high skill, high wage, or high demand occupations and dual or concurrent enrollment opportunities by which career and technical education students at the secondary level could obtain postsecondary credit to count towards an associate or baccalaureate degree;

- (13) to develop and support small, personalized career-themed learning communities;
- (14) to provide support for family and consumer sciences programs;
- (15) to provide career and technical education programs for adults and school dropouts to complete the secondary school education, or upgrade the technical skills, of the adults and school dropouts;
- (16) to provide assistance to individuals who have participated in services and activities under this chapter in continuing their education or training or finding an appropriate job, such as through referral to the system established under section 2841 of title 29;
- (17) to support training and activities (such as mentoring and outreach) in non-traditional fields:
- (18) to provide support for training programs in automotive technologies;
- (19) to pool a portion of such funds with a portion of funds available to not less than 1 other eligible recipient for innovative initiatives, which may include—
  - (A) improving the initial preparation and professional development of career and technical education teachers, faculty, administrators, and counselors;
  - (B) establishing, enhancing, or supporting systems for—
    - (i) accountability data collection under this chapter; or
      - (ii) reporting data under this chapter;
  - (C) implementing career and technical programs of study described in section 2342(c)(1)(A) of this title; or
  - (D) implementing technical assessments;
- (20) to support other career and technical education activities that are consistent with the purpose of this chapter.

#### (d) Administrative costs

Each eligible recipient receiving funds under this part shall not use more than 5 percent of the funds for administrative costs associated with the administration of activities assisted under this section.

(Pub. L. 88–210, title I, §135, as added Pub. L. 109–270, §1(b), Aug. 12, 2006, 120 Stat. 734.)

### PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 2355, Pub. L. 88–210, title I,  $\S135$ , as added Pub. L. 105–332,  $\S1(b)$ , Oct. 31, 1998, 112 Stat. 3115, related to local uses of funds, prior to the general amendment of this chapter by Pub. L. 109–270.

Prior sections 2361 to 2363 were omitted in the general amendment of this chapter by Pub. L. 105-332.

Section 2361, Pub. L. 88–210, title III, §311, as added Pub. L. 98–524, §1, Oct. 19, 1984, 98 Stat. 2458; amended Pub. L. 99–159, title VII, §706(b), Nov. 22, 1985, 99 Stat. 906; Pub. L. 101–392, title III, §302, Sept. 25, 1990, 104 Stat. 786, related to consumer and homemaking education grants.

Section 2362, Pub. L. 88–210, title III,  $\S312$ , as added Pub. L. 98–524,  $\S1$ , Oct. 19, 1984, 98 Stat. 2458; amended

Pub. L. 99–159, title VII, §706(c), Nov. 22, 1985, 99 Stat. 906; Pub. L. 101–392, title III, §303, Sept. 25, 1990, 104 Stat. 786, related to use of funds from consumer and homemaking education grants.

Section 2363, Pub. L. 88–210, title III, §313, as added Pub. L. 98–524, §1, Oct. 19, 1984, 98 Stat. 2459; amended Pub. L. 99–159, title VII, §707, Nov. 22, 1985, 99 Stat. 906; Pub. L. 101–392, title III, §304, Sept. 25, 1990, 104 Stat. 786, related to information dissemination and leadership

## SUBCHAPTER II—TECH PREP EDUCATION

#### § 2371. State allotment and application

#### (a) In general

For any fiscal year, the Secretary shall allot the amount made available under section 2376 of this title among the States in the same manner as funds are allotted to States under paragraph (2) of section 2321(a) of this title.

#### (b) Payments to eligible agencies

The Secretary shall make a payment in the amount of a State's allotment under subsection (a) to the eligible agency that serves the State and has an application approved under subsection (c).

## (c) State application

Each eligible agency desiring an allotment under this subchapter shall submit, as part of its State plan under section 2342 of this title, an application that—

- (1) describes how activities under this subchapter will be coordinated, to the extent practicable, with activities described in the State plan submitted under section 2342 of this title: and
- (2) contains such information as the Secretary may require.

(Pub. L. 88–210, title II,  $\S 201$ , as added Pub. L. 109–270,  $\S 1$ (b), Aug. 12, 2006, 120 Stat. 737.)

# PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 2371, Pub. L. 88–210, title II, §202, as added Pub. L. 105–332, §1(b), Oct. 31, 1998, 112 Stat. 3117, provided definitions, prior to the general amendment of this chapter by Pub. L. 109–270.

Another prior section 2371, Pub. L. 88–210, title III, §321, as added Pub. L. 98–524, §1, Oct. 19, 1984, 98 Stat. 2459; amended Pub. L. 100–418, title VI, §6131(a)(2), Aug. 23, 1988, 102 Stat. 1509, provided findings and purposes of program, prior to repeal by Pub. L. 101–392, title III, §305, title VII, §702(a), Sept. 25, 1990, 104 Stat. 786, 843, effective July 1, 1991.

A prior section 201 of Pub. L. 88–210, as added by Pub. L. 105–332, §1(b), Oct. 31, 1998, 112 Stat. 3117, which provided that former title II of Pub. L. 88–210 could be cited as the "Tech-Prep Education Act", was set out as a note under former section 2301 of this title, prior to the general amendment of Pub. L. 88–210 by Pub. L. 100–270

## § 2372. Consolidation of funds

#### (a) In general

An eligible agency receiving an allotment under sections 2321 and 2371 of this title may choose to consolidate all, or a portion of, funds received under section 2371 of this title with funds received under section 2321 of this title in order to carry out the activities described in the State plan submitted under section 2342 of this title.