



British Nationality and Status of Aliens Act 1943

1943 CHAPTER 14

Naturalization of Aliens

4 Special power to grant certificates of naturalization to French nationals serving in His Majesty's forces

If at any time during the present war period an application for a certificate of naturalization is made to the Secretary of State by any person appearing to him to be or to have been at any time during that period a French national, then if the Secretary of State is satisfied that the applicant—

- (a) is, or has at any time during that period been, a member of His Majesty's forces; and
- (b) is a proper person to be naturalized as a British subject,

the Secretary of State may grant to the applicant a certificate of naturalization under section two of the principal Act notwithstanding that the requirements of subsection (1) of that section are not complied with.

5 Special certificates of imperial naturalization granted in Dominions

A certificate of naturalization granted in accordance with any law in force in any Dominion, being a law providing for the naturalization of persons in consideration of service rendered at any time during the present war period in connection with the prosecution of the war, shall have the same effect as a certificate of naturalization granted by the Secretary of State under Part II of the said Act and shall be deemed for the purposes of that Act to be a certificate of naturalization granted thereunder.