

## PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 3173, Pub. L. 89-136, title IV, §405, as added Pub. L. 94-487, title I, §117, Oct. 12, 1976, 90 Stat. 2335, directed furnishing of unemployment rate information by either Federal Government or State, prior to repeal by Pub. L. 105-393, §102(a).

A prior section 403 of Pub. L. 89-136 was classified to section 3171 of this title prior to repeal by Pub. L. 105-393, §102(a).

**§ 3174. Provision of comprehensive economic development strategies to Regional Commissions**

If any part of an economic development district is in a region covered by 1 or more of the Regional Commissions, the economic development district shall ensure that a copy of the comprehensive economic development strategy of the district is provided to the affected Regional Commission.

(Pub. L. 89-136, title IV, §404, as added Pub. L. 105-393, title I, §102(a), Nov. 13, 1998, 112 Stat. 3609; amended Pub. L. 108-373, title IV, §402(a), Oct. 27, 2004, 118 Stat. 1768.)

## PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 404 of Pub. L. 89-136 was classified to section 3172 of this title prior to repeal by Pub. L. 105-393, §102(a).

## AMENDMENTS

2004—Pub. L. 108-373 amended section catchline and text generally. Prior to amendment, text read as follows: “If any part of an economic development district is in the Appalachian region (as defined in section 403 of the Appalachian Regional Development Act of 1965 (40 U.S.C. App.)), the economic development district shall ensure that a copy of the comprehensive economic development strategy of the district is provided to the Appalachian Regional Commission established under that Act.”

**§ 3175. Assistance to parts of economic development districts not in eligible areas**

Notwithstanding section 3161 of this title, the Secretary may provide such assistance as is available under this chapter for a project in a part of an economic development district that is not in an area described in section 3161(a) of this title, if the project will be of a substantial direct benefit to an area described in section 3161(a) of this title that is located in the district.

(Pub. L. 89-136, title IV, §405, as added Pub. L. 105-393, title I, §102(a), Nov. 13, 1998, 112 Stat. 3609.)

## PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 405 of Pub. L. 89-136 was classified to section 3173 of this title prior to repeal by Pub. L. 105-393, §102(a).

Prior sections 3181 to 3190 were repealed by Pub. L. 97-35, title XVIII, §1821(a)(8), Aug. 13, 1981, 95 Stat. 766, effective Sept. 30, 1981.

Section 3181, Pub. L. 89-136, title V, §501, Aug. 26, 1965, 79 Stat. 564; Pub. L. 91-123, title II, §202, Nov. 25, 1969, 83 Stat. 216; Pub. L. 94-188, title II, §209(a), Dec. 31, 1975, 89 Stat. 1091, related to designation, etc., of economic development regions.

Section 3182, Pub. L. 89-136, title V, §502, Aug. 26, 1965, 79 Stat. 564; Pub. L. 94-188, title II, §§208, 209(b), Dec. 31, 1975, 89 Stat. 1091, related to establishment, membership, etc., of regional commissions.

Section 3183, Pub. L. 89-136, title V, §503, Aug. 26, 1965, 79 Stat. 565; Pub. L. 90-103, title II, §201, Oct. 11, 1967,

81 Stat. 266; Pub. L. 93-423, §9(a), Sept. 27, 1974, 88 Stat. 1162, set forth functions of Commissions.

Section 3184, Pub. L. 89-136, title V, §504, Aug. 26, 1965, 79 Stat. 566, set out program development criteria.

Section 3185, Pub. L. 89-136, title V, §505, Aug. 26, 1965, 79 Stat. 566; Pub. L. 90-103, title II, §202, Oct. 11, 1967, 81 Stat. 266; Pub. L. 91-123, title II, §203, Nov. 25, 1969, 83 Stat. 216; Pub. L. 93-423, §9(b), Sept. 27, 1974, 88 Stat. 1162; Pub. L. 94-273, §2(25), Apr. 21, 1976, 90 Stat. 376, set out provisions relating to technical and planning assistance to regional commissions.

Section 3186, Pub. L. 89-136, title V, §506, Aug. 26, 1965, 79 Stat. 567; Pub. L. 91-123, title II, §204, Nov. 25, 1969, 83 Stat. 217, related to administrative powers of regional commissions and headquarters of Federal co-chairman.

Section 3187, Pub. L. 89-136, title V, §507, Aug. 26, 1965, 79 Stat. 568, related to information procurement.

Section 3188, Pub. L. 89-136, title V, §508, Aug. 26, 1965, 79 Stat. 568, related to personal financial interests of commission personnel.

Section 3188a, Pub. L. 89-136, title V, §509, as added Pub. L. 90-103, title II, §203, Oct. 11, 1967, 81 Stat. 266; amended Pub. L. 91-123, title II, §205, Nov. 25, 1969, 83 Stat. 217; Pub. L. 91-258, title I, §52(b)(2), May 21, 1970, 84 Stat. 235; Pub. L. 92-65, title I, §109, Aug. 5, 1971, 85 Stat. 167; Pub. L. 93-46, §5, June 18, 1973, 87 Stat. 97; Pub. L. 93-423, §9(c), Sept. 27, 1974, 88 Stat. 1162; Pub. L. 94-188, title II, §202, Dec. 31, 1975, 89 Stat. 1087; Pub. L. 94-487, title I, §§118, 119, Oct. 12, 1976, 90 Stat. 2335, 2336; Pub. L. 96-506, §1(9), Dec. 8, 1980, 94 Stat. 2745, related to supplements to Federal grant-in-aid programs.

Section 3189, Pub. L. 89-136, title V, §510, formerly §509, Aug. 26, 1965, 79 Stat. 569; renumbered §510, Pub. L. 90-103, title II, §203, Oct. 11, 1967, 81 Stat. 266; Pub. L. 94-273, §25, Apr. 21, 1976, 90 Stat. 380, related to annual reports to Congress.

Section 3190, Pub. L. 89-136, title V, §511, as added Pub. L. 91-123, title II, §206, Nov. 25, 1969, 83 Stat. 218; amended Pub. L. 93-423, §9(d), Sept. 27, 1974, 88 Stat. 1162, required coordination of activities between Secretary and Federal cochairmen in grants and loans.

## SUBCHAPTER V—ADMINISTRATION

**§ 3191. Assistant Secretary for Economic Development**

**(a) In general**

The Secretary shall carry out this chapter through an Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Economic Development, to be appointed by the President, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate.

**(b) Compensation**

The Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Economic Development shall be compensated at the rate payable for level IV of the Executive Schedule under section 5315 of title 5.

**(c) Duties**

The Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Economic Development shall carry out such duties as the Secretary shall require and shall serve as the administrator of the Economic Development Administration of the Department.

(Pub. L. 89-136, title V, §501, as added Pub. L. 105-393, title I, §102(a), Nov. 13, 1998, 112 Stat. 3610.)

## PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 3191, Pub. L. 89-136, title V, §512, as added Pub. L. 91-123, title II, §206, Nov. 25, 1969, 83 Stat. 218; amended Pub. L. 92-65, title I, §110, Aug. 5, 1971, 85 Stat. 167, related to Federal Field Committee for Development Planning in Alaska, prior to repeal by Pub. L.

97-35, title XVIII, §1821(a)(8), Aug. 13, 1981, 95 Stat. 766, effective Sept. 30, 1981.

A prior section 501 of Pub. L. 89-136 was classified to section 3181 of this title prior to repeal by Pub. L. 97-35, §1821(a)(8).

### § 3192. Economic development information clearinghouse

In carrying out this chapter, the Secretary shall—

(1) maintain a central information clearinghouse on the Internet with—

(A) information on economic development, economic adjustment, disaster recovery, defense conversion, and trade adjustment programs and activities of the Federal Government;

(B) links to State economic development organizations; and

(C) links to other appropriate economic development resources;

(2) assist potential and actual applicants for economic development, economic adjustment, disaster recovery, defense conversion, and trade adjustment assistance under Federal and State laws in locating and applying for the assistance;

(3) assist areas described in section 3161(a) of this title and other areas by providing to interested persons, communities, industries, and businesses in the areas any technical information, market research, or other forms of assistance, information, or advice that would be useful in alleviating or preventing conditions of excessive unemployment or underemployment in the areas; and

(4) obtain appropriate information from other Federal agencies needed to carry out the duties under this chapter.

(Pub. L. 89-136, title V, §502, as added Pub. L. 105-393, title I, §102(a), Nov. 13, 1998, 112 Stat. 3610; amended Pub. L. 108-373, title V, §501, Oct. 27, 2004, 118 Stat. 1768.)

#### PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 3192, Pub. L. 89-136, title V, §513, as added Pub. L. 91-123, title II, §206, Nov. 25, 1969, 83 Stat. 219; amended Pub. L. 94-188, title II, §203, Dec. 31, 1975, 89 Stat. 1087, related to regional transportation systems, prior to repeal by Pub. L. 97-35, title XVIII, §1821(a)(8), Aug. 13, 1981, 95 Stat. 766, effective Sept. 30, 1981.

A prior section 502 of Pub. L. 89-136 was classified to section 3182 of this title prior to repeal by Pub. L. 97-35, §1821(a)(8).

#### AMENDMENTS

2004—Par. (1). Pub. L. 108-373, §501(1), added par. (1) and struck out former par. (1) which read as follows: “maintain a central information clearinghouse on matters relating to economic development, economic adjustment, disaster recovery, defense conversion, and trade adjustment programs and activities of the Federal and State governments, including political subdivisions of States;”.

Par. (2). Pub. L. 108-373, §501(2), added par. (2) and struck out former par. (2) which read as follows: “assist potential and actual applicants for economic development, economic adjustment, disaster recovery, defense conversion, and trade adjustment assistance under Federal, State, and local laws in locating and applying for the assistance; and”.

Par. (4). Pub. L. 108-373, §501(3), (4), added par. (4).

### § 3193. Consultation with other persons and agencies

#### (a) Consultation on problems relating to employment

The Secretary may consult with any persons, including representatives of labor, management, agriculture, and government, who can assist in addressing the problems of area and regional unemployment or underemployment.

#### (b) Consultation on administration of chapter

The Secretary may provide for such consultation with interested Federal agencies as the Secretary determines to be appropriate in the performance of the duties of the Secretary under this chapter.

(Pub. L. 89-136, title V, §503, as added Pub. L. 105-393, title I, §102(a), Nov. 13, 1998, 112 Stat. 3610.)

#### PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 3193, Pub. L. 89-136, title V, §514, as added Pub. L. 93-423, §11, Sept. 27, 1974, 88 Stat. 1162, provided for the acquisition and disposal of excess property from the Administrator of General Services by the Federal cochairman of each regional action planning commission, prior to repeal by Pub. L. 94-519, §§6, 9, Oct. 17, 1976, 90 Stat. 2456, 2457, effective Oct. 17, 1977.

A prior section 503 of Pub. L. 89-136 was classified to section 3183 of this title prior to repeal by Pub. L. 97-35, §1821(a)(8).

### § 3194. Administration, operation, and maintenance

The Secretary shall approve Federal assistance under this chapter only if the Secretary is satisfied that the project for which Federal assistance is granted will be properly and efficiently administered, operated, and maintained.

(Pub. L. 89-136, title V, §504, as added Pub. L. 105-393, title I, §102(a), Nov. 13, 1998, 112 Stat. 3610.)

#### PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 3194, Pub. L. 89-136, title V, §515, as added Pub. L. 94-188, title II, §204, Dec. 31, 1975, 89 Stat. 1088, related to energy demonstration projects and programs, prior to repeal by Pub. L. 97-35, title XVIII, §1821(a)(8), Aug. 13, 1981, 95 Stat. 766, effective Sept. 30, 1981.

A prior section 504 of Pub. L. 89-136 was classified to section 3184 of this title prior to repeal by Pub. L. 97-35, §1821(a)(8).

### § 3195. Repealed. Pub. L. 108-373, title V, § 502(a), Oct. 27, 2004, 118 Stat. 1768

Section, Pub. L. 89-136, title V, §505, as added Pub. L. 105-393, title I, §102(a), Nov. 13, 1998, 112 Stat. 3610, related to businesses desiring Federal contracts.

#### PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 3195, Pub. L. 89-136, title V, §516, as added Pub. L. 94-188, title II, §205, Dec. 31, 1975, 89 Stat. 1088, related to health and nutrition demonstration projects, prior to repeal by Pub. L. 97-35, title XVIII, §1821(a)(8), Aug. 13, 1981, 95 Stat. 766, effective Sept. 30, 1981.

A prior section 505 of Pub. L. 89-136 was classified to section 3185 of this title prior to repeal by Pub. L. 97-35, §1821(a)(8).