

Sections 16, 17, and 17a of the Act of Congress approved October 31, 1951 (65 Stat. 710) provide for the following changes in Title 17 of the United States Code, entitled "Copyrights"

Sec. 16. (a) The first sentence of section 3 of Title 17, United States Code, entitled "Copyrights", is amended by striking out "tile" appearing in such sentence, and in lieu thereof inserting "title", so that such sentence will read as follows:

"The copyright provided by this title shall protect all the copyrightable component parts of the work copyrighted, and all matter therein in which copyright is already subsisting, but without extending the duration or scope of such copyright."

(b) The first paragraph of section 8 of Title 17, United States Code, is amended by striking out the word "June" appearing near the end of such paragraph, and in lieu thereof inserting "January", so that such paragraph will read as follows:

"No copyright shall subsist in the original text of any work which is in the public domain, or in any work which was published in this country or any foreign country prior to July 1, 1909, and has not been already copyrighted in the United States, or in any publication of the United States Government, or any reprint, in whole or in part, thereof: Provided, That copyright may be secured by the Postmaster General on behalf of the United States in the whole or any part of the publications authorized by section 1 of the Act of January 27, 1938 (39 U.S.C. 371)."

(c) Section 112 of Title 17, United States Code, is amended by striking out, near the beginning of the first sentence in such section, the words "such court", and in lieu thereof inserting "court mentioned in section 1338 of Title 28", so that such section will read as follows:

"§ 112. Injunctions; service and enforcement

"Any court mentioned in section 1338 of Title 28 or judge thereof shall have power, upon complaint filed by any party aggrieved, to grant injunctions to prevent and restrain the violation of any right secured by this title, according to the course and principles of courts of equity, on such terms as said court or judge may deem reasonable. Any injunction that may be granted restraining and enjoining the doing of anything forbidden by this title may be served on the parties against whom such injunction may be granted anywhere in the United States, and shall be operative throughout the United States and be enforceable by proceedings in contempt or otherwise by any other court or judge possessing jurisdiction of the defendants."

Sec. 17. Section 114 of Title 17, United States Code, is amended by striking out the reference "110 of this title", appearing in such section, and in lieu thereof inserting "1338 of Title 28", so that such section 114 will read as follows:

"§ 114. Review of orders, judgments, or decrees

"The orders, judgments, or decrees of any court mentioned in section 1338 of Title 28 arising under the copyright laws of the United States may be reviewed on appeal in the manner and to the extent now provided by law for the review of cases determined in said courts, respectively."

Sec. 17a. The analysis of chapter 2 of Title 17, United States Code, immediately preceding section 101 of such title, is amended by striking out the following five items:

"101. (f) Rules of procedure.

"102. Jurisdiction of courts in enforcing remedies.

"103. Joinder of proceedings for different remedies.

"110. Jurisdiction of actions under laws.

"111. District in which actions may be brought."