this title to carry out a project or activity shall also receive an assurance from the State that such entity will receive from the State, for the subsequent fiscal year to carry out such project or activity, a grant under such section in an amount that is proportional, based on such initial grant and on the amount of the grant received under section 5651 of this title by the State for such subsequent fiscal year, but that does not exceed the amount specified for such subsequent fiscal year in such application as approved by the State.

(6) Such other information and assurances as the Administrator may reasonably require by rule

# (b) Approval of applications

### (1) Approval required

Subject to paragraph (2), the Administrator shall approve an application, and amendments to such application submitted in subsequent fiscal years, that satisfy the requirements of subsection (a) of this section.

#### (2) Limitation

The Administrator may not approve such application (including amendments to such application) for a fiscal year unless—

- (A)(i) the State submitted a plan under section 5633 of this title for such fiscal year; and
- (ii) such plan is approved by the Administrator for such fiscal year; or
- (B) the Administrator waives the application of subparagraph (A) to such State for such fiscal year, after finding good cause for such a waiver.

(Pub. L. 93-415, title II, §243, as added Pub. L. 107-273, div. C, title II, §12210(4), Nov. 2, 2002, 116 Stat. 1884.)

# PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 5653, Pub. L. 93–415, title II,  $\S$  243, Sept. 7, 1974, 88 Stat. 1126; Pub. L. 95–115,  $\S$  3(a)(3)(B), 5(b), Oct. 3, 1977, 91 Stat. 1048, 1057; Pub. L. 98–473, title II,  $\S$  632, Oct. 12, 1984, 98 Stat. 2118; Pub. L. 100–690, title VII,  $\S$  7261, Nov. 18, 1988, 102 Stat. 4442; Pub. L. 102–586,  $\S$  2(g)(3), Nov. 4, 1992, 106 Stat. 4995, related to research, demonstration, and evaluation, prior to repeal by Pub. L. 107–273, div. C, title II,  $\S$  12210(1), Nov. 2, 2002, 116 Stat. 1880.

#### § 5654. Grants for local projects

# (a) Grants by States

Using a grant received under section 5651 of this title, a State may make grants to eligible entities whose applications are received by the State, and reviewed by the State advisory group, to carry out projects and activities described in section 5651 of this title.

### (b) Special consideration

For purposes of making grants under subsection (a) of this section, the State shall give special consideration to eligible entities that—

- (1) propose to carry out such projects in geographical areas in which there is—
  - (A) a disproportionately high level of serious crime committed by juveniles; or
  - (B) a recent rapid increase in the number of nonstatus offenses committed by juveniles:

- (2)(A) agreed to carry out such projects or activities that are multidisciplinary and involve more than 2 private nonprofit agencies, organizations, and institutions that have experience dealing with juveniles; or
- (B) represent communities that have a comprehensive plan designed to identify at-risk juveniles and to prevent or reduce the rate of juvenile delinquency, and that involve other entities operated by individuals who have a demonstrated history of involvement in activities designed to prevent juvenile delinquency; and
- (3) the amount of resources (in cash or in kind) such entities will provide to carry out such projects and activities.

(Pub. L. 93–415, title II, §244, as added Pub. L. 107–273, div. C, title II, §12210(4), Nov. 2, 2002, 116 Stat. 1885.)

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# § 5655. Eligibility of entities

#### (a) Eligibility

Except as provided in subsection (b) of this section, to be eligible to receive a grant under section 5654 of this title, a unit of general purpose local government, acting jointly with not fewer than 2 private nonprofit agencies, organizations, and institutions that have experience dealing with juveniles, shall submit to the State an application that contains the following:

- (1) An assurance that such applicant will use such grant, and each such grant received for the subsequent fiscal year, to carry out throughout a 2-year period a project or activity described in reasonable detail, and of a kind described in one or more of paragraphs (1) through (25) of section 5651(a) of this title as specified in, such application.
- (2) A statement of the particular goals such project or activity is designed to achieve, and the methods such entity will use to achieve, and assess the achievement of, each of such goals.
- (3) A statement identifying the research (if any) such entity relied on in preparing such application.

#### (b) Limitation

If an eligible entity that receives a grant under section 5654 of this title to carry out a project or activity for a 2-year period, and receives technical assistance from the State or the Administrator after requesting such technical assistance (if any), fails to demonstrate, before the expiration of such 2-year period, that such project or such activity has achieved substantial success in achieving the goals specified in the application submitted by such entity to receive such grants, then such entity shall not be eligi-