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2249a. Prohibition on providing financial assistance to terrorist countries.
- 2249b. Display of State, District of Columbia, commonwealth, and territorial flags by the armed forces.
- 2249c. Regional Defense Combating Terrorism Fellowship Program: authority to use appropriated funds for costs associated with education and training of foreign officials.
- 2249d. Distribution to certain foreign personnel of education and training materials and information technology to enhance military interoperability with the armed forces.

AMENDMENTS

2013—Pub. L. 112-239, div. A, title V, § 588(b)(2), Jan. 2, 2013, 126 Stat. 1769, substituted “Display of State, District of Columbia, commonwealth, and territorial flags by the armed forces.” for “Display of State flags: prohibition on use of funds to arbitrarily exclude flag; position and manner of display.” in item 2249b.

2011—Pub. L. 111-383, div. A, title X, § 1075(b)(30), Jan. 7, 2011, 124 Stat. 4370, transferred item 2241a “Prohibition on use of funds for publicity or propaganda purposes within the United States” to appear after item 2241.

2009—Pub. L. 111-84, div. A, title X, § 1031(a)(2), Oct. 28, 2009, 123 Stat. 2448, added item 2241a at the end.

2008—Pub. L. 110-417, [div. A], title XII, § 1205(a)(2), Oct. 14, 2008, 122 Stat. 4624, added item 2249d.

2006—Pub. L. 109-364, div. A, title XII, § 1204(d)(3), Oct. 17, 2006, 120 Stat. 2416, substituted “Regional Defense Combating Terrorism Fellowship Program: authority to use appropriated funds for costs associated with education and training of foreign officials” for “Authority to use appropriated funds for costs of attendance of foreign visitors under Regional Defense Counterterrorism Fellowship Program” in item 2249c.

Pub. L. 109-163, div. A, title III, §§ 372(b), 373(b), Jan. 6, 2006, 119 Stat. 3210, 3211, added items 2244a and 2245a.

2004—Pub. L. 108-375, div. A, title VI, § 651(f)(3), Oct. 28, 2004, 118 Stat. 1972, struck out items 2246 “Department of Defense golf courses: limitation on use of appropriated funds” and 2247 “Use of appropriated funds for operation of Armed Forces Recreation Center, Europe: limitation”.

2003—Pub. L. 108-136, div. A, title X, § 1045(a)(5)(B), title XII, § 1221(a)(2), Nov. 24, 2003, 117 Stat. 1612, 1651, struck out item 2248 “Purchase of surety bonds: prohibition” and added item 2249c.

1996—Pub. L. 104-201, div. A, title X, § 1071(b), Sept. 23, 1996, 110 Stat. 2657, added item 2249b.

Pub. L. 104-106, div. A, title XIII, § 1341(b), div. D, title XLIII, § 4321(b)(2)(B), Feb. 10, 1996, 110 Stat. 485, 672, redesignated item 2247, relating to prohibition on use of funds for documenting economic or employment impact of certain acquisition programs, as 2249 and added item 2249a.

1994—Pub. L. 103-355, title VII, § 7202(a)(2), Oct. 13, 1994, 108 Stat. 3379, added item 2247 relating to prohibition on use of funds for documenting economic or employment impact of certain acquisition programs.

Pub. L. 103-337, div. A, title III, § 372(b), title X, § 1063(b), Oct. 5, 1994, 108 Stat. 2736, 2848, added item 2247 relating to use of appropriated funds for operation of Armed Forces Recreation Center, Europe: limitation and item 2248.

1993—Pub. L. 103-160, div. A, title III, § 312(b), Nov. 30, 1993, 107 Stat. 1618, added item 2246.

1991—Pub. L. 102-190, div. A, title X, § 1062(a)(3), Dec. 5, 1991, 105 Stat. 1475, made technical correction to directory language of Pub. L. 101-510, div. A, title XIV, § 1481(e)(2), Nov. 5, 1990, 104 Stat. 1706. See 1990 amendment note below.

1990—Pub. L. 101-510, div. A, title XIV, § 1481(e)(2), Nov. 5, 1990, 104 Stat. 1706, as amended by Pub. L. 102-190, div. A, title X, § 1062(a)(3), Dec. 5, 1991, 105 Stat. 1475, added item 2245.

Pub. L. 101-510, div. A, title IX, § 904(b), Nov. 5, 1990, 104 Stat. 1621, added item 2244.

1989—Pub. L. 101-189, div. A, title III, § 326(b), Nov. 29, 1989, 103 Stat. 1416, added item 2243.

§ 2241. Availability of appropriations for certain purposes

(a) OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE APPROPRIATIONS.—Amounts appropriated to the Department of Defense for operation and maintenance of the active forces may be used for the following purposes:

- (1) Morale, welfare, and recreation.
- (2) Modification of personal property.
- (3) Design of vessels.
- (4) Industrial mobilization.
- (5) Military communications facilities on merchant vessels.

(6) Acquisition of services, special clothing, supplies, and equipment.

(7) Expenses for the Reserve Officers’ Training Corps and other units at educational institutions.

(b) NECESSARY EXPENSES.—Amounts appropriated to the Department of Defense may be used for all necessary expenses, at the seat of the Government or elsewhere, in connection with communication and other services and supplies that may be necessary for the national defense.

(c) ACTIVITIES OF THE NATIONAL COMMITTEE FOR EMPLOYER SUPPORT OF THE GUARD AND RESERVE.—Amounts appropriated for operation and maintenance may, under regulations prescribed by the Secretary of Defense, be used by the Secretary for official reception, representation, and advertising activities and materials of the National Committee for Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve to further employer commitments to their employees who are members of a reserve component.

(Added Pub. L. 100-370, § 1(e)(1), July 19, 1988, 102 Stat. 844; amended Pub. L. 108-136, div. A, title V, § 518, Nov. 24, 2003, 117 Stat. 1462.)

HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

Subsection (a) of this section and sections 2253(b) and 2661(a) of this title are based on Pub. L. 98-212, title VII, § 735, Dec. 8, 1983, 97 Stat. 1444, as amended by Pub. L. 98-525, title XIV, §§ 1403(a)(2), 1404, Oct. 19, 1984, 98 Stat. 2621.

In two instances, the source section for provisions to be codified provides that defense appropriations may be used for “welfare and recreation” or “welfare and recreational” purposes. (Section 735 of Public Law 98-212 and section 8006(b) of Public Law 99-190, to be codified as 10 U.S.C. 2241(a)(1) and 2490(2), respectively). The committee added the term “morale” in both of these two instances to conform to the usual “MWR” usage for morale, welfare, and recreation activities.

Subsection (b) of this section and sections 2242(1), (4) and 2253(a)(1) of this title are based on Pub. L. 98-212, title VII, § 705, Dec. 8, 1983, 97 Stat. 1437.

Section 705 of Public Law 98-212, to be codified as 10 U.S.C. 2241(b), provides that defense appropriations may be used in connection with certain services and supplies “as may be necessary to carry out the purposes of this Act”. The reference to “this Act” means Public Law 98-212, the FY84 Defense Appropriations Act. Language similar to section 705 had been enacted as part of the annual defense appropriation Act for many years. In the FY84 Act, section 705 was enacted as a permanent provision. The quoted phrase above was not, however, revised from the traditional annual wording as the provision had appeared in annual appropria-