$\S701(3)$ ], Apr. 26, 1996, 110 Stat. 1321–211, 1321–251; renumbered title I, Pub. L. 104–140,  $\S1(a)$ , May 2, 1996, 110 Stat. 1327, authorized appropriations.

#### EFFECTIVE DATE OF REPEAL

Repeal effective Jan. 8, 2002, except with respect to certain noncompetitive programs and competitive programs, see section 5 of Pub. L. 107–110, set out as an Effective Date note under section 6301 of this title.

# SUBCHAPTER III—STATE AND LOCAL EDUCATION SYSTEMIC IMPROVEMENT

### §§ 5881 to 5891. Repealed. Pub. L. 106–113, div. B, § 1000(a)(4) [title III, § 310(i)], Nov. 29, 1999, 113 Stat. 1535, 1501A–265

Section 5881, Pub. L. 103–227, title III,  $\S$ 301, Mar. 31, 1994, 108 Stat. 157, related to congressional findings.

Section 5882, Pub. L. 103-227, title III, §302, Mar. 31, 1994, 108 Stat. 158, stated purpose of subchapter.

Section 5883, Pub. L. 103-227, title III, §303, Mar. 31, 1994, 108 Stat. 158, related to authorization of appropriations.

Section 5884, Pub. L. 103–227, title III,  $\S$ 304, Mar. 31, 1994, 108 Stat. 158; Pub. L. 104–134, title I,  $\S$ 101(d) [title VII,  $\S$ 8703(a)(8), 704], Apr. 26, 1996, 110 Stat. 1321–211, 1321–252, 1321–255; renumbered title I, Pub. L. 104–140,  $\S$ 1(a), May 2, 1996, 110 Stat. 1327, related to allotment of funds.

Section 5885, Pub. L. 103-227, title III, §305, Mar. 31, 1994, 108 Stat. 159; Pub. L. 104-134, title I, §101(d) [title VII, §705(b)], Apr. 26, 1996, 110 Stat. 1321-211, 1321-256; renumbered title I, Pub. L. 104-140, §1(a), May 2, 1996, 110 Stat. 1327, related to State applications.

Section 5886, Pub. L. 103-227, title III, §306, Mar. 31, 1994, 108 Stat. 160; Pub. L. 104-134, title I, §101(d) [title VII, §§702(a), 703(a)(9), 705(a)], Apr. 26, 1996, 110 Stat. 1321-211, 1321-251, 1321-253, 1321-256; renumbered title I, Pub. L. 104-140, §1(a), May 2, 1996, 110 Stat. 1327, related to State improvement plans.

Section 5887, Pub. L. 103–227, title III, §307, Mar. 31, 1994, 108 Stat. 167; Pub. L. 104–134, title I, §101(d) [title VII, §705(c)], Apr. 26, 1996, 110 Stat. 1321–211, 1321–256; renumbered title I, Pub. L. 104–140, §1(a), May 2, 1996, 110 Stat. 1327, related to Secretary's review of applications and payments.

Section 5888, Pub. L. 103–227, title III, §308, Mar. 31, 1994, 108 Stat. 168; Pub. L. 104–134, title I, §101(d) [title VII, §703(a)(10)], Apr. 26, 1996, 110 Stat. 1321–211, 1321–253; renumbered title I, Pub. L. 104–140, §1(a), May 2, 1996, 110 Stat. 1327, related to State use of funds.

Section 5889, Pub. L. 103-227, title III, §309, Mar. 31, 1994, 108 Stat. 169; Pub. L. 103-382, title III, §361(c), Oct. 20, 1994, 108 Stat. 3975; Pub. L. 104-134, title I, §101(d) [title VII, §§702(b), 703(a)(11)], Apr. 26, 1996, 110 Stat. 1321-211, 1321-251, 1321-253; renumbered title I, Pub. L. 104-140, §1(a), May 2, 1996, 110 Stat. 1327, related to subgrants for local reform and professional development.

Section 5890, Pub. L. 103–227, title III, §310, Mar. 31, 1994, 108 Stat. 174; Pub. L. 103–382, title III, §394(f)(4), Oct. 20, 1994, 108 Stat. 4028, related to availability of information and training.

Section 5891, Pub. L. 103–227, title III, §311, Mar. 31, 1994, 108 Stat. 174; Pub. L. 103–382, title III, §394(f)(5), Oct. 20, 1994, 108 Stat. 4028, related to waivers of statutory and regulatory requirements.

## EFFECTIVE DATE OF REPEAL

Pub. L. 106-113, div. B, \$1000(a)(4) [title III, \$310(i)], Nov. 29, 1999, 113 Stat. 1535, 1501A-265, provided that: "Titles III [enacting this subchapter] and IV [enacting subchapter IV of this chapter] of the Goals 2000: Educate America Act are repealed on September 30, 2000."

# § 5891a. Definitions

In this Act:

# (1) Local educational agency; State educational agency; outlying area

The terms "local educational agency", "State educational agency", and "outlying area" have the meanings given the terms in section 7801 of this title.

# (2) Eligible school attendance area; school attendance area

The terms "eligible school attendance area" and "school attendance area" have the meanings given the terms in section 6313(a)(2) of this title.

## (3) Secretary

The term "Secretary" means the Secretary of Education.

#### (4) State

The term "State" means each of the 50 States, the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, and each outlying area.

(Pub. L. 106-25, §3, Apr. 29, 1999, 113 Stat. 42; Pub. L. 107-110, title X, §1076(o), Jan. 8, 2002, 115 Stat. 2092.)

#### References in Text

This Act, referred to in text, is Pub. L. 106–25, Apr. 29, 1999, 113 Stat. 41, known as the Education Flexibility Partnership Act of 1999, which enacted sections 5891a and 5891b of this title, amended section 1415 of this title, and enacted provisions set out as notes under sections 1415 and 5891a of this title. For complete classification of this Act to the Code, see Short Title of 1999 Amendment note set out under section 5801 of this title and Tables.

#### CODIFICATION

Section was enacted as part of the Education Flexibility Partnership Act of 1999, and not as part of the Goals 2000: Educate America Act which comprises this chapter.

### AMENDMENTS

2002—Par. (1). Pub. L. 107–110 substituted "7801" for "8801".

## EFFECTIVE DATE OF 2002 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 107–110 effective Jan. 8, 2002, except with respect to certain noncompetitive programs and competitive programs, see section 5 of Pub. L. 107–110, set out as an Effective Date note under section 6301 of this title.

### FINDINGS

Pub. L. 106–25, §2, Apr. 29, 1999, 113 Stat. 41, provided that: "Congress makes the following findings:

- "(1) States differ substantially in demographics, in school governance, and in school finance and funding. The administrative and funding mechanisms that help schools in one State improve may not prove successful in other States.
- "(2) Although the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 [20 U.S.C. 6301 et seq.] and other Federal education statutes afford flexibility to State educational agencies and local educational agencies in implementing Federal programs, certain requirements of Federal education statutes or regulations may impede local efforts to reform and improve education.
- "(3) By granting waivers of certain statutory and regulatory requirements, the Federal Government can remove impediments for local educational agencies in implementing educational reforms and raising the achievement levels of all children.
- "(4) State educational agencies are closer to local school systems, implement statewide educational re-