department in writing at least five days in advance of such dumping or depositing, specifying the intended date of departure and giving such other information as may be required by the department. The department may permit the vessel to leave without the inspector required by Section 4403 if it determines that the public health and welfare will not be endangered thereby. If such permission is granted, the department may require the person in charge of the vessel to submit a certified statement to it, at such time as the department determines, setting forth the time, location, and manner of the dumping or disposal and such other information as the department may require.

CHAPTER 1067

An act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 800, Statutes of 1957, relating to tide and submerged lands within the Bolinas Harbor District.

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The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 1 of Chapter 800 of the Statutes of 1957 is amended to read:

Section 1. There is hereby granted to the Bolinas Harbor District, hereinafter called "district," a political subdivision of the State of California, and to its successors, all the right, title, and interest now held by the State of California by virtue of its sovereignty, in and to all lands, salt marsh, tidelands, submerged lands, and swamp and overflowed lands in Bolinas Bay situated and lying within the boundaries of the Bolinas Harbor District as such boundaries exist on the effective date of this act.

To be forever held by said district, and its successors, in trust for the uses and purposes and upon the express conditions following, to wit:

(a) That said lands shall be used by said district, and its successors, for the establishment, improvement and conduct of a harbor, including an airport or aviation facilities, and for the construction, maintenance and operation thereon of wharves, docks, piers, slips, quays and other utilities, structures, facilities and appliances necessary or convenient for the promotion and accommodation of commerce and navigation by air as well as by water, and for the construction, maintenance and operation thereon of public buildings and public parks and playgrounds, and for public recreational purposes, and said district, or its successors, shall not at any time, grant, convey, give or alien said lands, or any part thereof, except dredged or other materials, such as earth, clay, sand, gravel, mud and silt, removed in connection with the creation, main-
tenance or operation of the harbor and other objects herein contemplated, to any individual, firm or corporation for any purposes whatsoever; provided, that said district, or its successors, may grant franchises thereon for limited periods (but in no event exceeding 50 years), for wharves and other public uses and purposes and may lease said lands, or any part thereof, for limited periods (but in no event exceeding 50 years), for such public uses and purposes consistent with the trust upon which said lands are held by the State of California, and with the requirements of commerce and navigation at said harbor, and collect and retain rents from such leases, franchises and privileges. Any revenue derived by the district from the sale of dredged or other materials removed in connection with the creation, maintenance or operation of the harbor and other objects herein contemplated shall be used by the district in furtherance of the trust uses and purposes.

(b) That said lands shall be substantially improved by said district within 10 years of the effective date of this act without expense to the State, and shall always remain available for public use for all purposes consistent with the trust under which the State holds sovereign lands, and the State of California shall have at all times the right to use, without charge, all wharves, docks, piers, slips, quays, and other improvements and facilities constructed on said lands, or any part thereof, for any vessel or other watercraft or aircraft, or railroad, owned or operated by the State of California. If the State Lands Commission determines that the district has failed during said 10-year period to improve said lands as herein required, all right, title, and interest of said district in and to all lands granted by this act shall cease and said lands shall revert and vest in the State.

(c) That in the management, conduct or operation of said harbor, or of any of the utilities, structures, appliances or facilities mentioned in paragraph (a), no discrimination in rates, tolls, or charges or in facilities for any use or service in connection therewith shall ever be made, authorized or permitted by said district or its successors.

(d) There is hereby reserved, however, in the people of the State of California the absolute right to fish in the waters of said harbor with the right of convenient access to said waters over said lands for said purposes together with the right of navigation.

(e) There is hereby excepted and reserved to the State of California all deposits of minerals, including oil and gas, in said land, and to the State of California, or persons authorized by the State of California, the right to prospect for, mine, and remove such deposits from said land, but this exception and reservation shall not apply to dredged or other materials, such as earth, clay, sand, gravel, mud and silt removed in connection with the creation, maintenance or operation of the harbor and other objects herein contemplated.
CHAPTER 1068

An act to add Section 987.25 to the Military and Veterans Code, relating to farm and home purchases.

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The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 987.25 is added to the Military and Veterans Code, to read:

987.25. In the event the department enters into a master agreement with one or more insurance companies to provide life insurance coverage for the purchasers of farms and homes from the department, the master agreement shall provide that the life insurance coverage offered under the master agreement will be offered by the insurance company or companies to disabled and nondisabled veterans on an equal basis and that no veteran shall be denied coverage because that veteran is disabled at the time of application.

CHAPTER 1069

An act creating the Desert Water Agency, and prescribing its boundaries, organization, operation, management, financing and other powers and duties.

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The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. This act is designated, and may be cited and referred to as, the "Desert Water Agency Law."

SEC. 2. The Desert Water Agency is hereby created, organized and incorporated and shall be managed as herein expressly provided and may exercise the powers herein expressly granted or necessarily implied, and may include contiguous or noncontiguous parcels of both unincorporated and incorporated...