

ment, and (3) regulations, prescribed by the Administrative Committee of the Federal Register, for carrying out the provisions of section 11 of the said act, as amended.

PART VI. GENERAL PROVISIONS

SEC. 7. All actions heretofore taken by the President in respect of the matters affected by this order and in force at the time of the issuance of this order, including any regulations prescribed or approved by the President in respect of such matters, shall, except as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of this order, remain in effect until amended, modified, or revoked pursuant to the authority conferred by this order.

SEC. 8. As used in this order, the term "functions" embraces duties, powers, responsibilities, authority, or discretion, and the term "perform" may be construed to mean "exercise."

DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER

THE WHITE HOUSE,
May 10, 1954.

EXECUTIVE ORDER 10531

AMENDMENT OF EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 10450¹ OF APRIL 27, 1953, AS AMENDED, RELATING TO SECURITY REQUIREMENTS FOR GOVERNMENT EMPLOYMENT

By virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the United States, including section 1753 of the Revised Statutes of the United States (5 U. S. C. 631); the Civil Service Act of 1883 (22 Stat. 403; 5 U. S. C. 632, *et seq.*); section 9A of the act of August 2, 1939, 53 Stat. 1148 (5 U. S. C. 118 j); and the act of August 26, 1950, 64 Stat. 476 (5 U. S. C. 22-1, *et seq.*), and as President of the United States, and finding such action necessary in the best interests of the national security, it is hereby ordered as follows:

Subsection (d) of section 8 of Executive Order No. 10450 of April 27, 1953, as amended by Executive Order No. 10491² of October 13, 1953, relating to security requirements for Government employment is hereby amended by striking out after the words "subdivisions (2)" the words "through (7)" and substituting the words "through (8)" so that the last clause of the first sentence of that section will read as follows:

"or information relating to any of the matters described in subdivisions (2) through (8) of subsection (a) of this section."

DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER

THE WHITE HOUSE,
May 27, 1954.

EXECUTIVE ORDER 10532

AMENDMENT OF THE LIST OF COMMUNICABLE DISEASES CONTAINED IN EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 9708¹ OF MARCH 26, 1946

WHEREAS Executive Order No. 9708 of March 26, 1946, specifies certain communicable diseases for the purpose of regulations providing for the apprehension, detention, or conditional release of individuals to prevent the introduction, transmission, or spread of communicable diseases; and

WHEREAS the National Advisory Health Council and the Surgeon General of the Public Health Service have recommended that the communicable disease Relapsing Fever (louse-borne) be likewise specified by including the designation thereof in the list of communicable diseases contained in the said Executive order; and

WHEREAS it appears that such specification would be in the public interest:

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the authority vested in me by section 361 (b) of the Public Health Service Act, approved July 1, 1944 (58 Stat. 703; 42 U. S. C. 264), and as President of the United States, the list of communicable diseases contained in the said Executive Order No. 9708 is hereby amended by including therein a specification of the communicable disease Relapsing Fever (louse-borne), so that such list shall read as follows:

"Anthrax, Chancroid, Cholera, Dengue, Diphtheria, Favus, Gonorrhoea, Granuloma Inguinale, Infectious Encephalitis, Leprosy, Lymphogranuloma Venereum, Meningococcus Meningitis, Plague, Poliomyelitis, Psittacosis, Ringworm of the Scalp, Relapsing Fever (louse-borne), Scarlet Fever, Smallpox, Streptococcal Sore Throat, Syphilis, Trachoma, Tuberculosis, Typhoid Fever, Typhus, Yellow Fever."

DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER

THE WHITE HOUSE,
May 28, 1954.

¹ 18 F. R. 2489; 3 CFR, 1953 Supp., p. 72.

² 3 CFR, 1953 Supp., p. 109.

¹ 11 F. R. 3241; 3 CFR, 1946 Supp.