

**(3) Reimbursement and authorization of services**

**(A) Reimbursement**

The Foundation shall reimburse the Department of State for all expenses incurred by the Inspector General in connection with the Inspector General's responsibilities under this subsection.

**(B) Authorization for services**

Of the amount authorized to be appropriated under section 17357(a) of this title for a fiscal year, up to \$500,000 is authorized to be made available to the Inspector General of the Department of State to conduct reviews, investigations, and inspections of operations and activities of the Foundation.

(Pub. L. 110-140, title IX, §925, Dec. 19, 2007, 121 Stat. 1736.)

REFERENCES IN TEXT

This subchapter, referred to in subsec. (a)(6), was in the original "this title", meaning title IX of Pub. L. 110-140, Dec. 19, 2007, 121 Stat. 1725, which enacted this subchapter and amended section 5314 of Title 5, Government Organization and Employees, section 9101 of Title 31, Money and Finance, and section 3021 of Title 50, War and National Defense. For complete classification of title IX to the Code, see Tables.

CODIFICATION

Section is comprised of section 925 of Pub. L. 110-140. Subsec. (c)(2) of section 925 of Pub. L. 110-140 amended section 9101 of Title 31, Money and Finance.

**§ 17356. General personnel authorities**

**(a) Detail of personnel**

Upon request of the Chief Executive Officer, the head of an agency may detail any employee of such agency to the Foundation on a reimbursable basis. Any employee so detailed remains, for the purpose of preserving such employee's allowances, privileges, rights, seniority, and other benefits, an employee of the agency from which detailed.

**(b) Reemployment rights**

**(1) In general**

An employee of an agency who is serving under a career or career conditional appointment (or the equivalent), and who, with the consent of the head of such agency, transfers to the Foundation, is entitled to be reemployed in such employee's former position or a position of like seniority, status, and pay in such agency, if such employee—

(A) is separated from the Foundation for any reason, other than misconduct, neglect of duty, or malfeasance; and

(B) applies for reemployment not later than 90 days after the date of separation from the Foundation.

**(2) Specific rights**

An employee who satisfies paragraph (1) is entitled to be reemployed (in accordance with such paragraph) within 30 days after applying for reemployment and, on reemployment, is entitled to at least the rate of basic pay to which such employee would have been entitled had such employee never transferred.

**(c) Hiring authority**

Of persons employed by the Foundation, no more than 30 persons may be appointed, compensated, or removed without regard to the civil service laws and regulations.

**(d) Basic pay**

The Chief Executive Officer may fix the rate of basic pay of employees of the Foundation without regard to the provisions of chapter 51 of title 5 (relating to the classification of positions), subchapter III of chapter 53 of such title (relating to General Schedule pay rates), except that no employee of the Foundation may receive a rate of basic pay that exceeds the rate for level IV of the Executive Schedule under section 5315 of such title.

**(e) Definitions**

In this section—

(1) the term "agency" means an executive agency, as defined by section 105 of title 5; and

(2) the term "detail" means the assignment or loan of an employee, without a change of position, from the agency by which such employee is employed to the Foundation.

(Pub. L. 110-140, title IX, §926, Dec. 19, 2007, 121 Stat. 1737.)

**§ 17357. Authorization of appropriations**

**(a) Authorization of appropriations**

To carry out this part, there are authorized to be appropriated \$20,000,000 for each of the fiscal years 2009 through 2013.

**(b) Allocation of funds**

**(1) In general**

The Foundation may allocate or transfer to any agency of the United States Government any of the funds available for carrying out this part. Such funds shall be available for obligation and expenditure for the purposes for which the funds were authorized, in accordance with authority granted in this part or under authority governing the activities of the United States Government agency to which such funds are allocated or transferred.

**(2) Notification**

The Foundation shall notify the appropriate congressional committees not less than 15 days prior to an allocation or transfer of funds pursuant to paragraph (1).

(Pub. L. 110-140, title IX, §927, Dec. 19, 2007, 121 Stat. 1738.)

PART C—MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

**§ 17371. Energy diplomacy and security within the Department of State**

**(a) State Department Coordinator for International Energy Affairs**

**(1) In general**

The Secretary of State should ensure that energy security is integrated into the core mission of the Department of State.

**(2) Coordinator for International Energy Affairs**

There is established within the Office of the Secretary of State a Coordinator for Inter-