

## AMENDMENTS

2002—Pub. L. 107-273 substituted “each of fiscal years 2002 through 2005” for “fiscal year 2002”.

1998—Pub. L. 105-277 substituted “\$50,000,000 for fiscal year 1999, \$70,000,000 for fiscal year 2000, \$90,000,000 for fiscal year 2001, and \$90,000,000 for fiscal year 2002” for “\$20,000 for each of the fiscal years 1996 through 2000”.

**§ 14102. Repealed. Pub. L. 112-189, § 2(b)(1), Oct. 5, 2012, 126 Stat. 1435**

Section, Pub. L. 103-322, title XX, § 200113, Sept. 13, 1994, 108 Stat. 2057, required the Director to submit an annual report describing participants in and the progress of the Police Corps program.

PART B—LAW ENFORCEMENT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

**§ 14111. Definitions**

In this part—

“Director” means the Director of the Office of the Police Corps and Law Enforcement Education appointed under section 14093<sup>1</sup> of this title.

“educational expenses” means expenses that are directly attributable to—

- (A) a course of education leading to the award of an associate degree;
- (B) a course of education leading to the award of a baccalaureate degree; or
- (C) a course of graduate study following award of a baccalaureate degree,

including the cost of tuition, fees, books, supplies, and related expenses.

“institution of higher education” has the meaning stated in the first sentence of section 1001 of title 20.

“law enforcement position” means employment as an officer in a State or local police force, or correctional institution.

“State” means a State of the United States, the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands of the United States, American Samoa, Guam, and the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands.

(Pub. L. 103-322, title XX, § 200202, Sept. 13, 1994, 108 Stat. 2057; Pub. L. 105-244, title I, § 102(a)(13)(P), Oct. 7, 1998, 112 Stat. 1621.)

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1998—Pub. L. 105-244 substituted “section 1001” for “section 1141(a)” in par. defining “institution of higher 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.

## SHORT TITLE

For short title of this part as the “Law Enforcement Scholarships and Recruitment Act”, see section 200201 of Pub. L. 103-322, set out as a note under section 13701 of this title.

**§ 14112. Allotment**

From amounts appropriated under section 14119 of this title, the Director shall allot—

<sup>1</sup> So in original. Section 14093 of this title does not provide for the appointment of a Director.

(1) 80 percent of such amounts to States on the basis of the number of law enforcement officers in each State compared to the number of law enforcement officers in all States; and

(2) 20 percent of such amounts to States on the basis of the shortage of law enforcement personnel and the need for assistance under this part in the State compared to the shortage of law enforcement personnel and the need for assistance under this part in all States.

(Pub. L. 103-322, title XX, § 200203, Sept. 13, 1994, 108 Stat. 2058.)

**§ 14113. Establishment of program**

**(a) Use of allotment**

**(1) In general**

A State that receives an allotment pursuant to section 14112 of this title shall use the allotment to pay the Federal share of the costs of—

(A) awarding scholarships to in-service law enforcement personnel to enable such personnel to seek further education; and

(B) providing—

- (i) full-time employment in summer; or
- (ii) part-time (not to exceed 20 hours per week) employment for a period not to exceed 1 year.

**(2) Employment**

The employment described in paragraph

(1)(B)—

(A) shall be provided by State and local law enforcement agencies for students who are juniors or seniors in high school or are enrolled in an institution of higher education and who demonstrate an interest in undertaking a career in law enforcement;

(B) shall not be in a law enforcement position; and

(C) shall consist of performing meaningful tasks that inform students of the nature of the tasks performed by law enforcement agencies.

**(b) Payments; Federal share; non-Federal share**

**(1) Payments**

Subject to the availability of appropriations, the Director shall pay to each State that receives an allotment under section 14112 of this title the Federal share of the cost of the activities described in the application submitted pursuant to section 14116<sup>1</sup> of this title.

**(2) Federal share**

The Federal share shall not exceed 60 percent.

**(3) Non-Federal share**

The non-Federal share of the cost of scholarships and student employment provided under this part shall be supplied from sources other than the Federal Government.

**(c) Responsibilities of Director**

The Director shall be responsible for the administration of the programs conducted pursuant to this part and shall, in consultation with the Assistant Secretary for Postsecondary Education, issue rules to implement this part.

<sup>1</sup> See References in Text note below.

**(d) Administrative expenses**

A State that receives an allotment under section 14112 of this title may reserve not more than 8 percent of the allotment for administrative expenses.

**(e) Special rule**

A State that receives an allotment under section 14112 of this title shall ensure that each scholarship recipient under this part be compensated at the same rate of pay and benefits and enjoy the same rights under applicable agreements with labor organizations and under State and local law as other law enforcement personnel of the same rank and tenure in the office of which the scholarship recipient is a member.

**(f) Supplementation of funding**

Funds received under this part shall only be used to supplement, and not to supplant, Federal, State, or local efforts for recruitment and education of law enforcement personnel.

(Pub. L. 103-322, title XX, §200204, Sept. 13, 1994, 108 Stat. 2058.)

## REFERENCES IN TEXT

Section 14116 of this title, referred to in subsec. (b)(1), was in the original "section 200203", and was translated as reading "section 200207", meaning section 200207 of Pub. L. 103-322, to reflect the probable intent of Congress, because section 200203 of Pub. L. 103-322, which is classified to section 14112 of this title, does not provide for submission of applications, and section 14116 does so provide.

**§ 14114. Scholarships****(a) Period of award**

Scholarships awarded under this part shall be for a period of 1 academic year.

**(b) Use of scholarships**

Each individual awarded a scholarship under this part may use the scholarship for educational expenses at an institution of higher education.

(Pub. L. 103-322, title XX, §200205, Sept. 13, 1994, 108 Stat. 2059.)

**§ 14115. Eligibility****(a) Scholarships**

A person shall be eligible to receive a scholarship under this part if the person has been employed in law enforcement for the 2-year period immediately preceding the date on which assistance is sought.

**(b) Ineligibility for student employment**

A person who has been employed as a law enforcement officer is ineligible to participate in a student employment program carried out under this part.

(Pub. L. 103-322, title XX, §200206, Sept. 13, 1994, 108 Stat. 2059.)

**§ 14116. State application****(a) In general**

Each State desiring an allotment under section 14112 of this title shall submit an application to the Director at such time, in such man-

ner, and accompanied by such information as the Director may reasonably require.

**(b) Contents**

An application under subsection (a) of this section shall—

(1) describe the scholarship program and the student employment program for which assistance under this part is sought;

(2) contain assurances that the lead agency will work in cooperation with the local law enforcement liaisons, representatives of police labor organizations and police management organizations, and other appropriate State and local agencies to develop and implement inter-agency agreements designed to carry out this part;

(3) contain assurances that the State will advertise the scholarship assistance and student employment it will provide under this part and that the State will use such programs to enhance recruitment efforts;

(4) contain assurances that the State will screen and select law enforcement personnel for participation in the scholarship program under this part;

(5) contain assurances that under such student employment program the State will screen and select, for participation in such program, students who have an interest in undertaking a career in law enforcement;

(6) contain assurances that under such scholarship program the State will make scholarship payments to institutions of higher education on behalf of persons who receive scholarships under this part;

(7) with respect to such student employment program, identify—

(A) the employment tasks that students will be assigned to perform;

(B) the compensation that students will be paid to perform such tasks; and

(C) the training that students will receive as part of their participation in the program;

(8) identify model curriculum and existing programs designed to meet the educational and professional needs of law enforcement personnel; and

(9) contain assurances that the State will promote cooperative agreements with educational and law enforcement agencies to enhance law enforcement personnel recruitment efforts in institutions of higher education.

(Pub. L. 103-322, title XX, §200207, Sept. 13, 1994, 108 Stat. 2059.)

**§ 14117. Local application****(a) In general**

A person who desires a scholarship or employment under this part shall submit an application to the State at such time, in such manner, and accompanied by such information as the State may reasonably require.

**(b) Contents**

An application under subsection (a) of this section shall describe—

(1) the academic courses for which a scholarship is sought; or