

**§ 3796ee-8. Assessment reports****(a) Reports to Attorney General****(1) In general**

Except as provided in paragraph (4), for each fiscal year for which a grant or subgrant is awarded under this subchapter, each State or specially qualified unit of local government that receives such a grant shall submit to the Attorney General a grant report, and each unit of local government that receives such a subgrant shall submit to the State a subgrant report, at such time and in such manner as the Attorney General may reasonably require.

**(2) Grant report**

Each grant report required by paragraph (1) shall include—

- (A) a summary of the activities carried out with such grant;
- (B) if such activities included any subgrant, a summary of the activities carried out with each such subgrant; and
- (C) an assessment of the effectiveness of such activities on achieving the purposes of this subchapter.

**(3) Subgrant report**

Each subgrant report required by paragraph (1) shall include—

- (A) a summary of the activities carried out with such subgrant; and
- (B) an assessment of the effectiveness of such activities on achieving the purposes of this subchapter.

**(4) Waivers**

The Attorney General may waive the requirement of an assessment in paragraph (2)(C) for a State or specially qualified unit of local government, or in paragraph (3)(B) for a unit of local government, if the Attorney General determines that—

- (A) the nature of the activities are such that assessing their effectiveness would not be practical or insightful;
- (B) the amount of the grant or subgrant is such that carrying out the assessment would not be an effective use of those amounts; or
- (C) the resources available to the State or unit are such that carrying out the assessment would pose a financial hardship on the State or unit.

**(b) Reports to Congress**

Not later than 120 days after the last day of each fiscal year for which 1 or more grants are awarded under this subchapter, the Attorney General shall submit to Congress a report, which shall include—

- (1) a summary of the information provided under subsection (a) of this section;
- (2) an assessment by the Attorney General of the grant program carried out under this subchapter; and
- (3) such other information as the Attorney General considers appropriate.

(Pub. L. 90-351, title I, §1808, as added Pub. L. 107-273, div. C, title II, §12102(a), Nov. 2, 2002, 116 Stat. 1867.)

**§ 3796ee-9. Definitions**

In this subchapter:

**(1) Unit of local government**

The term “unit of local government” means—

- (A) a county, township, city, or political subdivision of a county, township, or city, that is a unit of local government as determined by the Secretary of Commerce for general statistical purposes;
- (B) any law enforcement district or judicial enforcement district that—
  - (i) is established under applicable State law; and
  - (ii) has the authority, in a manner independent of other State entities, to establish a budget and raise revenues; and
- (C) the District of Columbia and the recognized governing body of an Indian tribe or Alaskan Native village that carries out substantial governmental duties and powers.

**(2) Specially qualified unit**

The term “specially qualified unit” means a unit of local government which may receive funds under this subchapter only in accordance with section 3796ee-3(e) of this title.

**(3) State**

The term “State” means any State of the United States, the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands, American Samoa, Guam, and the Northern Mariana Islands, except that—

- (A) the Virgin Islands, American Samoa, Guam, and the Northern Mariana Islands (the “partial States”) shall collectively be considered as 1 State; and
- (B) for purposes of section 3796ee-3(a) of this title, the amount allocated to a partial State shall bear the same proportion to the amount collectively allocated to the partial States as the population of the partial State bears to the collective population of the partial States.

**(4) Juvenile**

The term “juvenile” means an individual who is 17 years of age or younger.

**(5) Juvenile justice expenditures**

The term “juvenile justice expenditures” means expenditures in connection with the juvenile justice system, including expenditures in connection with such system to carry out—

- (A) activities specified in section 3796ee(b) of this title; and
- (B) other activities associated with prosecutorial and judicial services and corrections as reported to the Bureau of the Census for the fiscal year preceding the fiscal year for which a determination is made under this subchapter.

**(6) Part 1 violent crimes**

The term “part 1 violent crimes” means murder and nonnegligent manslaughter, forcible rape, robbery, and aggravated assault as reported to the Federal Bureau of Investigation for purposes of the Uniform Crime Reports.

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