

Pub. L. 91-600, §3(b), Dec. 30, 1970, 84 Stat. 1669; renumbered §313 and amended Pub. L. 93-29, title VIII, §804, May 3, 1973, 87 Stat. 59; Pub. L. 93-380, title VI, §608(a), Aug. 21, 1974, 88 Stat. 579; Pub. L. 95-112, §3(b), Sept. 24, 1977, 91 Stat. 912; renumbered §315 and amended Pub. L. 95-561, title XIII, §§1307(a)(3), 1310, Nov. 1, 1978, 92 Stat. 2360, 2361; renumbered §314 and amended Pub. L. 98-511, title I, §§109(a)(2), 112, Oct. 19, 1984, 98 Stat. 2369, authorized appropriations, prior to the general amendment of this chapter by Pub. L. 100-297.

Another prior section 1211, Pub. L. 89-750, title III, §312, Nov. 3, 1966, 80 Stat. 1221, provided for prohibition of Federal control of education (curriculum, program of instruction, administration, personnel, or selection of library resources), and for authorization of the National Advisory Committee on Adult Basic Education to encourage establishment of State and local education advisory committees, prior to the general amendment of this chapter by Pub. L. 91-230.

Section 1211-1, Pub. L. 102-73, title II, §201, July 25, 1991, 105 Stat. 342, related to National Workforce Literacy Assistance Collaborative.

Section 1211-2, Pub. L. 102-73, title VI, §601, July 25, 1991, 105 Stat. 356; Pub. L. 102-103, title III, §313, Aug. 17, 1991, 105 Stat. 505; Pub. L. 103-322, title II, §20408(b), Sept. 13, 1994, 108 Stat. 1827, related to functional literacy and life skills programs for State and local prisoners.

Section 1211a, Pub. L. 89-750, title III, §372, as added Pub. L. 100-297, title II, §2102, Apr. 28, 1988, 102 Stat. 316, related to English literacy grants.

A prior section 1211a, Pub. L. 89-750, title III, §315, formerly §314, as added Pub. L. 92-318, title IV, §431, June 23, 1972, 86 Stat. 342; amended Pub. L. 93-380, title VI, §608(b), Aug. 21, 1974, 88 Stat. 579; Pub. L. 95-112, §3(c), Sept. 24, 1977, 91 Stat. 912; renumbered §316 and amended Pub. L. 95-561, title XIII, §§1307(a)(3), 1311, Nov. 1, 1978, 92 Stat. 2360, 2361, as amended by Pub. L. 96-46, §2(a)(6), Aug. 6, 1979, 93 Stat. 340; renumbered §315 and amended Pub. L. 98-511, title I, §§102(f)(1), 109(a)(2), title V, §513(d), Oct. 19, 1984, 98 Stat. 2366, 2369, 2400, related to grants for improvement of educational opportunities for adult Indians, prior to the general amendment of this chapter by section 2102 of Pub. L. 100-297. Section 5352(3) of Pub. L. 100-297, title V, Apr. 28, 1988, 102 Stat. 414, subsequently provided for the repeal of section 315 of Pub. L. 89-750.

Section 1211b, Pub. L. 89-750, title III, §373, as added Pub. L. 102-26, §7, Apr. 9, 1991, 105 Stat. 127, related to education programs for commercial drivers.

A prior section 1211b, Pub. L. 89-750, title III, §317, formerly §315, as added Pub. L. 94-405, title III, §301, Sept. 10, 1976, 90 Stat. 1233; renumbered and amended Pub. L. 95-561, title XIII, §§1307(a)(3), 1312, Nov. 1, 1978, 92 Stat. 2360, 2361; Pub. L. 96-88, title III, §301(a)(1), title V, §507, Oct. 17, 1979, 93 Stat. 677, 692; related to grants for operations for special adult education programs for Indochina refugees, prior to repeal by Pub. L. 97-35, title V, §542(3), Aug. 13, 1981, 95 Stat. 459, eff. Oct. 1, 1981.

A prior section 1211c, Pub. L. 89-750, title III, §318, as added Pub. L. 95-561, title XIII, §1313, Nov. 1, 1978, 92 Stat. 2361; amended Pub. L. 96-88, title III, §301(a)(1), title V, §507, Oct. 17, 1979, 93 Stat. 677, 692; Pub. L. 97-300, title I, §183, Oct. 13, 1982, 96 Stat. 1357; Pub. L. 98-511, title I, §102(f)(1), Oct. 19, 1984, 98 Stat. 2366; Pub. L. 98-524, §4(d)(2), Oct. 19, 1984, 98 Stat. 2489, authorized adult education programs for adult immigrants, providing in subsec.: (a) for grant and contract authority; (b) for applications to State educational agencies; (c) for time, manner, and form of applications; (d) for payments by Secretary of application costs; (e) for contracts with private nonprofit groups; and (f) for authorization of appropriations for fiscal years 1979 through 1983, prior to repeal by Pub. L. 98-511, title I, §109(a)(1), Oct. 19, 1984, 98 Stat. 2369, eff. July 1, 1985.

## SUBCHAPTER IV—NATIONAL PROGRAMS

### §§ 1213 to 1213d. Repealed. Pub. L. 105-220, title II, §251(a)(1), Aug. 7, 1998, 112 Stat. 1079

Section 1213, Pub. L. 89-750, title III, §381, as added Pub. L. 100-297, title II, §2102, Apr. 28, 1988, 102 Stat. 317, related to adult migrant farmworker and immigrant education.

Section 1213a, Pub. L. 89-750, title III, §382, as added Pub. L. 100-297, title II, §2102, Apr. 28, 1988, 102 Stat. 318, related to adult literacy volunteer training.

Section 1213b, Pub. L. 89-750, title III, §383, as added Pub. L. 100-297, title II, §2102, Apr. 28, 1988, 102 Stat. 318, related to State program analysis assistance and policy studies.

Section 1213c, Pub. L. 89-750, title III, §384, as added Pub. L. 100-297, title II, §2102, Apr. 28, 1988, 102 Stat. 319; amended Pub. L. 102-73, title I, §102(c), July 25, 1991, 105 Stat. 334; Pub. L. 103-382, title III, §335(b), Oct. 20, 1994, 108 Stat. 3966, related to national research activities and establishment of National Institute for Literacy. See section 9252 of this title.

Section 1213d, Pub. L. 89-750, title III, §385, as added Pub. L. 100-297, title II, §2102, Apr. 28, 1988, 102 Stat. 319, related to limitation on grants for sectarian instruction or religious worship or to a school or department of divinity.

#### PURPOSE AND FINDINGS REGARDING LITERACY AMENDMENTS AND NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR LITERACY

Pub. L. 102-73, title I, §102(a), (b), July 25, 1991, 105 Stat. 334, stated findings of Congress and purpose of amendment by section 102 of Pub. L. 102-73 to former section 1213c of this title, prior to repeal by Pub. L. 105-220, title II, §251(a)(2), Aug. 7, 1998, 112 Stat. 1079.

#### FAMILY LITERACY PUBLIC BROADCASTING PROGRAM

Pub. L. 102-73, title III, §304, July 25, 1991, 105 Stat. 353, authorized Secretary to contract with the Corporation for Public Broadcasting to arrange for production and dissemination of family literacy programming and materials to assist parents in improving family literacy skills and language development, authorized appropriations, and required report to Congress, prior to repeal by Pub. L. 105-220, title II, §251(a)(2), Aug. 7, 1998, 112 Stat. 1079.

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AMENDMENTS

1970—Pub. L. 91-230, title IV, § 401(a)(1), Apr. 13, 1970, 84 Stat. 164, substituted as chapter heading “GENERAL PROVISIONS CONCERNING EDUCATION” for “LEAD-TIME AND PLANNING AND EVALUATION IN ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION PROGRAMS”.

§ 1221. Short title; applicability; definitions

(a) Short title

This chapter may be cited as the “General Education Provisions Act”.

(b) Applicability of chapter

(1) Except as otherwise provided, this chapter applies to each applicable program of the Department of Education.

(2) Except as otherwise provided, this chapter does not apply to any contract made by the Department of Education.

(c) Definitions

As used in this chapter, the following terms have the following meanings:

(1) The term “applicable program” means any program for which the Secretary or the Department has administrative responsibility as provided by law or by delegation of authority pursuant to law. The term includes each program for which the Secretary or the Department has administrative responsibility under the Department of Education Organization Act [20 U.S.C. 3401 et seq.] or under Federal law effective after the effective date of that Act.

(2) The term “applicable statute” means—

(A) the Act or the title, part, section, or any other subdivision of an Act, as the case may be, that authorizes the appropriation for an applicable program;

(B) this chapter; and

(C) any other statute that by its terms expressly controls the administration of an applicable program.

(3) The term “Department” means the Department of Education.

(4) The term “Secretary” means the Secretary of Education.

(d) Application of other laws unaffected

Nothing in this chapter shall be construed to affect the applicability of title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 [42 U.S.C. 2000d et seq.], title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 [20 U.S.C. 1681 et seq.], title V of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 [29 U.S.C. 790 et seq.], the Age Discrimination Act [42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.], or other statutes prohibiting discrimination, to any applicable program.

(Pub. L. 90-247, title IV, § 400, formerly § 401, Jan. 2, 1968, 81 Stat. 814; Pub. L. 90-576, title III, § 301(a), Oct. 16, 1968, 82 Stat. 1094; Pub. L. 91-230, title IV, § 401(a)(2), Apr. 13, 1970, 84 Stat. 164; renumbered § 400, Pub. L. 92-318, title III, § 301(a)(1), June 23, 1972, 86 Stat. 326; Pub. L. 93-380, title V, § 505(a)(1), Aug. 21, 1974, 88 Stat. 561; Pub. L. 103-382, title II, § 211, Oct. 20, 1994, 108 Stat. 3912.)