tion issued under this chapter; and each agreement, code of fair competition, or license approved, prescrib-
ed, or issued under this chapter shall contain an express provision to that effect. (June 16, 1933, c. 90, Title I, § 10, 48 Stat. 200.)

Duration of section, see section 702 (c) of this title.

§ 711. Separability clause. If any provision of this chapter or the application thereof to any person or circumstances, is held invalid, the remainder of the chapter, and the application of such provision to other persons or circumstances, shall not be affected thereby. (June 16, 1933, c. 90, Title I, § 10, 48 Stat. 211.)

§ 712. Short title. This chapter may be cited as the "National Industrial Recovery Act." (June 16, 1933, c. 90, Title III, § 304, 48 Stat. 211.)

Duration of chapter, see section 702 (c) of this title.

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721. Declaration of emergency. The Congress hereby declares that the present economic depression has created a serious emergency, due to widespread unemployment and increasing inadequacy of State and local relief funds, resulting in the existing or threatened deprivation of a considerable number of families and individuals of the necessities of life, and making it imperative that the Federal Government cooperate more effectively with the several States and Territories and the District of Columbia in furnishing relief to their needy and distressed people. (May 12, 1933, c. 30, § 3, 48 Stat. 56.)

§ 722. Allocation of funds of Reconstruction Finance Corporation to Federal Emergency Relief Administrator; approval of applications for loans by Administrator. (a) The Reconstruction Finance Corporation is authorized and directed to make available out of the funds of the Corporation not exceeding $500,000,000, in addition to the funds authorized under section 606a of this title, for expenditure under the provisions of this chapter upon certification by the Federal Emergency Relief Administrator provided for in section 723 of this title.

(b) The amount of notes, debentures, bonds, or other such obligations which the Reconstruction Finance Corporation is authorized and empowered under section 609 of this title to have outstanding at any one time is increased by $500,000,000: Provided, That no such additional notes, debentures, bonds, or other such obligations authorized by this subsection shall be issued except at such times and in such amounts as the President shall approve.

(c) After the expiration of ten days after the date upon which the Federal Emergency Relief Administrator has qualified and has taken office, no application shall be approved by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation under the provisions of section 606a of this title, and the Federal Emergency Relief Administrator shall have access to all files and records of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation relating to the administration of funds under said section 606a. At the request of such Administrator, the unexpended and unobligated balance of the funds authorized un-
need as a result of the present emergency, and/or to their dependents, whether resident, transient, or homeless.

(b) Of the amounts made available by this chapter not to exceed $250,000,000 shall be granted to the several States applying therefor, in the following manner: Each State shall be entitled to receive grants equal to one third of the amount expended by such State, including the civil subdivisions thereof, out of public moneys from all sources for the purposes set forth in subsection (a) of this section; and such grants shall be made quarterly, beginning with the second quarter in the calendar year 1933, and shall be made during any quarter upon the basis of such expenditures certified by the States to have been made during the preceding quarter.

(c) The balance of the amounts made available by this chapter, so expended for administrative expenditures under section 723, shall be used for grants to be made whenever, from an application presented by a State, the Administrator finds that the combined moneys which can be made available within the State from all sources, supplemented by any moneys, available under subsection (b) of this section, will fall below the estimated needs within the State for the purposes specified in subsection (a) of this section: Provided, That the Administrator may certify out of the funds made available by this subsection additional grants to States applying therefor to aid needy persons who have no legal settlement in any one State or community, and to aid in assisting cooperative and self-help associations for the barter of goods and services.

(d) After October 1, 1933, notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (b), the unexpended balance of such amounts available for the purposes specified in subsection (b) of this section shall not exceed 15 per cent of the combined moneys made available by such subsections. (May 12, 1933, c. 30, § 4, 48 Stat. 57.)

§ 725. Certification of approval of applications to Reconstruction Finance Corporation; monthly reports of Governors. The Administrator upon approving a grant to any State shall so certify to the Reconstruction Finance Corporation which shall, except upon revocation of a certificate by the Administrator, make payments without delay to the State in such amounts and at such times as may be prescribed in the certificate. The Governor of each State receiving grants under this chapter shall file monthly with the Administrator, and in the form required by him, a report of the disbursements made under such grants. (May 12, 1933, c. 30, § 6, 48 Stat. 58.)

§ 727. State and Governor defined. As used in the foregoing provisions of this chapter, the term "State" shall include the District of Columbia, Alaska, Hawaii, the Virgin Islands, and Puerto Rico; and the term "Governor" shall include the Commissioners of the District of Columbia. (May 12, 1933, c. 30, § 7, 48 Stat. 58.)

§ 727a. Grants to public agencies. Nothing contained in this chapter shall be construed as precluding the Federal Emergency Relief Administrator from making grants for relief within a State directly to such public agency as he may designate. (Feb. 15, 1934, c. 15, § 1, 48 Stat. 531.)

§ 728. Short title. This chapter may be cited as the "Federal Emergency Relief Act of 1933." (May 12, 1933, c. 30, § 8, 48 Stat. 58.)

COMMERCE DEPARTMENT
See chapter 10 of Title 5, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS AND GOVERNMENT OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES.

COMMISSIONER OF PENSIONS
See Title 38, PENSIONS, BONUSES, AND VETERANS' RELIEF.

COMMON CARRIERS
See Title 45, RAILROADS; see Title 46, SHIPPING.

COMPENSATION FOR INJURIES
Government employees; see chapter 15 of Title 5, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS AND GOVERNMENT OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES.

COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY
See Title 12, Banks and Banking.

CONGRESS
Appropriations; see Title 31, MONEY AND FINANCE. Printing and binding for Congress; see Title 44, PUBLIC PRINTING AND DOCUMENTS.

CONGRESSIONAL RECORD
See Title 44, PUBLIC PRINTING AND DOCUMENTS.