# SUBCHAPTER III—AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS

# §15751. Authorization of appropriations

(a) IN GENERAL.—There is authorized to be appropriated to each Commission to carry out this subtitle \$30,000,000 for each of fiscal years 2008 through 2012.

(b) ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES.—Not more than 10 percent of the funds made available to a Commission in a fiscal year under this section may be used for administrative expenses.

(Added Pub. L. 110-234, title XIV, \$14217(a)(2), May 22, 2008, 122 Stat. 1482, and Pub. L. 110-246, \$4(a), title XIV, \$14217(a)(2), June 18, 2008, 122 Stat. 1664, 2244.)

#### CODIFICATION

Pub. L. 110–234 and Pub. L. 110–246 enacted identical sections. Pub. L. 110–234 was repealed by section 4(a) of Pub. L. 110–246.

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2008—Pub. L. 110–234, title XIV, \$14217(a)(1), May 22, 2008, 122 Stat. 1467, and Pub. L. 110–246, title XIV, \$14217(a)(1), June 18, 2008, 122 Stat. 2229, made identical amendments, redesignating subtile V of this title as subtile VI. The amendment by Pub. L. 110–234 was repealed by Pub. L. 110–246, \$4(a), June 18, 2008, 122 Stat. 1664.

## CHAPTER 171—SAFETY STANDARDS FOR MOTOR VEHICLES

Sec.

- 17102. Prohibition on acquisition or purchase of motor vehicles by Federal Government.
- 17103. Commercial standards for passenger safety devices.

### §17101. Definitions

In this chapter, the following definitions apply:

(1) FEDERAL GOVERNMENT.—The term "Federal Government" includes the government of the District of Columbia.

(2) MOTOR VEHICLE.—The term "motor vehicle" means a vehicle, self-propelled or drawn by mechanical power, designed for use on the highways principally for the transportation of passengers, except a vehicle designed or used for military field training, combat, or tactical purposes.

# (Pub. L. 107-217, Aug. 21, 2002, 116 Stat. 1279.)

HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

Revised Section	Source (U.S. Code)	Source (Statutes at Large)
17101	40:703.	Pub. L. 88-515, §3, Aug. 30, 1964, 78 Stat. 696.

In clause (1), the words "the legislative, executive, and judicial branches of the Government of the United States" are omitted as unnecessary.

### § 17102. Prohibition on acquisition or purchase of motor vehicles by Federal Government

The Federal Government shall not purchase a motor vehicle for use by the Government unless that motor vehicle is equipped with reasonable passenger safety devices that the Administrator of General Services requires. Those devices shall conform with standards the Administrator prescribes under section 17103 of this title.

(Pub. L. 107-217, Aug. 21, 2002, 116 Stat. 1279.)

HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

Revised Section	Source (U.S. Code)	Source (Statutes at Large)
17102	40:701.	Pub. L. 88-515, §1, Aug. 30, 1964, 78 Stat. 696.

The words "manufactured on or after the effective date of this section" are omitted as executed.

# §17103. Commercial standards for passenger safety devices

The Administrator of General Services shall prescribe and publish in the Federal Register commercial standards for passenger safety devices the Administrator requires under section 17102 of this title. Changes in the standards take effect one year and 90 days after the publication of the standards in the Federal Register.

(Pub. L. 107-217, Aug. 21, 2002, 116 Stat. 1279.)

HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

Revised Section	Source (U.S. Code)	Source (Statutes at Large)
17103	40:701 note.	Pub. L. 88-515, §§2, 4, Aug 30, 1964, 78 Stat. 696.
	40:702.	30, 1964, 78 Stat. 696.

The first sentence of section 4 of the Act of August 30, 1964, and 40:702 (last sentence) are omitted as executed.

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# §17301. Definitions

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In this chapter, the following definitions apply: