

(Pub. L. 97-98, title XV, § 1532, as added Pub. L. 107-171, title II, § 2504, May 13, 2002, 116 Stat. 272.)

#### PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 3455, Pub. L. 97-98, title XV, § 1532, Dec. 22, 1981, 95 Stat. 1339, related to authority of the Secretary to carry out provisions of this subchapter, prior to the general amendment of this subchapter by Pub. L. 107-171.

### § 3456. Resource Conservation and Development Policy Advisory Board

#### (a) Establishment

The Secretary shall establish within the Department of Agriculture a Resource Conservation and Development Policy Advisory Board.

#### (b) Composition

##### (1) In general

The Board shall be composed of at least 7 employees of the Department of Agriculture selected by the Secretary.

##### (2) Chairperson

A member of the Board shall be designated by the Secretary to serve as chairperson of the Board.

#### (c) Duties

The Board shall advise the Secretary regarding the administration of this subchapter, including the formulation of policies for carrying out this subchapter.

(Pub. L. 97-98, title XV, § 1533, as added Pub. L. 107-171, title II, § 2504, May 13, 2002, 116 Stat. 273.)

#### PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 3456, Pub. L. 97-98, title XV, § 1533, Dec. 22, 1981, 95 Stat. 1339, related to technical and financial assistance to carry out specified works of improvement, prior to the general amendment of this subchapter by Pub. L. 107-171.

#### TERMINATION OF ADVISORY BOARDS

Advisory boards established after Jan. 5, 1973, to terminate not later than the expiration of the 2-year period beginning on the date of their establishment, unless, in the case of a board established by the President or an officer of the Federal Government, such board is renewed by appropriate action prior to the expiration of such 2-year period, or in the case of a board established by the Congress, its duration is otherwise provided for by law. See sections 3(2) and 14 of Pub. L. 92-463, Oct. 6, 1972, 86 Stat. 770, 776, set out in the Appendix to Title 5, Government Organization and Employees.

### § 3457. Repealed. Pub. L. 110-234, title II, § 2805(d), May 22, 2008, 122 Stat. 1089, and Pub. L. 110-246, § 4(a), title II, § 2805(d), June 18, 2008, 122 Stat. 1664, 1817

Section, Pub. L. 97-98, title XV, § 1534, as added Pub. L. 107-171, title II, § 2504, May 13, 2002, 116 Stat. 273, related to evaluation of program established under this subchapter and submission of report not later than June 30, 2005.

#### CODIFICATION

Pub. L. 110-234 and Pub. L. 110-246 repealed this section. Pub. L. 110-234 was repealed by section 4(a) of Pub. L. 110-246.

#### PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 3457, Pub. L. 97-98, title XV, § 1534, Dec. 22, 1981, 95 Stat. 1340, related to the Resource Con-

servation and Development Policy Board, prior to the general amendment of this subchapter by Pub. L. 107-171.

#### EFFECTIVE DATE OF REPEAL

Repeal of this section and repeal of Pub. L. 110-234 by Pub. L. 110-246 effective May 22, 2008, the date of enactment of Pub. L. 110-234, see section 4 of Pub. L. 110-246, set out as an Effective Date note under section 8701 of Title 7, Agriculture.

### § 3458. Limitation on assistance

In carrying out this subchapter, the Secretary shall provide technical assistance and financial assistance with respect to not more than 450 active designated areas.

(Pub. L. 97-98, title XV, § 1535, as added Pub. L. 107-171, title II, § 2504, May 13, 2002, 116 Stat. 274.)

#### PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 3458, Pub. L. 97-98, title XV, § 1535, Dec. 22, 1981, 95 Stat. 1340, related to program evaluation, prior to the general amendment of this subchapter by Pub. L. 107-171.

### § 3459. Supplemental authority of the Secretary

The authority of the Secretary under this subchapter to assist councils in the development and implementation of area plans shall be supplemental to, and not in lieu of, any authority of the Secretary under any other provision of law.

(Pub. L. 97-98, title XV, § 1536, as added Pub. L. 107-171, title II, § 2504, May 13, 2002, 116 Stat. 274.)

#### PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 3459, Pub. L. 97-98, title XV, § 1536, Dec. 22, 1981, 95 Stat. 1340; Pub. L. 101-624, title XIV, § 1452(a), Nov. 28, 1990, 104 Stat. 3611, related to limitation on assistance, prior to the general amendment of this subchapter by Pub. L. 107-171.

### § 3460. Authorization of appropriations

#### (a) In general

There are authorized to be<sup>1</sup> such sums as are necessary to carry out this subchapter.

#### (b) Loans

The Secretary shall not use more than \$15,000,000 of any funds made available for a fiscal year to make loans under this subchapter.

#### (c) Availability

Funds appropriated to carry out this subchapter shall remain available until expended.

(Pub. L. 97-98, title XV, § 1537, as added Pub. L. 107-171, title II, § 2504, May 13, 2002, 116 Stat. 274.)

#### PRIOR PROVISIONS

Prior sections 3460 and 3461 were omitted in the general amendment of this subchapter by Pub. L. 107-171.

Section 3460, Pub. L. 97-98, title XV, § 1537, Dec. 22, 1981, 95 Stat. 1340, related to supplemental authority of Secretary.

Section 3461, Pub. L. 97-98, title XV, § 1538, Dec. 22, 1981, 95 Stat. 1341; Pub. L. 101-624, title XIV, § 1452(b), Nov. 28, 1990, 104 Stat. 3611; Pub. L. 104-127, title III, § 383, Apr. 4, 1996, 110 Stat. 1016, authorized appropriations for each of the fiscal years 1996 through 2002.

<sup>1</sup>So in original. Probably should be followed by "appropriated".