

CHAPTER 13—AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL COLLEGES

SUBCHAPTER I—COLLEGE-AID LAND APPROPRIATION

SUBCHAPTER REFERRED TO IN OTHER SECTIONS

This subchapter is referred to in sections 322, 323, 329, 331, 341, 361a, 390b, 1926, 2204c, 2662, 2663, 2664, 3103, 3124a, 3703 of this title; title 16 sections 551c, 582a-1, 1672; title 20 section 1060; title 22 section 2220a; title 42 sections 1788, 10303.

§ 301. Land grant aid of colleges

COLLEGE OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS, COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF AMERICAN SAMOA, COLLEGE OF MICRONESIA, NORTHERN MARIANAS COLLEGE, AND UNIVERSITY OF GUAM; LAND-GRANT STATUS; AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS

Section 506(a), (b) of Pub. L. 92-318, title V, June 23, 1972, 86 Stat. 350, as amended by Pub. L. 96-374, title XIII, § 1361(a), Oct. 3, 1980, 94 Stat. 1501; Pub. L. 99-396, § 9(a), Aug. 27, 1986, 100 Stat. 840, as amended by Pub. L. 102-247, title III, § 305, Feb. 24, 1992, 106 Stat. 39, provided that:

[See main edition for text of (a)]

“(b) In lieu of extending to the Virgin Islands, Guam, American Samoa, Micronesia, and the Northern Mariana Islands those provisions of the Act of July 2, 1862, as amended, relating to donations of public land or land scrip for the endowment and maintenance of colleges or the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts, there is authorized to be appropriated \$3,000,000 to the Virgin Islands and \$3,000,000 to Guam and an equal amount to American Samoa, Micronesia, and to the Northern Mariana Islands. Amounts appropriated pursuant to this section shall be held and considered to have been granted to the Virgin Islands, Guam, American Samoa, Micronesia, and the Northern Mariana Islands subject to the provisions of that Act applicable to the proceeds from the sale of land or land scrip.”

SUBCHAPTER II—COLLEGE-AID ANNUAL APPROPRIATION

SUBCHAPTER REFERRED TO IN OTHER SECTIONS

This subchapter is referred to in sections 331, 341, 390b, 450i, 1358c, 1926, 2204c, 2209b, 2662, 2663, 2664, 3103, 3122, 3124a, 3221, 3222, 3222a, 3222b, 3222c, 3223, 3224, 3703, 5812 of this title; title 16 sections 551c, 1672, 1673; title 20 section 3441; title 22 section 2220a; title 42 section 1788.

SUBCHAPTER IV—AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION WORK APPROPRIATION

SUBCHAPTER REFERRED TO IN OTHER SECTIONS

This subchapter is referred to in sections 418, 1358b, 3103, 3124a, 3221 of this title; title 39 section 3202; title 40 section 483.

§ 341. Cooperative extension work by colleges

CODIFICATION

Another section 1447 of Pub. L. 95-113 is classified to section 3222b of this title.

§ 342. Cooperative agricultural extension work; cooperation with Secretary of Agriculture

CODIFICATION

Another section 1447 of Pub. L. 95-113 is classified to section 3222b of this title.

§ 344. Ascertainment of entitlement; guidelines concerning conflicts of interest among employees; time and manner of payment; reports of receipts and disbursements

On or about the first day of October in each year after June 26, 1953, the Secretary of Agriculture shall ascertain as to each State whether it is entitled to receive its share of the annual appropriation for cooperative agricultural extension work under this subchapter and the amount which it is entitled to receive. Before the funds herein provided shall become available to any college for any fiscal year, plans for the work to be carried on under this subchapter shall be submitted by the proper officials of each college and approved by the Secretary of Agriculture. The Secretary shall ensure that each college seeking to receive funds under this subchapter has in place appropriate guidelines, as determined by the Secretary, to minimize actual or potential conflicts of interest among employees of such college whose salaries are funded in whole or in part with such funds. Such sums shall be paid in equal quarterly payments in or about July, October, January, and April of each year to the treasurer or other officer of the State duly authorized by the laws of the State to receive the same, and such officer shall be required to report to the Secretary of Agriculture on or about the first day of April of each year, a detailed statement of the amount so received during the previous fiscal year and its disbursement, on forms prescribed by the Secretary of Agriculture.

(As amended Nov. 28, 1990, Pub. L. 101-624, title XVI, § 1617, 104 Stat. 3732.)

AMENDMENTS

1990—Pub. L. 101-624 inserted after second sentence “The Secretary shall ensure that each college seeking to receive funds under this subchapter has in place appropriate guidelines, as determined by the Secretary, to minimize actual or potential conflicts of interest among employees of such college whose salaries are funded in whole or in part with such funds.”

CHAPTER 14—AGRICULTURAL EXPERIMENT STATIONS

SUBCHAPTER I—GENERAL PROVISIONS

ACT REFERRED TO IN OTHER SECTIONS

Sections 361a to 361i, commonly known as the Hatch Act of 1887, are referred to in sections 384, 390b, 418, 450i, 3103, 3124a, 3311 of this title; title 16 section 582a-1; title 40 section 483.

§ 361a. Congressional declaration of purpose; definitions

SECTION REFERRED TO IN OTHER SECTIONS

This section is referred to in sections 361c, 361d, 361e, 361g, 361h, 361i, 418, 2664 of this title; title 16 section 582a-1.

§ 361c. Authorization of appropriations and allotments of grants

[See main edition for text of (a) to (c)]

(d) Allotment of amounts in excess of \$90,000

Of any amount in excess of \$90,000 available under sections 361a to 361i of this title for allotment to any State, exclusive of the regional research fund, State agricultural experiment stations, no allotment and no payments thereof shall be made in excess of the amount which the State makes available out of its own funds for research and for the establishment and maintenance of facilities necessary for the prosecution of such research: *And provided further*, That if any State fails to make available for such research purposes for any fiscal year a sum equal to the amount in excess of \$90,000 to which it may be entitled for such year, the remainder of such amount shall be withheld by the Secretary of Agriculture and reapportioned among the States.

[See main edition for text of (e) to (g)]

(As amended Nov. 28, 1990, Pub. L. 101-624, title XVI, § 1618(a), 104 Stat. 3733.)

AMENDMENTS

1990—Subsec. (d). Pub. L. 101-624 inserted before period at end "and reapportioned among the States".

SUBCHAPTER III—RESEARCH FACILITIES

§ 390c. Administration

(a) Authorization of appropriations

There are authorized to be appropriated, for grants to eligible institutions under this subchapter to be used for the purpose set out in section 390a of this title, \$50,000,000 for each of the fiscal years 1991 through 1995.

[See main edition for text of (b) and (c)]

(As amended Pub. L. 101-624, title XVI, § 1601(a), Nov. 28, 1990, 104 Stat. 3703.)

AMENDMENTS

1990—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 101-624 substituted "\$50,000,000" for "\$20,000,000" and "1991 through 1995" for "ending September 30, 1986, through September 30, 1990".

CHAPTER 17—MISCELLANEOUS MATTERS

Sec.

411a. Repealed.

§ 411a. Repealed. Pub. L. 101-624, title XXV, § 2514(d), Nov. 28, 1990, 104 Stat. 4075

Section, acts Mar. 4, 1909, ch. 301, 35 Stat. 1053; Mar. 4, 1917, ch. 179, 39 Stat. 1157, related to contents, issuance, and approval by Secretary of Agriculture of monthly crop report.

§ 426. Predatory and other wild animals; eradication and control; investigations, experiments, and tests by Secretary of Agriculture; cooperation with other agencies

The Secretary of Agriculture is authorized and directed to conduct such investigations, experiments, and tests as he may deem necessary in order to determine, demonstrate, and promulgate the best methods of eradication, suppression, or bringing under control on national forests and other areas of the public domain as

well as on State, Territory, or privately owned lands of mountain lions, wolves, coyotes, bobcats, prairie dogs, gophers, ground squirrels, jack rabbits, brown tree snakes, and other animals injurious to agriculture, horticulture, forestry, animal husbandry, wild game animals, fur-bearing animals, and birds, and for the protection of stock and other domestic animals through the suppression of rabies and tularemia in predatory or other wild animals; and to conduct campaigns for the destruction or control of such animals: *Provided*, That in carrying out the provisions of this section the Secretary of Agriculture may cooperate with States, individuals, and public and private agencies, organizations, and institutions.

(As amended Dec. 13, 1991, Pub. L. 102-237, title X, § 1013(d), 105 Stat. 1901.)

AMENDMENTS

1991—Pub. L. 102-237 inserted "brown tree snakes," after "rabbits,".

PREVENTION OF INTRODUCTION OF BROWN TREE SNAKES TO HAWAII FROM GUAM

Section 1013(a)-(c) of Pub. L. 102-237 provided that:

"(a) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary of Agriculture shall, to the extent practicable, take such action as may be necessary to prevent the inadvertent introduction of brown tree snakes into other areas of the United States from Guam.

"(b) INTRODUCTION INTO HAWAII.—The Secretary shall initiate a program to prevent, to the extent practicable, the introduction of the brown tree snake into Hawaii from Guam. In carrying out this section, the Secretary shall consider the use of sniffer or tracking dogs, snake traps, and other preventative processes or devices at aircraft and vessel loading facilities on Guam, Hawaii, or intermediate sites serving as transportation points that could result in the introduction of brown tree snakes into Hawaii.

"(c) AUTHORITY.—The Secretary shall use the authority provided under the Federal Plant Pest Act (7 U.S.C. 150aa et seq.) to carry out subsections (a) and (b)."

Pub. L. 102-190, div. A, title III, § 348, Dec. 5, 1991, 105 Stat. 1348, provided that: "The Secretary of Defense shall take such action as may be necessary to prevent the inadvertent introduction of brown tree snakes from Guam to Hawaii in aircraft and vessels transporting personnel or cargo for the Department of Defense. In carrying out this section, the Secretary shall consider the use of sniffer or tracking dogs, snake traps, and other preventive processes or devices at aircraft and vessel loading facilities in Guam or Hawaii or at intermediate transit points for personnel or cargo transported between Guam and Hawaii."

§ 427. Agriculture research; declaration of policy; duties of Secretary of Agriculture; use of existing facilities

CODIFICATION

Another section 1446 of Pub. L. 95-113 is classified to section 3222a of this title.

SECTION REFERRED TO IN OTHER SECTIONS

This section is referred to in sections 361a, 427i, 1623a, 1629, 3152 of this title; title 42 section 8852.