

made available under chapter 1 of part I of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (22 U.S.C. 2151 et seq.) for such purposes for such fiscal year.

**(g) Project reporting**

**(1) In general**

In submitting project reports to the Administrator, a private voluntary organization or cooperative shall provide a copy of the report in such form as is necessary for the report to be displayed for public use on the website of the United States Agency for International Development.

**(2) Confidential information**

An organization or cooperative described in paragraph (1) may omit any confidential information from the copy of the report submitted for public display under that paragraph.

(July 10, 1954, ch. 469, title II, § 207, as added Pub. L. 99-198, title XI, § 1104(a), Dec. 23, 1985, 99 Stat. 1466; amended Pub. L. 100-202, § 14, Dec. 22, 1987, 101 Stat. 1329-449; Pub. L. 101-624, title XV, § 1512, Nov. 28, 1990, 104 Stat. 3640; Pub. L. 104-127, title II, § 207(b), Apr. 4, 1996, 110 Stat. 954; Pub. L. 107-171, title III, § 3007, May 13, 2002, 116 Stat. 282; Pub. L. 110-246, title III, §§ 3012, 3018(b), June 18, 2008, 122 Stat. 1824, 1828.)

REFERENCES IN TEXT

The Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, referred to in subsec. (f)(6)(B)(ii), is Pub. L. 87-195, Sept. 4, 1961, 75 Stat. 424. Chapter 1 of part I of the Act is classified generally to part I (§ 2151 et seq.) of subchapter I of chapter 32 of Title 22, Foreign Relations and Intercourse. For complete classification of this Act to the Code, see Short Title note set out under section 2151 of Title 22 and Tables.

AMENDMENTS

2008—Subsec. (a)(3). Pub. L. 110-246, § 3012(1), struck out “and the conditions that must be met for the approval of such proposal” before period at end.

Subsec. (c)(3). Pub. L. 110-246, § 3012(2), struck out par. (3). Prior to amendment, text read as follows: “Handbooks developed by the Administrator to assist in carrying out the program under this subchapter shall be designed to foster the development of programs under this subchapter by eligible organizations.”

Subsec. (d). Pub. L. 110-246, § 3012(3), added subsec. (d) and struck out former subsec. (d). Prior to amendment, text read as follows: “Not later than 15 days after receipt from a United States field mission of a call forward for agricultural commodities for programs that meet the requirements of this subchapter, the order for the purchase or the supply, from inventory, of such commodities or products shall be transmitted to the Commodity Credit Corporation.”

Subsec. (e). Pub. L. 110-246, § 3018(b), struck out par. (1) designation and struck out par. (2). Prior to amendment, text read as follows: “Not later than December 1 of each year, the Administrator shall submit to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on International Relations of the House of Representatives and the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry of the Senate a report that contains—

“(A) a list of programs, countries, and commodities approved to date for assistance under this section; and

“(B) a statement of the total amount of funds approved to date for transportation and administrative costs under this section.”

Subsecs. (f), (g). Pub. L. 110-246, § 3012(4), added subsecs. (f) and (g).

2002—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 107-171, § 3007(1), added pars. (1) and (2), redesignated former par. (2) as (3), and

struck out heading and text of former par. (1). Text read as follows: “Not later than 45 days after the receipt by the Administrator of a proposal submitted—

“(A) by an eligible organization, with the concurrence of the appropriate United States field mission, for commodities; or

“(B) by a United States field mission to make commodities available to an eligible organization; under this subchapter, the Administrator shall make a decision concerning such proposal.”

Subsec. (b). Pub. L. 107-171, § 3007(2), substituted “guideline or annual policy guidance” for “guideline” wherever appearing.

Subsec. (e). Pub. L. 107-171, § 3007(3), added subsec. (e). 1996—Subsec. (a)(1)(A), (B). Pub. L. 104-127, § 207(b)(1), substituted “an eligible organization” for “a private voluntary organization or cooperative”.

Subsec. (b)(1). Pub. L. 104-127, § 207(b)(2)(A), substituted “eligible organizations” for “private voluntary organizations and cooperatives”.

Subsec. (b)(2). Pub. L. 104-127, § 207(b)(2)(B), substituted “eligible organizations” for “organizations, cooperatives.”

1990—Pub. L. 101-624 amended section generally, substituting present provisions for provisions relating to requests by nonprofit voluntary agency or cooperative for nonemergency food assistance agreements, and uses of foreign currency proceeds.

1987—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 100-202, § 14(1), inserted “or cooperative” after “agency”.

Subsec. (b). Pub. L. 100-202, § 14(2), substituted “10 percent” for “5 percent”.

Subsec. (c). Pub. L. 100-202, § 14(3), added subsec. (c).

EFFECTIVE DATE OF 2008 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 110-246 effective May 22, 2008, see section 4(b) of Pub. L. 110-246, set out as an Effective Date note under section 8701 of this title.

EFFECTIVE DATE OF 1990 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 101-624 effective Jan. 1, 1991, see section 1513 of Pub. L. 101-624, set out as a note under section 1691 of this title.

EFFECTIVE DATE

Pub. L. 99-198, title XI, § 1104(b), Dec. 23, 1985, 99 Stat. 1466, as amended by Pub. L. 110-246, title III, § 3001(c), June 18, 2008, 122 Stat. 1821, provided that: “Section 207 of the Food for Peace Act (as added by subsection (a)) [this section] shall apply with respect to agreements entered into after December 31, 1985.”

**§ 1726b. Assistance for stockpiling and rapid transportation, delivery, and distribution of shelf-stable prepackaged foods**

**(a) In general**

The Administrator may provide grants to—

(1) United States nonprofit organizations (described in section 501(c)(3) of title 26 and exempt from tax under section 501(a) of title 26) for the preparation of shelf-stable prepackaged foods requested by eligible organizations and the establishment and maintenance of stockpiles of the foods in the United States; and

(2) private voluntary organizations and international organizations for the rapid transportation, delivery, and distribution of shelf-stable prepackaged foods described in paragraph (1) to needy individuals in foreign countries.

**(b) Grants for establishment of stockpiles**

**(1) In general**

Not more than 70 percent of the amount made available to carry out this section shall

be used to provide grants under subsection (a)(1) of this section.

**(2) Priority**

In providing grants under subsection (a)(1) of this section, the Administrator shall provide a preference to a United States nonprofit organization that agrees to provide—

(A) non-Federal funds in an amount equal to 50 percent of the amount of funds received under a grant under subsection (a)(1) of this section;

(B) an in-kind contribution in an amount equal to that percentage; or

(C) a combination of such funds and an in-kind contribution,

for the preparation of shelf-stable prepackaged foods and the establishment and maintenance of stockpiles of the foods in the United States in accordance with subsection (a)(1) of this section.

**(c) Grants for rapid transportation, delivery, and distribution**

Not less than 20 percent of the amount made available to carry out this section shall be used to provide grants under subsection (a)(2) of this section.

**(d) Administration**

Not more than 10 percent of the amount made available to carry out this section may be used by the Administrator for the administration of grants under subsection (a) of this section.

**(e) Regulations or guidelines**

Not later than 180 days after November 9, 2000, the Administrator, in consultation with the Secretary, shall issue such regulations or guidelines as the Administrator determines to be necessary to carry out this section, including regulations or guidelines that provide to United States nonprofit organizations eligible to receive grants under subsection (a)(1) of this section guidance with respect to the requirements for qualified shelf-stable prepackaged foods and the quantity of the foods to be stockpiled by the organizations.

**(f) Authorization of appropriations**

There is authorized to be appropriated to the Administrator to carry out this section, in addition to amounts otherwise available to carry out this section, \$8,000,000 for each of fiscal years 2001 through 2012, to remain available until expended.

(July 10, 1954, ch. 469, title II, § 208, as added Pub. L. 106-472, title III, § 310(a), Nov. 9, 2000, 114 Stat. 2075; amended Pub. L. 107-171, title III, § 3008, May 13, 2002, 116 Stat. 283; Pub. L. 110-246, title III, § 3013, June 18, 2008, 122 Stat. 1826.)

PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 1726b, act July 10, 1954, ch. 469, title II, § 208, as added Dec. 22, 1987, Pub. L. 100-202, § 15, 101 Stat. 1329-449, which related to periods for review of proposals for famine relief and promulgation of guidelines for such proposals, was omitted in the general revision of this chapter by Pub. L. 101-624, title XV, § 1512, Nov. 28, 1990, 104 Stat. 3633.

AMENDMENTS

2008—Subsec. (f). Pub. L. 110-246 substituted “\$8,000,000” for “\$3,000,000” and “2012” for “2007”.

2002—Subsec. (f). Pub. L. 107-171 substituted “through 2007” for “and 2002”.

EFFECTIVE DATE OF 2008 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 110-246 effective May 22, 2008, see section 4(b) of Pub. L. 110-246, set out as an Effective Date note under section 8701 of this title.

**§ 1726c. Local and regional food aid procurement projects**

**(a) Definitions**

In this section:

**(1) Administrator**

The term “Administrator” means the Administrator of the Agency for International Development.

**(2) Appropriate committee of Congress**

The term “appropriate committee of Congress” means—

(A) the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry of the Senate;

(B) the Committee on Agriculture of the House of Representatives; and

(C) the Committee on Foreign Affairs of the House of Representatives.

**(3) Eligible commodity**

The term “eligible commodity” means an agricultural commodity (or the product of an agricultural commodity) that—

(A) is produced in, and procured from, a developing country; and

(B) at a minimum, meets each nutritional, quality, and labeling standard of the country that receives the agricultural commodity, as determined by the Secretary.

**(4) Eligible organization**

The term “eligible organization” means an organization that is—

(A) described in section 1722(d) of this title; and

(B) with respect to nongovernmental organizations, subject to regulations promulgated or guidelines issued to carry out this section, including United States audit requirements that are applicable to nongovernmental organizations.

**(b) Study; field-based projects**

**(1) Study**

**(A) In general**

Not later than 30 days after June 18, 2008, the Secretary shall initiate a study of prior local and regional procurements for food aid programs conducted by—

(i) other donor countries;

(ii) private voluntary organizations; and

(iii) the World Food Program of the United Nations.

**(B) Report**

Not later than 180 days after June 18, 2008, the Secretary shall submit to the appropriate committees of Congress a report containing the results of the study conducted under subparagraph (A).

**(2) Field-based projects**

**(A) In general**

In accordance with subparagraph (B), the Secretary shall provide grants to, or enter