termines that an adoption is justified under subsection (a)(2) under circumstances under which the handler of a military working dog is wounded in action, the dog may be made available for adoption only by the handler. If the Secretary of the military department concerned determines that such an adoption is justified under circumstances under which the handler of a military working dog is killed in action or dies of wounds received in action, the military working dog shall be made available for adoption only by a parent, child, spouse, or sibling of the deceased handler.

Subsecs. (f), (g). Pub. L. 112-81, §1061(20), redesignated subsec. (g) as (f) and struck out former subsec. (f). Prior to amendment, text of subsec. (f) read as follows: "The Secretary of Defense shall submit to Congress an annual report specifying the number of military animals adopted under this section during the preceding year, the number of these animals currently awaiting adoption, and the number of these animals euthanized during the preceding year. With respect to each euthanized military animal, the report shall contain an explanation of the reasons why the animal was euthanized

rather than retained for adoption under this section." 2008—Subsec. (e). Pub. L. 110–181 substituted "ANIMALS" for "Dogs" in heading.

2006—Pub. L. 109-364, §352(a)(1), substituted "animals" for "working dogs" in section catchline.

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Pub. L. 109–163, §599(d), struck out "at end of useful working life" after "adoption" in section catchline.

Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 109–364, §352(a)(2)–(4), substituted "animal's" for "dog's" in pars. (1) and (2) and "animal" for "dog" wherever appearing, and struck out "working" after "may make a military" in introductory provisions and after "useful" in pars. (1) and (2).
Pub. L. 109–163, §599(a), (b), substituted "Secretary of

the military department concerned may" for "Secretary of Defense may", "such military department" for "the Department of Defense", and ", unless the dog has been determined to be unsuitable for adoption under subsection (b), under circumstances as follows:' and pars. (1) to (3) for "at the end of the dog's useful working life or when the dog is otherwise excess to the needs of the Department, unless the dog has been determined to be unsuitable for adoption under subsection

Subsec. (b). Pub. L. 109–364, §352(a)(2), (3), (5), substituted "the adoptability of the animal" for "a dog's adoptability" and "animal" for "dog" in two places

and struck out "working" after "military".

Subsec. (c). Pub. L. 109-364, §352(a)(2), (3), substituted "animals" for "dogs" wherever appearing and struck out "working" after "Military".

Subsec. (d). Pub. L. 109-364, §352(a)(2), (3), substituted "animal" for "dog" and struck out "working" after "military"

2006—Subsec. (e). Pub. L. 109–364, §352(a)(3), substituted "animal" for "dog" wherever appearing in

Pub. L. 109-364, §352(a)(2), struck out "working" after "military" wherever appearing.

Subsec. (f). Pub. L. 109-364, §352(a)(2), (3), substituted "animal" for "dog" in two places and "animals" for "dogs" wherever appearing and struck out "working"

after "military" in two places.
Pub. L. 109–163, §599(c), inserted "of Defense" after "Secretary"

Subsec. (g). Pub. L. 109–364, §352(a)(6), added subsec.

2001—Pub. L. 107-107 renumbered section 2582 of this title as this section.

## EFFECTIVE DATE OF 2013 AMENDMENT

Pub. L. 113-66, div. A, title X, §1091(b), Dec. 26, 2013, 127 Stat. 876, provided in part that the amendment made by section 1091(b)(2) is effective as of Jan. 2, 2013, and as if included in Pub. L. 112-239 as enacted

## CHAPTER 155-ACCEPTANCE OF GIFTS AND SERVICES

Sec. 2601. General gift funds. 2601a.

Direct acceptance of gifts by members of the armed forces and Department of Defense and Coast Guard employees and their fami-

2602. American National Red Cross: cooperation and assistance.

Acceptance of fellowships, scholarships, or 2603 grants.

2604. United Seamen's Service: cooperation and assistance.

Acceptance of gifts for defense dependents' 2605. schools.

2606. Scouting: cooperation and assistance in foreign areas.

Acceptance of gifts for the Defense Intel-2607. ligence College.

Acceptance of contributions for defense pro-2608. grams, projects, and activities; Defense Cooperation Account.

[2609. Repealed.]

2610. Competitions for excellence: acceptance of monetary awards.

2611. Regional centers for security studies: acceptance of gifts and donations

2612. National Defense University: acceptance of gifts.

Acceptance of frequent traveler miles, cred-2613. its, points, and tickets: use to facilitate rest and recuperation travel of deployed members and their families.

2614. Emergency communications equipment: acceptance from local public safety agencies for temporary use related to disasters.

Military museums and military education programs: cooperative agreement author-

## AMENDMENTS

2013—Pub. L. 112-239, div. B, title XXVIII, §2852(b)(2), Jan. 2, 2013, 126 Stat. 2161, added item 2615.

2011—Pub. L. 112-81, div. A, title V, §576(d)(2), Dec. 31, 2011, 125 Stat. 1429, substituted "Acceptance of frequent traveler miles, credits, points, and tickets: use to facilitate rest and recuperation travel of deployed members and their families" for "Acceptance of frequent traveler miles, credits, and tickets; use to facilitate rest and recuperation travel of deployed members and their families" in item 2613.

Pub. L. 111-383, div. A, title V, §591(b), Jan. 7, 2011, 124 Stat. 4232, added item 2601a.

2006-Pub. L. 109-364, div. A, title X, §1071(a)(19)(B), Oct. 17, 2006, 120 Stat. 2399, renumbered item 2613 "Emergency communications equipment: acceptance from local public safety agencies for temporary use related to disasters" as 2614.

Pub. L. 109-163, div. A, title IX, §903(a)(2), Jan. 6, 2006, 119 Stat. 3399, substituted "Regional centers for security studies" for "Asia-Pacific Center for Security Studies" in item 2611.

2004—Pub. L. 108–375, div. A, title V, \$585(a)(2), title X, §1051(b), Oct. 28, 2004, 118 Stat. 1931, 2054, added two

2003—Pub. L. 108-136, div. A, title IX, §931(c), Nov. 24, 2003, 117 Stat. 1581, struck out "foreign" before "gifts" in item 2611.

2002-Pub. L. 107-314, div. A, title IX, §931(b), Dec. 2, 2002, 116 Stat. 2625, added item 2612.

1999-Pub. L. 106-65, div. A, title IX, §915(b), Oct. 5, 1999, 113 Stat. 722, added item 2611.

1996—Pub. L. 104-201, div. A, title X, §1074(a)(15), Sept. 23, 1996, 110 Stat. 2659, struck out item 2609 "Theater Missile Defense: acceptance of contributions from allies; Theater Missile Defense Cooperation Account'

Pub. L. 104-106, div. A, title III, §377(b), Feb. 10, 1996, 110 Stat. 284, added item 2610.

1994—Pub. L. 103–337, div. A, title III,  $\S353(c)(2)$ , Oct. 5, 1994, 108 Stat. 2732, substituted "schools" for "education system" in item 2605.

1993—Pub. L. 103–160, div. A, title II,  $\S 242(f)(2)$ , title XI, §1105(b)(3), Nov. 30, 1993, 107 Stat. 1605, 1750, inserted