

multiyear period as referred to in subsection (a) of this section, the Director shall ensure that such project shall be treated in the same manner as a single-year contract or grant with respect to—

- (1) the overall level of funding for such project;
- (2) any adjustments to Federal financial assistance that may be available under section 5026 of this title; and
- (3) the renewal of funding on the expiration of the term of such contract or grant.

(Pub. L. 93-113, title II, §227, as added Pub. L. 101-204, title V, §507, Dec. 7, 1989, 103 Stat. 1818.)

#### § 5027a. Acceptance of donations

##### (a) In general

Except as provided in subsection (b), an entity receiving assistance under this subchapter may accept donations, including donations in cash or in kind fairly evaluated, including plant, equipment, or services.

##### (b) Exception

An entity receiving assistance under this subchapter to carry out an activity shall not accept donations from the beneficiaries of the activity.

(Pub. L. 93-113, title II, §228, as added Pub. L. 111-13, title II, §2146(e), Apr. 21, 2009, 123 Stat. 1591.)

#### EFFECTIVE DATE

Section effective Oct. 1, 2009, see section 6101(a) of Pub. L. 111-13, set out as an Effective Date of 2009 Amendment note under section 4950 of this title.

#### PART E—DEMONSTRATION PROGRAMS

#### § 5028. Authority of Director

##### (a) In general

The Director is authorized to make grants to or enter into contracts with public or nonprofit organizations, including organizations funded under part A, B, or C of this subchapter, for the purposes of demonstrating innovative activities involving older Americans as volunteers. The Director may support under this part both volunteers receiving stipends and volunteers not receiving stipends.

##### (b) Activities

An organization that receives a grant or enters into a contract under subsection (a) of this section may use funds made available through the grant or contract for activities such as—

- (1) linking youth groups and older American organizations in volunteer activities;
- (2) involving older volunteers in programs and activities different from programs and activities supported in the community; and
- (3) testing whether older American volunteer programs may contribute to new objectives or certain national priorities.

(Pub. L. 93-113, title II, §231, as added Pub. L. 103-82, title III, §351, Sept. 21, 1993, 107 Stat. 906.)

#### EFFECTIVE DATE

Part effective Oct. 1, 1993, see section 392 of Pub. L. 103-82, set out as an Effective Date of 1993 Amendment note under section 4951 of this title.

#### § 5028a. Prohibition

The Director may not reduce the activities, projects, or volunteers funded under the other parts of this subchapter in order to support projects under this part.

(Pub. L. 93-113, title II, §232, as added Pub. L. 103-82, title III, §351, Sept. 21, 1993, 107 Stat. 907.)

#### SUBCHAPTER III—NATIONAL VOLUNTEER PROGRAMS TO ASSIST SMALL BUSINESSES AND PROMOTE VOLUNTEER SERVICE BY PERSONS WITH BUSINESS EXPERIENCE

#### §§ 5031, 5032. Repealed. Pub. L. 95-510, § 102(a), Oct. 24, 1978, 92 Stat. 1781

Section 5031, Pub. L. 93-113, title III, §301, Oct. 1, 1973, 87 Stat. 404, set out Congressional statement of purpose in enacting this subchapter.

Section 5032, Pub. L. 93-113, title III, §302, Oct. 1, 1973, 87 Stat. 404, authorized Director to establish, coordinate, and operate national volunteer programs. See section 637 of Title 15, Commerce and Trade.

#### EFFECTIVE DATE OF REPEAL

Repeal of sections 5031 and 5032 effective Oct. 1, 1979, see section 105 of Pub. L. 95-510, set out as an Effective Date of 1978 Amendment note under section 634 of Title 15, Commerce and Trade.

#### SUBCHAPTER IV—ADMINISTRATION AND COORDINATION

#### §§ 5041, 5042. Repealed. Pub. L. 103-82, title II, § 203(b), Sept. 21, 1993, 107 Stat. 892

Section 5041, Pub. L. 93-113, title IV, §401, Oct. 1, 1973, 87 Stat. 405; Pub. L. 96-533, title VI, §602(a), Dec. 16, 1980, 94 Stat. 3155; Pub. L. 98-288, §17, May 21, 1984, 98 Stat. 194; Pub. L. 99-551, §10(e), Oct. 27, 1986, 100 Stat. 3078; Pub. L. 101-204, title VII, §704, Dec. 7, 1989, 103 Stat. 1821; Pub. L. 103-82, title II, §202(b), title III, §361, Sept. 21, 1993, 107 Stat. 887, 907, related to establishment of ACTION Agency and appointment, compensation, and functions of Director and other officials. See section 12651 of this title and notes thereunder.

Section 5042, Pub. L. 93-113, title IV, §402, Oct. 1, 1973, 87 Stat. 406; Pub. L. 94-293, §4(b), May 27, 1976, 90 Stat. 526; Pub. L. 97-214, §10(b)(2), July 12, 1982, 96 Stat. 175; Pub. L. 98-288, §§4(c)(2), 18(a), May 21, 1984, 98 Stat. 190, 194; Pub. L. 99-551, §10(f), (i)(5), Oct. 27, 1986, 100 Stat. 3078; Pub. L. 103-82, title III, §362, Sept. 21, 1993, 107 Stat. 907, related to authority of Director of ACTION Agency. See section 12651 of this title and notes thereunder.

#### EFFECTIVE DATE OF REPEAL

Repeal by Pub. L. 103-82 effective Apr. 4, 1994, see section 203(d) of Pub. L. 103-82, set out as an Effective Date of 1993 Amendment note under section 12651 of this title.

#### § 5043. Political activities

##### (a) Funds use prohibition; “election” and “Federal office” defined

No part of any funds appropriated to carry out this chapter, or any program administered by the Corporation under this chapter, shall be used to finance, directly or indirectly, any activity designed to influence the outcome of any election to Federal office, or the outcome of any election to any State or local public office, or any voter registration activity, or to pay the salary of any officer or employee of the Corpora-