

Buildings, Property, and Works, by Pub. L. 107-217, § 1, Aug. 21, 2002, 116 Stat. 1062.

Section is based on section 4 of Senate Resolution No. 382, Ninetieth Congress, Oct. 1, 1968, which was enacted into permanent law by Pub. L. 100-696.

§ 2105. Authorization of appropriations

There is hereby authorized to be appropriated out of the contingent fund of the Senate for the expenses of the Commission such amount as may be necessary each fiscal year, to be disbursed by the Secretary of the Senate on vouchers signed by the Executive Secretary of the Commission and approved by the Committee on Rules and Administration of the Senate: *Provided*, That no payment shall be made from such appropriation as salary.

(Pub. L. 100-696, title IX, §901(a), Nov. 18, 1988, 102 Stat. 4610; Pub. L. 107-68, title I, §108(b), Nov. 12, 2001, 115 Stat. 569.)

CODIFICATION

Section was classified to section 188b-4 of former Title 40, prior to the enactment of Title 40, Public Buildings, Property, and Works, by Pub. L. 107-217, § 1, Aug. 21, 2002, 116 Stat. 1062.

Section is based on section 5 of Senate Resolution No. 382, Ninetieth Congress, Oct. 1, 1968, which was enacted into permanent law by Pub. L. 100-696.

AMENDMENTS

2001—Pub. L. 107-68 substituted “such amount as may be necessary each fiscal year,” for “the sum of \$15,000 each fiscal year,” and “the Executive Secretary of the Commission and approved by the Committee on Rules and Administration of the Senate” for “the Chairman or Vice Chairman of the Commission”.

EFFECTIVE DATE OF 2001 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 107-68 applicable to fiscal year 2002 and all succeeding fiscal years, see section 108(c) of Pub. L. 107-68, set out as a note under section 2103 of this title.

§ 2106. Repealed. Pub. L. 108-83, title I, §3(a)(3), Sept. 30, 2003, 117 Stat. 1010

Section, based on S. Res. No. 95, Ninety-second Congress, Apr. 1, 1971, enacted into permanent law and amended by Pub. L. 100-696, title IX, §901(a), (c), Nov. 18, 1988, 102 Stat. 4610, 4611, related to additional authority of the Senate Commission on Art to acquire works of art, historical objects, documents, or exhibits.

Section was classified to section 188b-5 of former Title 40, prior to the enactment of Title 40, Public Buildings, Property, and Works, by Pub. L. 107-217, § 1, Aug. 21, 2002, 116 Stat. 1062.

§ 2107. Conservation, restoration, replication, or replacement of items in United States Senate Collection

(a) Use of moneys in Senate contingent fund

Effective with the fiscal year ending September 30, 2006, and each fiscal year thereafter, subject to the approval of the Committee on Appropriations of the Senate, any unexpended and unobligated funds in the appropriation account for the “Secretary of the Senate” within the contingent fund of the Senate which have not been withdrawn in accordance with section 4107 of this title, shall be available for the expenses incurred, without regard to the fiscal year in which incurred, for the purchase of art and historical objects for the United States Senate Col-

lection, for exhibits and public education relating to the United States Senate Collection, for administrative and transitional expenses of the Senate Commission on Art, and for the conservation, restoration, and replication or replacement, in whole or in part, of works of art, historical objects, documents, or material relating to historical matters for placement or exhibition within the Senate wing of the United States Capitol, any Senate Office Building, or any room, corridor, or other space therein. In the case of replication or replacement of such works, objects, documents, or material, the funds available under this subsection shall be available for any such works, objects, documents, or material previously contained within the Senate wing of the Capitol, or a work, object, document, or material historically accurate.

(b) United States Senate Collection

All such works, objects, documents, or materials referred to in subsection (a) of this section may be known as the “United States Senate Collection”.

(c) Approval of disbursements by Chairman or Executive Secretary of Senate Commission on Art

Disbursements for expenses incurred for the purposes in subsection (a) of this section shall be made upon vouchers approved by the Chairman of the Senate Commission on Art or the Executive Secretary of the Senate Commission on Art.

(Pub. L. 101-302, title III, §316, May 25, 1990, 104 Stat. 246; Pub. L. 101-520, title III, §323, Nov. 5, 1990, 104 Stat. 2285; Pub. L. 102-90, title III, §310, Aug. 14, 1991, 105 Stat. 467; Pub. L. 102-392, title III, §312, Oct. 6, 1992, 106 Stat. 1723; Pub. L. 103-69, title III, §314, Aug. 11, 1993, 107 Stat. 713; Pub. L. 103-283, title III, §309, July 22, 1994, 108 Stat. 1442; Pub. L. 104-53, title III, §311, Nov. 19, 1995, 109 Stat. 538; Pub. L. 104-197, title III, §313, Sept. 16, 1996, 110 Stat. 2415; Pub. L. 105-55, title III, §309, Oct. 7, 1997, 111 Stat. 1198; Pub. L. 105-275, title III, §311, Oct. 21, 1998, 112 Stat. 2457; Pub. L. 106-57, title III, §309, Sept. 29, 1999, 113 Stat. 427; Pub. L. 106-554, §1(a)(2) [title I, §8, title III, §309], Dec. 21, 2000, 114 Stat. 2763, 2763A-98, 2763A-119; Pub. L. 107-68, title III, §308, Nov. 12, 2001, 115 Stat. 592; Pub. L. 108-7, div. H, title II, §207, Feb. 20, 2003, 117 Stat. 383; Pub. L. 108-83, title I, §§3(d)(2), 7, Sept. 30, 2003, 117 Stat. 1013; Pub. L. 108-447, div. G, title I, §3, Dec. 8, 2004, 118 Stat. 3169; Pub. L. 109-55, title I, §3, Aug. 2, 2005, 119 Stat. 568.)

CODIFICATION

Section was classified to section 188b-6 of former Title 40, prior to the enactment of Title 40, Public Buildings, Property, and Works, by Pub. L. 107-217, § 1, Aug. 21, 2002, 116 Stat. 1062.

AMENDMENTS

2005—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 109-55 substituted “2006” for “2005” in first sentence.

2004—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 108-447 substituted “2005” for “2004” in first sentence.

2003—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 108-83, in first sentence, substituted “2004” for “2003” and inserted “for the purchase of art and historical objects for the United States

Senate Collection, for exhibits and public education relating to the United States Senate Collection, for administrative and transitional expenses of the Senate Commission on Art, and” after “in which incurred.”

Pub. L. 108-7 substituted “2003” for “2002” in first sentence.

2001—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 107-68 substituted “2002” for “2001” in first sentence.

2000—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 106-554, §1(a)(2) [title III, §309], substituted “2001” for “2000” in first sentence.

Pub. L. 106-554, §1(a)(2) [title I, §8(1), (2)], in first sentence, substituted “works of art, historical objects, documents, or material relating to historical matters for placement or exhibition” for “items of art, fine art, and historical items” and, in second sentence, substituted “such works, objects, documents, or material” for “such items” in two places and “a work, object, document, or material” for “an item”.

Subsec. (b). Pub. L. 106-554, §1(a)(2) [title I, §8(3)], substituted “such works, objects, documents, or materials” for “such items of art” and “may” for “shall”.

1999—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 106-57 substituted “2000” for “1999”.

1998—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 105-275 substituted “1999” for “1998”.

1997—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 105-55 substituted “1998” for “1997”.

1996—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 104-197 substituted “1997” for “1996”.

1995—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 104-53 substituted “1996” for “1995”.

1994—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 103-283 substituted “1995” for “1994”.

1993—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 103-69 substituted “1994” for “1993”.

1992—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 102-392 substituted “1993” for “1992”.

1991—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 102-90 substituted “1992” for “1991”.

1990—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 101-520 substituted “1991” for “1990”.

§ 2108. Provisions relating to Senate Commission on Art

(a) Authority to acquire and dispose

(1) In general

The Senate Commission on Art (referred to in this section as the “Commission”) may—

- (A) accept gifts of money; and
- (B) acquire (by gift, purchase, or otherwise) any work of art, historical object, document, or material relating to historical matters, or exhibit, for placement or exhibition in the Senate Wing of the Capitol, the Senate Office Buildings, or in rooms, spaces, or corridors thereof.

(2) Accession or disposal

All works of art, historical objects, documents, or material related to historical matters, or exhibits, acquired by the Commission may, as determined by the Commission and after consultation with the Curatorial Advisory Board, be—

- (A) retained for accession to the United States Senate Collection or other use; or
- (B) disposed of by sale or other transaction.

(3) Omitted

(b) Advisory boards

(1) Curatorial Advisory Board

There is established a Board which shall be chaired by the Senate Curator. The Curatorial Advisory Board shall provide advice and as-

sistance to the Commission on the acquisition, care, and disposition of items for or within the United States Senate Collection, and on such other matters as the Commission determines appropriate.

(2) Additional advisory boards

(A) In general

The Commission, or the chairman and vice chairman acting jointly on behalf of the Commission and after giving notice to the Commission, may establish 1 or more additional advisory boards.

(B) Term

The term of existence for an additional advisory board—

- (i) shall be specified by the Commission but no longer than 4 years; and
- (ii) shall be renewable.

(C) Purpose

The purpose of an additional advisory board shall be to provide advice and assistance to the Commission and to further the purposes of the Commission.

(3) Appointments

(A) In general

Subject to subparagraph (B), the Curatorial Advisory Board and other advisory boards established by the Commission under paragraph (2) shall be composed of members appointed by the Commission, or the chairman and vice chairman acting jointly on behalf of the Commission and after giving notice to the Commission.

(B) Applicable rules

Members appointed under subparagraph (A)—

- (i) shall be appointed from public and private life and shall serve at the pleasure of the Commission; and
- (ii) in the case of individuals appointed to the Curatorial Advisory Board, shall be experts or have significant experience in the field of arts, historic preservation, or other appropriate fields.

Each member of the Commission may have appointed to an advisory board created by the Commission at least 1 individual requested by that member.

(4) Members

A member of a board under this subsection—

(A) may, at the discretion of the Commission, be reimbursed for actual and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of the official duties of the board from any funds available to the Commission in accordance with applicable Senate regulations for such expenses; and

(B) shall not, by virtue of such member’s service on the board, be deemed to be an officer, employee, or agent of the Senate and may not bind the Senate in any contract or obligation.

(5) Terms for additional advisory board members

Members appointed to the other advisory boards created under paragraph (2) shall serve