

(7) the term “school-age children” means children aged five through thirteen, except that in any State in which by State law children at an earlier age are provided free public education, the age provided in State law shall be substituted for age five;

(8) the term “school facilities” means classrooms and related facilities used for the provision of education;

(9) the term “Secretary” means the Secretary of Health and Human Services;

(10) the term “State” means each of the several States, the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, Guam, American Samoa, the Virgin Islands, the Federated States of Micronesia, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, Palau, and the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands; and

(11) the term “State educational agency” has the meaning given that term under section 7801 of title 20.

(Pub. L. 97-35, title VI, § 670G, as added Pub. L. 98-558, title I, § 109, Oct. 30, 1984, 98 Stat. 2883; amended Pub. L. 99-425, title III, § 303, Sept. 30, 1986, 100 Stat. 967; Pub. L. 101-501, title III, § 305(c), Nov. 3, 1990, 104 Stat. 1250; Pub. L. 103-382, title III, § 394(l), Oct. 20, 1994, 108 Stat. 4029; Pub. L. 105-244, title I, § 102(a)(13)(H), Oct. 7, 1998, 112 Stat. 1621; Pub. L. 106-402, title IV, § 401(b)(12), Oct. 30, 2000, 114 Stat. 1739; Pub. L. 107-110, title X, § 1076(dd), Jan. 8, 2002, 115 Stat. 2093.)

#### REFERENCES IN TEXT

Section 198 of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, referred to in par. (4), is section 198 of Pub. L. 89-10, title I, as added Pub. L. 95-561, title I, § 101(a), Nov. 1, 1978, 92 Stat. 2198, as amended, which was classified to section 2854 of Title 20, Education, prior to the general revision of Pub. L. 89-10 by Pub. L. 100-297, title I, § 1001, Apr. 28, 1988, 102 Stat. 140.

#### AMENDMENTS

2002—Pars. (6), (11). Pub. L. 107-110 substituted “7801” for “8801”.

2000—Par. (3). Pub. L. 106-402 substituted “section 15002 of this title” for “section 6001(7) of this title”.

1998—Par. (5). Pub. L. 105-244, which directed amendment of section 670G(5) of the Child Care and Development Block Grant Act of 1990 (42 U.S.C. 9877(5)) by substituting “section 1001” for “section 1141(a)”, was executed to this section, which is section 670G(5) of subchapter E of chapter 8 of subtitle A of title VI of Pub. L. 97-35, known as the State Dependent Care Development Grants Act, to reflect the probable intent of Congress.

1994—Par. (6). Pub. L. 103-382, § 394(l)(1), substituted “section 8801 of title 20” for “section 198(a)(10) of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965”.

Par. (11). Pub. L. 103-382, § 394(l)(2), substituted “section 8801 of title 20” for “section 198(a)(17) of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965”.

1990—Par. (2)(C). Pub. L. 101-501, § 305(c)(1), substituted “an individual” for “a person”.

Par. (7). Pub. L. 101-501, § 305(c)(2), inserted “in” after first reference to “State”.

Par. (10). Pub. L. 101-501, § 305(c)(3), substituted “Federated States of Micronesia, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, Palau” for “Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands”.

1986—Par. (7). Pub. L. 99-425 inserted “, except that in any State which by State law children at an earlier age are provided free public education, the age provided in State law shall be substituted for age five”.

#### EFFECTIVE DATE OF 2002 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 107-110 effective Jan. 8, 2002, except with respect to certain noncompetitive programs and competitive programs, see section 5 of Pub. L. 107-110, set out as an Effective Date note under section 6301 of Title 20, Education.

#### EFFECTIVE DATE OF 1998 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 105-244 effective Oct. 1, 1998, except as otherwise provided in Pub. L. 105-244, see section 3 of Pub. L. 105-244, set out as a note under section 1001 of Title 20, Education.

#### EFFECTIVE DATE OF 1990 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 101-501 effective Oct. 1, 1990, see section 1001(a) of Pub. L. 101-501, set out as a note under section 8621 of this title.

#### EFFECTIVE DATE OF 1986 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 99-425 effective Oct. 1, 1986, see section 1001 of Pub. L. 99-425, set out as a note under section 8621 of this title.

### SUBCHAPTER V—COMPREHENSIVE CHILD DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

#### §§ 9881 to 9887. Repealed. Pub. L. 103-252, title I, § 112(b)(1), (2)(B), May 18, 1994, 108 Stat. 640, 641

Section 9881, Pub. L. 97-35, title VI, § 670N, as added Pub. L. 100-297, title II, § 2503, Apr. 28, 1988, 102 Stat. 326, authorized Comprehensive Child Development Program for pre-school children. See section 9840a of this title.

Section 9882, Pub. L. 97-35, title VI, § 670O, as added Pub. L. 100-297, title II, § 2503, Apr. 28, 1988, 102 Stat. 328, proscribed Secretary from taking into consideration, when making a grant under former section 9881, whether the applicant had applied or received funds under subchapter II of this chapter, relating to the Head Start program.

Section 9883, Pub. L. 97-35, title VI, § 670P, as added Pub. L. 100-297, title II, § 2503, Apr. 28, 1988, 102 Stat. 329, related to applicability to this subchapter of rules and regulations prescribed to carry out subchapter II of this chapter to the extent that the services provided were similar.

Section 9884, Pub. L. 97-35, title VI, § 670Q, as added Pub. L. 100-297, title II, § 2503, Apr. 28, 1988, 102 Stat. 329, directed Secretary to continually evaluate projects under this subchapter.

Section 9885, Pub. L. 97-35, title VI, § 670R, as added Pub. L. 100-297, title II, § 2503, Apr. 28, 1988, 102 Stat. 329, directed Secretary to carry out this subchapter through the administrative entity used to carry out subchapter II of this chapter.

Section 9886, Pub. L. 97-35, title VI, § 670S, as added Pub. L. 100-297, title II, § 2503, Apr. 28, 1988, 102 Stat. 329; amended Pub. L. 102-119, § 26(a), Oct. 7, 1991, 105 Stat. 607; Pub. L. 103-382, title III, § 391(x), Oct. 20, 1994, 108 Stat. 4025, provided definitions for terms used in this subchapter.

Section 9887, Pub. L. 97-35, title VI, § 670T, as added Pub. L. 100-297, title II, § 2503, Apr. 28, 1988, 102 Stat. 330; amended Pub. L. 101-501, title VIII, § 801, Nov. 3, 1990, 104 Stat. 1261, authorized appropriations to carry out this subchapter.

#### EFFECTIVE DATE OF REPEAL

Repeal effective May 18, 1994, but not applicable to Head Start agencies and other recipients of financial assistance under the Head Start Act (42 U.S.C. 9831 et seq.) until Oct. 1, 1994, see section 127 of Pub. L. 103-252, set out as an Effective Date of 1994 Amendment note under section 9832 of this title.

#### COMPREHENSIVE CHILD DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM; CONGRESSIONAL STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

Pub. L. 100-297, title II, part E, § 2502, Apr. 28, 1988, 102 Stat. 325, provided that it is the purpose of part E of

title II of Pub. L. 100-297 to provide financial assistance to projects that target and support infants and young children from low-income families, enhance their development, and provide support for their parents and other family members, prior to repeal by Pub. L. 103-252, title I, §112(b)(1), (2)(A), May 18, 1994, 108 Stat. 640, 641.

#### CONSOLIDATION OF CHILD DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS

Pub. L. 103-252, title I, §112(b)(1), May 18, 1994, 108 Stat. 640, provided that: "In recognition that the Comprehensive Child Development Centers Act [enacting this subchapter, amending section 9833 of this title, and enacting provisions set out as notes under this section and section 9801 of this title] has demonstrated positive results, and that its purposes and functions have been consolidated into section 645A of the Head Start Act [42 U.S.C. 9840a], the Comprehensive Child Development Centers Act of 1988 (42 U.S.C. 9801 note) and the Comprehensive Child Development Act (42 U.S.C. 9881 et seq.) are repealed."

### CHAPTER 106—COMMUNITY SERVICES BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM

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#### CODIFICATION

The Community Services Block Grant Act, comprising this chapter, was originally enacted by subtitle B of Pub. L. 97-35, title VI, Aug. 13, 1981, 95 Stat. 511, and amended by Pub. L. 97-115, Dec. 29, 1981, 95 Stat. 1595; Pub. L. 98-288, May 21, 1984, 98 Stat. 189; Pub. L. 98-558, Oct. 30, 1984, 98 Stat. 2878; Pub. L. 99-425, Sept. 30, 1986, 100 Stat. 966; Pub. L. 101-501, Nov. 3, 1990, 104 Stat. 1222; Pub. L. 101-624, Nov. 28, 1990, 104 Stat. 3359; Pub. L. 103-94, Oct. 6, 1993, 107 Stat. 1001; Pub. L. 103-171, Dec. 2, 1993, 107 Stat. 1988; Pub. L. 103-252, May 18, 1994, 108 Stat. 623. The Community Services Block Grant Act is shown herein, however, as having been added by Pub. L. 105-285, title II, §201, Oct. 27, 1998, 112 Stat. 2728, without reference to those intervening amendments because of the extensive revision of that Act by Pub. L. 105-285.

#### § 9901. Purposes and goals

The purposes of this chapter are—

(1) to provide assistance to States and local communities, working through a network of community action agencies and other neighborhood-based organizations, for the reduction of poverty, the revitalization of low-income communities, and the empowerment of low-income families and individuals in rural and urban areas to become fully self-sufficient (particularly families who are attempting to transition off a State program carried out under part A of title IV of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 601 et seq.)); and

(2) to accomplish the goals described in paragraph (1) through—

(A) the strengthening of community capabilities for planning and coordinating the use of a broad range of Federal, State, local, and other assistance (including private resources) related to the elimination of poverty, so that this assistance can be used in a manner responsive to local needs and conditions;

(B) the organization of a range of services related to the needs of low-income families and individuals, so that these services may have a measurable and potentially major impact on the causes of poverty in the community and may help the families and individuals to achieve self-sufficiency;

(C) the greater use of innovative and effective community-based approaches to attacking the causes and effects of poverty and of community breakdown;

(D) the maximum participation of residents of the low-income communities and members of the groups served by programs assisted through the block grants made under this chapter to empower such residents and members to respond to the unique problems and needs within their communities; and

(E) the broadening of the resource base of programs directed to the elimination of poverty so as to secure a more active role in the provision of services for—

(i) private, religious, charitable, and neighborhood-based organizations; and

(ii) individual citizens, and business, labor, and professional groups, who are able to influence the quantity and quality of opportunities and services for the poor.

(Pub. L. 97-35, title VI, §672, as added Pub. L. 105-285, title II, §201, Oct. 27, 1998, 112 Stat. 2728.)

#### REFERENCES IN TEXT

The Social Security Act, referred to in par. (1), is act Aug. 14, 1935, ch. 531, 49 Stat. 620, as amended. Part A of title IV of the Act is classified generally to part A (§601 et seq.) of subchapter IV of chapter 7 of this title. For complete classification of this Act to the Code, see section 1305 of this title and Tables.

#### PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 9901, Pub. L. 97-35, title VI, §672, Aug. 13, 1981, 95 Stat. 511; Pub. L. 98-558, title II, §201, Oct. 30, 1984, 98 Stat. 2884; Pub. L. 99-425, title IV, §401, Sept. 30, 1986, 100 Stat. 968; Pub. L. 101-501, title IV, §401(a), Nov. 3, 1990, 104 Stat. 1251; Pub. L. 103-252, title II, §202(a), May 18, 1994, 108 Stat. 651, authorized the Secretary to make community service grants, prior to the general amendment of this chapter by Pub. L. 105-285.