and returned within six months, having proceeded only to such countries, islands, and territories of the Western Hemisphere as may be specified in regulations issued by the Secretary of State.

- (e) An alien immigrant who has previously been legally admitted into the United States for permanent residence, reentering from a journey beginning in an American port, without transshipment from the original vessel to another vessel.
- (f) An alien immigrant who has previously been legally admitted into the Umited States for permanent residence, has departed therefrom and has returned from a temporary visit abroad, and who presents an unexpired permit to reenter, issued pursuant to section 10 of the Immigration Act of 1924.
- 2. An immigrant Spanish national who on April 11, 1899 (whether adult or minor), was a bona fide resident of Puerto Rico or adjacent islands which comprised the Province of Puerto Rico, and who, in conformity with Article IX of the treaty between the United States and Spain of April 11, 1899, has preserved his allegiance to Spain, may present a passport visa, in lieu of an immigration visa, for entry into Puerto Rico. Such aliens may be admitted into Puerto Rico without regard to the provisions of the Immigration Act of 1924, except section 23. (Act of May 26, 1926, ch. 400, 44 Stat. 657).
- 3. In such classes of cases and under such conditions as may by regulations be prescribed, the immigration visa requirements may be waived, under section 13 (b) of the Immigration Act of 1924, and the passport requirements may also be waived, for an alien immigrant who has previously been legally admitted into the United States for permanent residence, has departed therefrom, and is returning from a temporary visit abroad.
- 4. In such classes of cases and under such conditions as may by regulations be prescribed by the Secretary of State, the passport requirements may be waived for any immigrant.

## PART III

The Executive Secretary of the Panama Canal is hereby authorized to issue passport visas, transit certificates, limited entry certificates, and immigration visas to aliens coming to the United States from the Canal Zone. The Government of American Samoa is hereby authorized to issue passport visas, transit certificates, limited entry certificates, and immigration visas to aliens coming to the United States from American Samoa. The Governor of Guam is hereby authorized to issue passport visas, transit certificates, limited entry certificates, and immigration visas to aliens coming to the United States from Guam.

PART IV