

the priority of movement of such commodities and materials.

7. The Administrator may establish committees or groups of advisors representing two or more departments of the Federal government, or agencies or missions of governments allied with the United States in the prosecution of the war, as the case may require to carry out the purposes of this Order. Further, he may appoint representatives to such joint missions or boards dealing with matters within the scope of this Order as may be established with governments associated with the United States in the prosecution of the war.

8. Within the purposes of this Order, the Administrator is authorized to issue such directives concerning shipping operations as he may deem necessary or appropriate, and his decisions shall be final with respect to the functions and authorities so vested in him. The Administrator may exercise the powers, authority and discretion conferred upon him by this Order through such officials or agencies and in such manner as he may determine.

9. The Administrator is further authorized within the limits of such funds as may be allocated, transferred, or appropriated to the War Shipping Administration to employ necessary personnel and make provisions for necessary supplies, facilities, and services. So much of the unexpended balances of appropriations, allocations, or other funds available (including funds and contract authority available for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1942) for the use of the United States Maritime Commission in the exercise of the functions transferred to the Administrator and the War Shipping Administration, as the Director of the Bureau of the Budget with the approval of the President shall determine, shall be transferred to the War Shipping Administration for use in carrying out the functions and authority transferred to the Administrator and the War Shipping Administration pursuant to the provisions of this Order. In determining the amounts to be transferred from the United States Maritime Commission, the Director of the Bureau of the Budget may include amounts necessary to provide for the liquidation of obligations previously incurred by the United States Maritime Commission against such appropriations, allocations or other funds prior to the transfer; *Provided*, that the use of the unexpended appropriations, allocations or other funds transferred by this Section shall be subject to the provisions of Section 3 of the First War Powers Act, 1941.

FRANKLIN D ROOSEVELT

THE WHITE HOUSE,
February 7, 1942.

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EXECUTIVE ORDER

ORDERING CERTAIN ORGANIZATIONS AND UNITS OF THE ORGANIZED RESERVES INTO THE ACTIVE MILITARY SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES

Under and by virtue of the authority vested in me by Public Resolution 96, approved August 27, 1940, 54 Stat. 858, as amended by Public Law 338, 77th Congress, approved December 13, 1941, and by the National Defense Act of 1916 (39 Stat. 166), as amended, and as Commander in Chief of the Army of the United States, I hereby order into the active military service of the United States, effective on dates to be hereafter announced by the Secretary of War, for the duration of the present war and for six months after the termination thereof, subject to earlier relief or discharge, each of the organizations and units and all of the personnel of the Organized Reserves not already in such service.

FRANKLIN D ROOSEVELT

THE WHITE HOUSE,
February 6, 1942.

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EXECUTIVE ORDER

AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE SECRETARY OF THE NAVY TO ISSUE CITATIONS IN THE NAME OF THE PRESIDENT TO NAVAL AND MARINE CORPS UNITS FOR OUTSTANDING PERFORMANCE IN ACTION

By virtue of the authority vested in me as President of the United States, and as Commander in Chief of the Army and Navy of the United States, it is ordered as follows:

1. The Secretary of the Navy is hereby authorized and directed to issue a citation in the name of the President of the United States, as public evidence of deserved honor and distinction, to any ship, aircraft, or other naval unit, and to any Marine Corps aircraft, detachment, or higher unit, for outstanding performance in action on or after October 16, 1941.

2. Appropriate insignia of such form and design as may be determined by the Secretary of the Navy may be displayed by any ship, aircraft, naval unit, or any Marine Corps aircraft, detachment, or higher unit, to which such citation is issued.

3. After any naval or Marine Corps unit is so cited on two or more separate occasions for outstanding performance in action occurring on or after October 16, 1941, such insignia shall become a part of the uniform of such unit, and shall be issued to officers and men who may thereafter become members of such unit; and such insignia may be worn at all times by individuals who were at-

tached to the unit so cited on one of the two or more occasions in connection with which the citation was issued, whether they thereafter serve with such unit or with a different unit.

FRANKLIN D ROOSEVELT

THE WHITE HOUSE,
February 6, 1942.

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EXECUTIVE ORDER

AMENDING EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 8099 OF APRIL 28, 1939, AS AMENDED, RELATING TO ADMINISTRATION OF BENEFITS PROVIDED BY ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED APRIL 3, 1939

By virtue of the authority vested in me as President of the United States, Executive Order No. 8099¹ of April 28, 1939, entitled "Administration of Benefits Provided by Act of Congress Approved April 3, 1939", as amended by Executive Order No. 8461² of June 28, 1940, is hereby further amended by changing the period at the end thereof to a colon and adding thereto the following proviso:

Provided further, That the administration of the provisions of the act of December 17, 1919 (41 Stat. 367, as amended) as to persons to whom such provisions are extended by the act of December 10, 1941, entitled "An act to extend the six months' death gratuity benefits, now paid only to dependents of officers and enlisted men of the Regular Army, to dependents of all officers, warrant officers, and enlisted men of the Army of the United States who die in line of duty while in active military service of the United States" (Public Law 329, 77th Congress), shall be vested in the Secretary of War or in such person or persons as may be designated by him in the War Department.

FRANKLIN D ROOSEVELT

THE WHITE HOUSE,
February 6, 1942.

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EXECUTIVE ORDER

AMENDING SUBDIVISION VIII OF SCHEDULE A OF THE CIVIL SERVICE RULES

By virtue of the authority vested in me by section 2 of the Civil Service Act (22 Stat. 404), Subdivision VIII of Schedule A of the Civil Service Rules³ is hereby amended by adding thereto a

¹4 F.R. 1725.

²5 F.R. 2435.

³7 F.R. 4.