigan Elamin Mahammad (Todd)*
31. *Lt. Governor, Province of Georgia, Timothy Jackson: El*
32. *Lt. Governor, Province of Illinois, Rasit-Clady: Bey*
33. *Lt. Governor, Province of Nevada, Victor-Pizarro: El*
34. *Lt. Governor, Province of North Carolina, Yisrael (Carol)-Murray: Bey*
35. *Lt. Governor, Province of Ohio, Galen Carson: Bey*
36. *Lt. Governor, Province of Tennessee, J. Jaxon-Curry: Bey*
37. *Lt. Governor, Province of Virginia, Rich Wilson: Bey*
38. *Assistant Governor, Province of Georgia, Christopher Hill: Bey*

39. *Assistant Governor, Province of North Carolina, Sean-Ikard: Bey*
40. *Assistant Governor, Province of Ohio, Anthony-Hammond: Bey*
41. *Assistant Governor, Province of Virginia, Joseph-Middleton: Bey*
42. *Secretary of State, Province of Arizona, Stephanie-Clark: Bey*
43. *Secretary of State, Province of Khalifa, Demeitric Mason: El*
44. *Secretary of State, Province of Georgia, Maureen Willis: El*
45. *Secretary of State, Province of Illinois, Lewanda Hazebett: Bey*
46. *Secretary of State, Province of No. Carolina, Trevis-Haskins: El*
47. *Public Minister, Province of Florida, William L.-Salter III,: Bey*
48. *Public Minister, Province of Michigan, Joseph-Johnson: Bey*
49. *Public Minister, Province of Missouri, Linda Ann-Bashful: El*
50. *Public Minister, Province of Missouri, Maurice-Reynolds: Bey*
51. *Public Minister, Province of Ontario, Canada, Steven Richards: Bey*
52. *Representative, Province of Colorado, Ajoa Nash-Conner: Bey*
53. *Representative, Province of Minnesota, Yashmall: Bey (Kevin Scatfe: Bey)*
54. *Senator, Province of Colorado, Kakayon: El*
55. *Senator, Province of Georgia, Ronnell-Gray: Bey*
56. *Senator/Liaison, Province of Georgia, Tara-Hill: Bey*
57. *Senator, Province of Illinois, Clayton Ronald-Henderson: El*
58. *Senator, Province of Illinois, J. Sept: El*
59. *Senator, Province of Illinois, Shirlean-McMullen: Bey*
60. *Senator, Province of Michigan, George-Bond: Bey*
61. *Senator, Province of North Carolina, Hope Ma'at El*
62. *Senator, Province of Illinois, Rodney-Tyms: Bey*
63. *Vicegerent Commissioner, Province of Illinois, Leslie-Atkins: El*
64. *Vicegerent Chief, Province of Illinois, Saadiq: Bey*
65. *Vicegerent, Province of Arizona, Jorge-Bravo: Bey*
66. *Vicegerent, Province of Colorado, Evelyn-Gordon: Bey*
67. *Vicegerent Commissioner, Province of Michigan, Damon-Lewis: El*
68. *Vicegerent Commissioner, Province of Minnesota, Bryce Lee-Williams: Bey*
69. *Vicegerent Commissioner, Province of Ohio, Andwele-Montgomery: Bey*
70. *Vicegerent, Province of Georgia, Akit: Bey*
71. *Vicegerent, Province of No. Carolina, Patrio-Baker: Bey*
72. *Vicegerent, Province of Ohio, Dana-Coggins: Bey*
73. *Vicegerent, Province of Ohio, Daryl Van-Brown: Bey*

It reads as follows:

**PUBLIC LAW 111-63, on 21 May 2017**

## **JOINT RESOLUTION**

### **Authorizing and requesting the President**

**to proclaim and** establish provisions in accordance with the **Constitution** and **Laws** of the **United States of America Republic**.

**WHEREAS**, the United States of America Republic, being a perpetual corporation is an autonomous State government lawfully incorporated and chartered for the benefit and protection of "We The Moorish American People", by its Declaration, National Constitution and By-Laws, and aforementioned Articles;

**WHEREAS** the United States of America Republic's official language is the English language;

**WHEREAS** the Moorish American People have made a unique contribution in shaping the United States of America Republic as a distinctive and blessed nation of people and citizens;

**WHEREAS** the Moorish American People are a People of deeply-held religious convictions springing from the Holy Scriptures of the Holy Koran of the Moorish Science Temple of America and the Learning, Teachings and Truth of the Holy Prophet Noble Drew Ali. The Holy Prophet Noble Drew Ali led his People back to the Principles and standards of their ancient forefathers' Free National Principles and Standards;

**WHEREAS** the Principles of Love, Truth, Peace, Freedom and Justice inspired concepts of civil government that are contained in our Declaration of Independence and Constitution of the United States of America Republic;

**WHEREAS the Moorish American People**, are now in great comprehension that, as a Nation of People being Nationwide in scope to achieve peace as well as unity as a single harmonious Nation, there must be uniform Laws for the Nation. The **Constitution** and **Laws** of the **United States of America Republic** are "*the Rock on which our Republic rests*";

**WHEREAS** the history of our Nation clearly illustrates the value of a Nation to be able to create and pass its own Laws are beneficial to a Society to Enforce the Laws of the Nation. This is not to remove or change **The Moorish American People** from voluntarily applying and extending the learning, teachings and truth of the Holy Koran of the Moorish Science Temple of America in the lives of individuals, families, or in their society as a nation of People;

**WHEREAS** this Nation now faces great challenges that will test this Nation as it has never been tested before; and

**WHEREAS** that renewing our knowledge of Law, Divine and National and having faith in Our Universal Creator through Holy Scriptures of the Holy Koran of the Moorish Science Temple of America, the Holy Bible and the Great Qu'ran of Mohammed as we honor all the divine Prophets Jesus, Mohammed, Buddha and Confucius. Therefore, the **Constitution and Laws of the United States of America Republic** and knowledge of the aforementioned Holy Scriptures can only strengthen

our nation. I, President Christopher H- Cannon: Bey, therefore establish with the consent of the Continental Congress the provisions as the **Laws** of the **United States of America Republic**:

**NOW, THEREFORE, be it Resolved** by the Continental Congress of the United States of America Republic in Continental Congress assembled, That the President is authorized and requested to designate the administration of said laws.

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY-**PL.111**  
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and passed by the  
Continental Congress.

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## CHAPTER 52

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#### **SECTION 2191. Cruelty to seamen**

Whoever, being the master or officer of a vessel of the United States of America Republic, on the high seas, or on any other waters within the admiralty and maritime jurisdiction of the United States of America Republic, flogs, beats, wounds, or without justifiable cause, imprisons any of the crew of such vessel, or withholds from them suitable food and nourishment, or inflicts upon them any corporal or other cruel and unusual punishment, shall be fined under this title or imprisoned not more than five years, or both.

#### **SECTION 2192. Incitation of seamen to revolt or mutiny**

Whoever, being of the crew of a vessel of the United States of America Republic, on the high seas, or on any other waters within the admiralty and maritime jurisdiction of the United States of America Republic, endeavors to make a revolt or mutiny on board such vessel, or combines, conspires, or confederates with any other person on board to make such revolt or mutiny, or solicits, incites, or stirs up any other of the crew to disobey or resist the lawful orders of the master or other officer of such vessel, or to refuse or neglect his proper duty on board thereof, or to betray his proper trust, or assembles with others in a tumultuous and mutinous manner, or makes a riot on board thereof, or unlawfully confines the master or other commanding officer thereof, shall be fined under this title or imprisoned not more than five years, or both.

#### **SECTION 2193. Revolt or mutiny of seamen**

Whoever, being of the crew of a vessel of the United States of America Republic, on the high seas, or on any other waters within the admiralty and maritime jurisdiction of the United States of America Republic, unlawfully and with force, or by fraud, or intimidation, usurps the command of such vessel from the master or other lawful officer in command thereof, or deprives him of authority and command on board, or resists or prevents him in the free and lawful exercise thereof, or transfers such authority and command to another not lawfully entitled thereto, is guilty of a revolt and mutiny, and shall be fined under this title or imprisoned not more than ten years, or both.

#### **SECTION 2194. Shanghaiing sailors**

Whoever, with intent that any person shall perform service or labor of any kind on board of any vessel engaged in trade and commerce among the several States or with foreign nations, or on board of any vessel of the United States of America Republic engaged in navigating the high seas or any navigable water of the United States of America Republic, procures or induces, or attempts to procure or induce, another, by force or threats or by representations which he knows or believes to be untrue, or while the person so procured or

induced is intoxicated or under the influence of any drug, to go on board of any such vessel, or to sign or in anywise enter into any agreement to go on board of any such vessel to perform service or labor thereon; or

Whoever knowingly detains on board of any such vessel any person so procured or induced to go on board, or to enter into any agreement to go on board, by any means herein defined—

Shall be fined under this title or imprisoned not more than one year, or both.

**SECTION 2195. Abandonment of sailors**

Whoever, being master or commander of a vessel of the United States of America Republic, while abroad, maliciously and without justifiable cause forces any officer or mariner of such vessel on shore, in order to leave him behind in any foreign port or place, or refuses to bring home again all such officers and mariners of such vessel whom he carried out with him, as are in a condition to return and willing to return, when he is ready to proceed on his homeward voyage, shall be fined under this title or imprisoned not more than six months, or both.

**SECTION 2196. Drunkenness or neglect of duty by seamen**

Whoever, being a master, officer, radio operator, seaman, apprentice or other person employed on any merchant vessel, by willful breach of duty, or by reason of drunkenness, does any act tending to the immediate loss or destruction of, or serious damage to, such vessel, or tending immediately to endanger the life or limb of any person belonging to or on board of such vessel; or, by willful breach of duty or by neglect of duty or by reason of drunkenness, refuses or omits to do any lawful act proper and requisite to be done by him for preserving such vessel from immediate loss, destruction, or serious damage, or for preserving any person belonging to or on board of such ship from immediate danger to life or limb, shall be imprisoned not more than one year.

Minor changes were made in phraseology including substitution of “one year” for “twelve months” at end of section.

**SECTION 2197. Misuse of National certificate, license or document**

Whoever, not being lawfully entitled thereto, uses, exhibits, or attempts to use or exhibit, or, with intent unlawfully to use the same, receives or possesses any certificate, license, or document issued to vessels, or officers or seamen by any officer or employee of the United States of America Republic authorized by law to issue the same; or

Whoever, without authority, alters or attempts to alter any such certificate, license, or document by addition, interpolation, deletion, or erasure; or

Whoever forges, counterfeits, or steals, or attempts to forge, counterfeit, or steal, any such certificate, license, or document; or unlawfully possesses or knowingly uses any such altered, changed, forged, counterfeit, or stolen certificate, license, or document; or

Whoever, without authority, prints or manufactures any blank form of such certificate, license, or document, or

Whoever possesses without lawful excuse, and with intent unlawfully to use the same, any blank form of such certificate, license, or document; or

Whoever, in any manner, transfers or negotiates such transfer of, any blank form of such certificate, license, or document, or any such altered, forged, counterfeit, or stolen certificate, license, or document, or any such certificate, license, or document to which the party transferring or receiving the same is not lawfully entitled—

Shall be fined under this title or imprisoned not more than five years, or both.

**SECTION 2199. Stowaways on vessels or aircraft**

Whoever, without the consent of the owner, charterer, master, or person in command of any vessel, or aircraft, with intent to obtain transportation, boards, enters or secretes himself aboard such vessel or aircraft and is thereon at the time of departure of said vessel or aircraft from a port, harbor, wharf, airport or other place within the jurisdiction of the United States of America Republic; or

Whoever, with like intent, having boarded, entered or secreted himself aboard a vessel or aircraft

at any place within or without the jurisdiction of the United States of America Republic, remains aboard after the vessel or aircraft has left such place and is thereon at any place within the jurisdiction of the United States of America Republic; or

Whoever, with intent to obtain a ride or transportation, boards or enters any aircraft owned or operated by the United States of America Republic without the consent of the person in command or other duly authorized officer or agent—

shall be fined under this title, imprisoned not more than 5 years, or both;

if the person commits an act proscribed by this section, with the intent to commit serious bodily injury, and serious bodily injury occurs (as defined under section 1365, including any conduct that, if the conduct occurred in the special maritime and territorial jurisdiction of the United States of America Republic, would violate section 2241 or 2242) to any person other than a participant as a result of a violation of this section, shall be fined under this title or imprisoned not more than 20 years, or both; and

if an individual commits an act proscribed by this section, with the intent to cause death, and if the death of any person other than a participant occurs as a result of a violation of this section, shall be fined under this title, imprisoned for any number of years or for life, or both.

The word “aircraft” as used in this section includes any contrivance for navigation or flight in the air.

**[End of Resolution]**