

with 2003), the foundation may sponsor a conference in the Washington, D.C. metropolitan area to honor secondary school students and other individuals who have served (or plan to serve) as poll workers and assistants and who have otherwise participated in the programs and activities of the foundation.

(Added Pub. L. 107-252, title VI, § 601(a), Oct. 29, 2002, 116 Stat. 1720.)

§ 152606. Principal office

The principal office of the foundation shall be in the District of Columbia unless the board of directors determines otherwise. However, the foundation may conduct business throughout the States, territories, and possessions of the United States.

(Added Pub. L. 107-252, title VI, § 601(a), Oct. 29, 2002, 116 Stat. 1720.)

§ 152607. Service of process

The foundation shall have a designated agent to receive service of process for the foundation. Notice to or service on the agent, or mailed to the business address of the agent, is notice to or service on the foundation.

(Added Pub. L. 107-252, title VI, § 601(a), Oct. 29, 2002, 116 Stat. 1721.)

§ 152608. Annual audit

The foundation shall enter into a contract with an independent auditor to conduct an annual audit of the foundation.

(Added Pub. L. 107-252, title VI, § 601(a), Oct. 29, 2002, 116 Stat. 1721.)

§ 152609. Civil action by Attorney General for equitable relief

The Attorney General may bring a civil action in the United States District Court for the District of Columbia for appropriate equitable relief if the foundation—

- (1) engages or threatens to engage in any act, practice, or policy that is inconsistent with the purposes in section 152602 of this title; or
- (2) refuses, fails, or neglects to carry out its obligations under this chapter or threatens to do so.

(Added Pub. L. 107-252, title VI, § 601(a), Oct. 29, 2002, 116 Stat. 1721.)

§ 152610. Immunity of United States Government

The United States Government is not liable for any debts, defaults, acts, or omissions of the foundation. The full faith and credit of the Government does not extend to any obligation of the foundation.

(Added Pub. L. 107-252, title VI, § 601(a), Oct. 29, 2002, 116 Stat. 1721.)

§ 152611. Authorization of appropriations

There are authorized to be appropriated to the foundation for carrying out the purposes of this chapter—

- (1) \$5,000,000 for fiscal year 2003; and
- (2) such sums as may be necessary for each succeeding fiscal year.

(Added Pub. L. 107-252, title VI, § 601(a), Oct. 29, 2002, 116 Stat. 1721.)

§ 152612. Annual report

As soon as practicable after the end of each fiscal year, the foundation shall submit a report to the Commission, the President, and Congress on the activities of the foundation during the prior fiscal year, including a complete statement of its receipts, expenditures, and investments. Such report shall contain information gathered from participating secondary school students describing the nature of the work they performed in assisting local election officials and the value they derived from the experience of educating participants about the electoral process.

(Added Pub. L. 107-252, title VI, § 601(a), Oct. 29, 2002, 116 Stat. 1721.)

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§ 152701. Definition

For purposes of this chapter, “State” includes the District of Columbia and the territories and possessions of the United States.

(Pub. L. 105-225, Aug. 12, 1998, 112 Stat. 1418.)

HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

| Revised Section | Source (U.S. Code) | Source (Statutes at Large) |
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| 152701 | 36:1513. | Dec. 2, 1980, Pub. L. 96-489, §14, 94 Stat. 2555. |

The words “the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico” are omitted as included in “the territories and possessions of the United States”.

§ 152702. Organization

(a) FEDERAL CHARTER.—National Ski Patrol System, Incorporated (in this chapter, the “corporation”), incorporated in New York and Colorado, is a federally chartered corporation.

(b) EXPIRATION OF CHARTER.—If the corporation does not comply with any provision of this chapter, the charter granted by this chapter expires.

(Pub. L. 105-225, Aug. 12, 1998, 112 Stat. 1418.)

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