

§ 2049. Loans for Senate Restaurants**(a) Borrowing authority**

Subject to the approval of the Senate Committee on Rules and Administration, the Architect of the Capitol shall have authority to borrow (and be accountable for), from time to time, from the appropriation account, within the contingent fund of the Senate, for “Miscellaneous Items”, such amount as he may determine necessary to carry out the provisions of the joint resolution entitled “Joint Resolution transferring the management of the Senate Restaurants to the Architect of the Capitol, and for other purposes”, approved July 6, 1961, as amended (40 U.S.C. 174j-1 through 174j-8) [2 U.S.C. 2042 et seq.],¹ and resolutions of the Senate amendatory thereof or supplementary thereto.

(b) Amount and period of loan; voucher

Any such loan authorized pursuant to subsection (a) of this section shall be for such amount and for such period as the Senate Committee on Rules and Administration shall prescribe, and shall be made by the Secretary of the Senate to the Architect of the Capitol upon a voucher approved by the Chairman of the Senate Committee on Rules and Administration.

(c) Deposit, credit, and future availability of proceeds from repayment

All proceeds from the repayment of any such loan shall be deposited in the appropriation account, within the contingent fund of the Senate, for “Miscellaneous Items”, shall be credited to the fiscal year during which such loan was made, and shall thereafter be available for the same purposes for which the amount loaned was initially appropriated.

(Pub. L. 98-396, title I, Aug. 22, 1984, 98 Stat. 1395.)

REFERENCES IN TEXT

The Joint Resolution entitled “Joint Resolution transferring the management of the Senate Restaurants to the Architect of the Capitol, and for other purposes”, approved July 6, 1961, referred to in subsec. (a), is Pub. L. 87-82, July 6, 1961, 75 Stat. 199, as amended, which enacted sections 174j-1 to 174j-7 of former Title 40, Public Buildings, Property, and Works. Sections 174j-1 and 174j-3 to 174j-7 of former Title 40 were transferred to sections 2042 and 2043 to 2047 of this title, respectively. Section 174j-2 of former Title 40 was repealed by Pub. L. 107-217, §6(b), Aug. 21, 2002, 116 Stat. 1304. Section 174j-8 of former Title 40, which was not enacted by Pub. L. 87-82, was transferred to section 2048 of this title and subsequently repealed. For complete classification of this Act to the Code, see Tables.

CODIFICATION

Section was classified to section 174j-9 of former Title 40, prior to the enactment of Title 40, Public Buildings, Property, and Works, by Pub. L. 107-217, §1, Aug. 21, 2002, 116 Stat. 1062.

§ 2050. Transfer of appropriations for management personnel and miscellaneous restaurant expenses to special deposit account

Appropriations under this heading for management personnel and miscellaneous restaurant expenses on and after October 7, 1997, shall be

transferred at the beginning of each fiscal year to the special deposit account in the United States Treasury established under section 2044 of this title, and effective October 1, 1997, all management personnel of the Senate Restaurant facilities shall be paid from the special deposit account. Management personnel transferred hereunder shall be paid at the same rates of pay applicable immediately prior to the date of transfer, and annual and sick leave balances shall be credited to leave accounts of such personnel in the Senate Restaurants.

(Pub. L. 105-55, title I, Oct. 7, 1997, 111 Stat. 1189.)

REFERENCES IN TEXT

Appropriations under this heading, referred to in text, probably means appropriations under the headings “ARCHITECT OF THE CAPITOL”, “CAPITAL BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS”, and “SENATE OFFICE BUILDINGS” in the annual Legislative Branch Appropriations Act.

CODIFICATION

Section was classified to section 174j-10 of former Title 40, prior to the enactment of Title 40, Public Buildings, Property, and Works, by Pub. L. 107-217, §1, Aug. 21, 2002, 116 Stat. 1062.

§ 2051. Continued benefits for certain Senate Restaurants employees**(a) Definitions**

In this section:

(1) Contractor

The term “contractor” means the private business concern that enters into a food services contract with the Architect of the Capitol.

(2) Covered individual

The term “covered individual” means any individual who—

(A) is a Senate Restaurants employee who is an employee of the Architect of the Capitol on July 17, 2008, including—

- (i) a permanent, full-time or part-time employee;
- (ii) a temporary, full-time or part-time employee; and
- (iii) an employee in a position described under section 2048¹ of this title;

(B) becomes an employee of the contractor under a food services contract on the transfer date; and

(C) with respect to benefits under subsection (c)(2) or (3), files an election before the transfer date with the Office of Human Resources of the Architect of the Capitol to have 1 or more benefits continued in accordance with this section.

(3) Food services contract

The term “food services contract” means a contract under which food services operations of the Senate Restaurants are transferred to, and performed by, a private business concern.

(4) Transfer date

The term “transfer date” means the date on which a contractor begins the performance of

¹ See References in Text note below.

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