

priations of both the House of Representatives and the Senate, and to the Speaker and minority leader of the House of Representatives and to the majority and minority leaders of the Senate, no later than 60 days after the end of each fiscal year.

(Pub. L. 103-414, title IV, §401, as added Pub. L. 104-208, div. A, title I, §101(a) [title I, §110], Sept. 30, 1996, 110 Stat. 3009, 3009-19.)

REFERENCES IN TEXT

Section 605 of the Department of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 1997, referred to in subsec. (d), probably means section 605 of the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 1997, Pub. L. 104-208, div. A, title I, §101(a) [title VI], Sept. 30, 1996, 110 Stat. 3009, 3009-64, which is not classified to the Code.

Subchapter I of this chapter, referred to in subsec. (f), was in the original "this Act" and was translated as reading "title I of this Act", meaning title I of Pub. L. 103-414, Oct. 25, 1994, 108 Stat. 4279, which is classified to subchapter I of this chapter, to reflect the probable intent of Congress.

DIRECT PAYMENTS FROM FUND

Pub. L. 106-246, div. B, title II, July 13, 2000, 114 Stat. 542, provided in part: "That, hereafter, in the discretion of the Attorney General, any expenditures from the [Telecommunications Carrier Compliance] Fund to pay or reimburse pursuant to sections 104(e) and 109(a) of Public Law 103-414 [47 U.S.C. 1003(e), 1008(a)], may be made directly to any parties specified in section 401(a) thereof [47 U.S.C. 1021(a)], and may be made either pursuant to the regulations promulgated under such section 109, or pursuant to firm fixed-price agreements, upon provision of such information as the Attorney General may require".

CHAPTER 10—LOCAL TV

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§ 1101. Purpose

The purpose of this chapter is to facilitate access, on a technologically neutral basis and by December 31, 2006, to signals of local television stations for households located in nonserved areas and underserved areas.

(Pub. L. 106-553, §1(a)(2) [title X, §1002], Dec. 21, 2000, 114 Stat. 2762, 2762A-128.)

REFERENCES IN TEXT

This chapter, referred to in text, was in the original "this Act", and was translated as reading "this title" meaning title X of H.R. 5548, as enacted by Pub. L. 106-553, §1(a)(2), Dec. 21, 2000, 114 Stat. 2762, 2762A-128, to reflect the probable intent of Congress. Title X enacted this chapter and amended section 339 of this title. For complete classification of title X to the Code, see Short Title note set out below and Tables.

SHORT TITLE

Pub. L. 106-553, §1(a)(2) [title X, §1001], Dec. 21, 2000, 114 Stat. 2762, 2762A-128, provided that: "This title [title

X of H.R. 5548, as enacted by section 1(a)(2) of Pub. L. 106-553, enacting this chapter and amending section 339 of this title] may be cited as the 'Launching Our Communities' Access to Local Television Act of 2000'."

§ 1102. LOCAL Television Loan Guarantee Board

(a) Establishment

There is established the LOCAL Television Loan Guarantee Board (in this chapter referred to as the "Board").

(b) Members

(1) In general

Subject to paragraph (2), the Board shall consist of the following members:

(A) The Secretary of the Treasury, or the designee of the Secretary.

(B) The Chairman of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, or the designee of the Chairman.

(C) The Secretary of Agriculture, or the designee of the Secretary.

(D) The Secretary of Commerce, or the designee of the Secretary.

(2) Requirement as to designees

An individual may not be designated a member of the Board under paragraph (1) unless the individual is an officer of the United States pursuant to an appointment by the President, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate.

(c) Functions of the Board

(1) In general

The Board shall determine whether or not to approve loan guarantees under this chapter. The Board shall make such determinations consistent with the purpose of this chapter and in accordance with this subsection and section 1103¹ of this title.

(2) Consultation authorized

(A) In general

In carrying out its functions under this chapter, the Board shall consult with such departments and agencies of the Federal Government as the Board considers appropriate, including the Department of Commerce, the Department of Agriculture, the Department of the Treasury, the Department of Justice, the Department of the Interior, the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, the Federal Communications Commission, the Federal Trade Commission, and the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

(B) Response

A department or agency consulted by the Board under subparagraph (A) shall provide the Board such expertise and assistance as the Board requires to carry out its functions under this chapter.

(3) Approval by majority vote

The determination of the Board to approve a loan guarantee under this chapter shall be by an affirmative vote of not less than 3 members of the Board.

¹ See References in Text note below.