paragraph (2) shall be consistent with the provisions of-

(A) chapter 7 of title 31; and

(B) the National Security Act of 1947 (50 U.S.C. 401 et seq.).

## (b) Confidentiality of information

# (1) Requirement for confidentiality

The Comptroller General of the United States shall ensure that the level of confidentiality of information made available to the Comptroller General pursuant to the directive issued under subsection (a)(1) or an amendment to such directive issued under subsection (a)(2) is not less than the level of confidentiality of such information required of the head of the element of the intelligence community from which such information was obtained.

## (2) Penalties for unauthorized disclosure

An officer or employee of the Government Accountability Office shall be subject to the same statutory penalties for unauthorized disclosure or use of such information as an officer or employee of the element of the intelligence community from which such information was obtained.

## (c) Submission to Congress

## (1) Submission of directive

The directive issued under subsection (a)(1)shall be submitted to Congress by the Director of National Intelligence, together with any comments of the Comptroller General of the United States, no later than May 1, 2011.

## (2) Submission of amendment

Any amendment to such directive issued under subsection (a)(2) shall be submitted to Congress by the Director, together with any comments of the Comptroller General.

## (d) Effective date

The directive issued under subsection (a)(1) and any amendment to such directive issued under subsection (a)(2) shall take effect 60 days after the date such directive or amendment is submitted to Congress under subsection (c), unless the Director determines that for reasons of national security the directive or amendment should take effect sooner.

(Pub. L. 111-259, title III, §348, Oct. 7, 2010, 124 Stat. 2700.)

#### References in Text

The National Security Act of 1947, referred to in subsec. (a)(3)(B), is act July 26, 1947, ch. 343, 61 Stat. 495. For complete classification of this Act to the Code, see Short Title note set out under section 401 of this title and Tables.

## CODIFICATION

Section was enacted as part of the Intelligence Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010, and not as part of the National Security Act of 1947 which comprises this chapter

## DEFINITION

For definition of "intelligence community", see section 2 of Pub. L. 111-259, set out as a note under section 401a of this title.

## §403a. Definitions relating to Central Intelligence Agency

When used in sections 403a to 403s of this title, the term-

(1) "Agency" means the Central Intelligence Agency; (2) "Director" means the Director of the

Central Intelligence Agency; and (3) "Government agency" mean

means any executive department, commission, council, independent establishment, corporation wholly or partly owned by the United States which is an instrumentality of the United States, board, bureau, division, service, office, officer, authority, administration, or other establishment, in the executive branch of the Government.

(June 20, 1949, ch. 227, §1, 63 Stat. 208; Pub. L. 86-707, title V, §511(a)(3), (c)(1), Sept. 6, 1960, 74 Stat. 800, 801; Pub. L. 108-458, title I, §1077, Dec. 17, 2004, 118 Stat. 3695.)

#### CODIFICATION

Section was enacted as part of the Central Intelligence Agency Act of 1949, and not as part of the Na-tional Security Act of 1947 which comprises this chapter.

#### AMENDMENTS

2004—Pub. L. 108-458 redesignated subsecs. (a) to (c) as pars. (1) to (3), respectively, and amended par. (2)generally. Prior to amendment, par. (2) read as follows: "'Director' means the Director of Central Intelligence;'

ligence; .
1960—Subsec. (c). Pub. L. 86-707, §511(c)(1), substituted "Government." for "Government; and".
Subsec. (d). Pub. L. 86-707, §511(a)(3), repealed subsec.
(d) which defined "continental United States". See section 5921 of Title 5, Government Organization and Emplovees.

## EFFECTIVE DATE OF 2004 AMENDMENT

For Determination by President that amendment by Pub. L. 108-458 take effect on Apr. 21, 2005, see Memorandum of President of the United States, Apr. 21, 2005, 70 F.R. 23925, set out as a note under section 401 of this title.

Amendment by Pub. L. 108-458 effective not later than six months after Dec. 17, 2004, except as otherwise expressly provided, see section 1097(a) of Pub. L. 108-458, set out in an Effective Date of 2004 Amendment; Transition Provisions note under section 401 of this title.

#### SHORT TITLE

Act June 20, 1949, ch. 227, 10, formerly  $12,\,63$  Stat. 213; renumbered \$10, July 7, 1958, Pub. L. 85-507, \$21(b)(2), 72 Stat. 337, provided that: "This Act [enacting section 403a et seq. of this title] may be cited as the 'Central Intelligence Agency Act of 1949'."

#### SEPARABILITY

Act June 20, 1949, §9, formerly §11, 63 Stat. 213; re-numbered §9, July 7, 1958, Pub. L. 85-507, §21(b)(2), 72 Stat. 337, provided that: "If any provision of this Act [enacting sections 403a et seq. of this title], or the application of such provision to any person or circumstances, is held invalid, the remainder of this Act or the application of such provision to persons or circumstances other than those as to which it is held invalid, shall not be affected thereby.'

## §403b. Seal of office of Central Intelligence Agency

The Director shall cause a seal of office to be made for the Central Intelligence Agency, of such design as the President shall approve, and judicial notice shall be taken thereof.

(June 20, 1949, ch. 227, §2, 63 Stat. 208; Pub. L. 108-458, title I, §1071(b)(2)(A), Dec. 17, 2004, 118 Stat. 3690.)

## CODIFICATION

Section was enacted as part of the Central Intelligence Agency Act of 1949, and not as part of the National Security Act of 1947 which comprises this chapter.

## Amendments

2004—Pub. L. 108–458 struck out ''of Central Intelligence'' after ''Director''.

#### EFFECTIVE DATE OF 2004 AMENDMENT

For Determination by President that amendment by Pub. L. 108-458 take effect on Apr. 21, 2005, see Memorandum of President of the United States, Apr. 21, 2005, 70 F.R. 23925, set out as a note under section 401 of this title.

Amendment by Pub. L. 108-458 effective not later than six months after Dec. 17, 2004, except as otherwise expressly provided, see section 1097(a) of Pub. L. 108-458, set out in an Effective Date of 2004 Amendment; Transition Provisions note under section 401 of this title.

## §403c. Procurement authority of Central Intelligence Agency

# (a) Purchases and contracts for supplies and services

In the performance of its functions the Central Intelligence Agency is authorized to exercise the authorities contained in sections 2304(a)(1) to (6), (10), (12), (15), (17), and sections 2305(a) to (c), 2306, 2307, 2308, 2309, 2312, and 2313 of title  $10.^{1}$ 

# (b) "Agency head" defined

In the exercise of the authorities granted in subsection (a) of this section, the term "Agency head" shall mean the Director, the Deputy Director, or the Executive of the Agency.

# (c) Classes of purchases and contracts; finality of decision; powers delegable

The determinations and decisions provided in subsection (a) of this section to be made by the Agency head may be made with respect to individual purchases and contracts or with respect to classes of purchases or contracts, and shall be final. Except as provided in subsection (d) of this section, the Agency head is authorized to delegate his powers provided in this section, including the making of such determinations and decisions, in his discretion and subject to his direction, to any other officer or officials of the Agency.

## (d) Powers not delegable; written findings

The power of the Agency head to make the determinations or decisions specified in paragraphs (12) and (15) of section 2304(a) and section 2307(a) of title  $10^{1}$  shall not be delegable. Each determination or decision required by paragraphs (12) and (15) of section 2304(a), by sections 2306 and 2313, or by section 2307(a) of title  $10,^{1}$ shall be based upon written findings made by the official making such determinations, which findings shall be final and shall be available within the Agency for a period of at least six years following the date of the determination.

(June 20, 1949, ch. 227, §3, 63 Stat. 208; Pub. L. 97-269, title V, §502(a), Sept. 27, 1982, 96 Stat. 1145; Pub. L. 104-106, div. E, title LVI, §5607(f), Feb. 10, 1996, 110 Stat. 702.)

#### CODIFICATION

Section was enacted as part of the Central Intelligence Agency Act of 1949, and not as part of the National Security Act of 1947 which comprises this chapter.

In subsecs. (a) and (d), references to the appropriate sections of title 10 were substituted for references to sections 2(c)(1) to (6), (10), (12), (15), (17), 3, 4, 5, 6, and 10 of the Armed Services Procurement Act of 1947 (Public Law 413, 80th Congress), on authority of section 49(b) of act Aug. 10, 1956, ch. 1041, 70A Stat. 640, section 1 of which enacted Title 10, Armed Forces. Prior to the enactment of Title 10, sections 2 to 6 and 10 of the Armed Services Procurement Act of 1947 were classified to sections 151 to 155 and 159 of former Title 41, Public Contracts. Cited sections of the Act were restated in sections of Title 10 as follows:

Act	Title 10
2(c)	2304(a)
3	2305(a)–(c)
4	2306, 2313
5	2307
5(a)	2307(a)
6	2312
10	2308, 2309

Sections 2304 and 2305 of title 10 were amended generally by Pub. L. 98-369, and as so amended contain provisions differing from those referred to in subsecs. (a) and (d). Section 2308 of title 10 was repealed by Pub. L. 103-355, title I, 1503(b)(1), Oct. 13, 1994, 108 Stat. 3297. For similar provisions, see section 2311 of title 10.

## Amendments

1996—Subsec. (e). Pub. L. 104-106 struck out subsec. (e) which read as follows: "Notwithstanding subsection (e) of section 759 of title 40, the provisions of section 759 of title 40 relating to the procurement of automatic data processing equipment or services shall not apply with respect to such procurement by the Central Intelligence Agency."

1982—Subsec. (e). Pub. L. 97-269 added subsec. (e).

EFFECTIVE DATE OF 1996 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 104-106 effective 180 days after Feb. 10, 1996, see section 5701 of Pub. L. 104-106, Feb. 10, 1996, 110 Stat. 702.

## EFFECTIVE DATE OF 1982 AMENDMENT

Pub. L. 97-269, title VII, §703, Sept. 27, 1982, 96 Stat. 1155, provided that: "The provisions of titles IV and V [enacting former section 202 of Title 10, Armed Forces, and amending this section] and of this title [which, except for enacting this note was not classified to the Code] shall become effective upon the date of the enactment of this Act [Sept. 27, 1982]."

PROCUREMENT OF AUTOMATIC DATA PROCESSING EQUIP-MENT OR SERVICES; CONTRACTS MADE BEFORE SEP-TEMBER 27, 1982

Pub. L. 97-269, title V, §502(b), Sept. 27, 1982, 96 Stat. 1145, provided that: "Subsection (e) of section 3 of the Central Intelligence Agency Act of 1949 (50 U.S.C. 403c(e)), as added by subsection (a) of this section, does not apply to a contract made before the date of the enactment of this Act [Sept. 27, 1982]."

## §403d. Repealed. Pub. L. 85–507, §21(b)(2), July 7, 1958, 72 Stat. 337

Section, act June 20, 1949, ch. 227, §4, 63 Stat. 208, related to education and training of officers and employees. See section 4101 et seq. of Title 5, Government Organization and Employees.

Section was enacted as part of the Central Intelligence Agency Act of 1949, and not as part of the National Security Act of 1947 which comprises this chapter.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>See Codification note below.