

AMENDMENTS

1986—Pub. L. 99-433 renumbered section 3040 of this title as this section and substituted “section 3036” for “sections 3036 and 3039” in subsec. (a).

1978—Subsec. (b). Pub. L. 95-485 inserted provision establishing the Assistant Surgeon General as Chief of the Dental Corps and making him responsible for recommendations to the Surgeon General and through the Surgeon General to the Chief of Staff on all matters concerning dentistry and dental health of the Army.

[§ 3040. Repealed. Pub. L. 103-337, div. A, title IX, § 904(b)(1), Oct. 5, 1994, 108 Stat. 2827]

Section, acts Aug. 10, 1956, ch. 1041, 70A Stat. 159, § 3015; Aug. 6, 1958, Pub. L. 85-599, § 12, 72 Stat. 521; renumbered § 3040, Oct. 1, 1986, Pub. L. 99-433, title V, § 501(a)(1), 100 Stat. 1034; Sept. 29, 1988, Pub. L. 100-456, div. A, title XII, § 1234(a)(1), 102 Stat. 2059, related to National Guard Bureau, Chief of Bureau, appointment and acting Chief. See sections 10501, 10502, and 10505 of this title.

EFFECTIVE DATE OF REPEAL

Repeal effective at end of 90-day period beginning on Oct. 5, 1994, see section 904(d) of Pub. L. 103-337, set out as an Effective Date note under section 10501 of this title.

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2002—Pub. L. 107-314, div. A, title V, § 504(b)(2), Dec. 2, 2002, 116 Stat. 2531, added item 3084.

1997—Pub. L. 105-85, div. A, title V, § 596(b), Nov. 18, 1997, 111 Stat. 1766, added item 3083.

1996—Pub. L. 104-201, div. A, title V, § 502(c)(1), Sept. 23, 1996, 110 Stat. 2511, substituted “Chief and assistant chief; appointment; grade” for “chief and assistant chief; appointment” in item 3069.

1994—Pub. L. 103-337, div. A, title X, § 1070(a)(16), title XVI, § 1672(b)(1), Oct. 5, 1994, 108 Stat. 2856, 3015, struck out items 3076 “Army Reserve: composition”, 3077 “Army National Guard of United States: composition”, 3078 “Army National Guard: when a component of Army”, 3079 “Army National Guard of United States: status when not in Federal service”, and 3080 “Army National Guard of the United States: authority of officers with respect to Federal status”, struck out “3082.” before “Army” in item 3082, and then struck out item 3082 “Army National Guard combat readiness reform: annual report”.

1993—Pub. L. 103-160, div. A, title V, § 521(b), Nov. 30, 1993, 107 Stat. 1655, added item 3082.

1980—Pub. L. 96-513, title V, § 502(3), Dec. 12, 1980, 94 Stat. 2909, struck out item 3066 “Generals and lieutenant generals”.

1978—Pub. L. 95-485, title VIII, §§ 805(b)(2), 820(b), Oct. 20, 1978, 92 Stat. 1622, 1627, struck out item 3071 “Women's Army Corps: Director; Deputy Director; other positions” and added item 3081.

1968—Pub. L. 90-329, June 4, 1968, 82 Stat. 170, substituted “Army Medical Department” for “Army Medical Service” in item 3067.

1967—Pub. L. 90-130, § 1(8)(D), Nov. 8, 1967, 81 Stat. 375, substituted “composition; chief and assistant chief” for “Chief” in item 3069.

1960—Pub. L. 86-603, § 1(2)(B), July 7, 1960, 74 Stat. 357, added item 3080.

1957—Pub. L. 85-155, title I, § 101(3), Aug. 21, 1957, 71 Stat. 376, substituted “Army Medical Specialist Corps” for “Women's Medical Specialist Corps” in item 3070.

§ 3061. Regulations

The President may prescribe regulations for the government of the Army.

(Aug. 10, 1956, ch. 1041, 70A Stat. 165.)

HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

Revised section	Source (U.S. Code)	Source (Statutes at Large)
3061	10:16.	July 15, 1870, ch. 294, § 20, 16 Stat. 319; Mar. 1, 1875, ch. 115, 18 Stat. 337.

The word “prescribe” is substituted for the words “make and publish”. 10:16 (last 35 words) is omitted as surplusage.

§ 3062. Policy; composition; organized peace establishment

(a) It is the intent of Congress to provide an Army that is capable, in conjunction with the other armed forces, of—

(1) preserving the peace and security, and providing for the defense, of the United States, the Commonwealths and possessions, and any areas occupied by the United States;

(2) supporting the national policies;

(3) implementing the national objectives; and

(4) overcoming any nations responsible for aggressive acts that imperil the peace and security of the United States.

(b) In general, the Army, within the Department of the Army, includes land combat and service forces and such aviation and water transport as may be organic therein. It shall be organized, trained, and equipped primarily for prompt and sustained combat incident to operations on land. It is responsible for the preparation of land forces necessary for the effective prosecution of war except as otherwise assigned and, in accordance with integrated joint mobilization plans, for the expansion of the peacetime components of the Army to meet the needs of war.

(c) The Army consists of—

(1) the Regular Army, the Army National Guard of the United States, the Army National Guard while in the service of the United States and the Army Reserve; and

(2) all persons appointed or enlisted in, or conscripted into, the Army without component.