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Chapter 182 — 61 Stat. 213 — Public Law 143 (H. R. 3769)
June 30, 1947

*AN ACT To amend the Bankruptcy Act with respect to qualifications of part-time referees in
bankruptcy.*

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in
Congress assembled,* That the proviso to clause (2) of section 35 of the Act of July 1,
1898, entitled “An Act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the
United States”, as amended, is amended by inserting after “notaries public,” the
following new language: “retired officers and retired enlisted personnel of the Regular
and Reserve components of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and Coast Guard,
members of the Reserve components of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and Coast
Guard, members of the National Guard of the United States and of the National
Guard of a State, Territory, or the District of Columbia, except the National Guard
disbursing officers who are on a full time salary basis[.]”

APPROVED June 30, 1947.