(d)(1), May 7, 1991, 105 Stat. 238, 239; Pub. L. 105-368, title V, §§ 502, 512(a)(1), (2)(C), Nov. 11, 1998, 112 Stat. 3340, 3341; Pub. L. 106-117, title X, §1011(j), Nov. 30, 1999, 113 Stat. 1589.)

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1999—Subsec. (e)(2)(C), (D). Pub. L. 106-117 added subpar. (D) and redesignated former subpar. (C) as (D).

1998—Pub. L. 105–368, $\S512(a)(2)(C)$, struck out "Court of Veterans Appeals" before "Retirement Fund" in section catchline.

Subsecs. (a), (d). Pub. L. 105–368, $\S512(a)(1)$, substituted "Court of Appeals for Veterans Claims" for "Court of Veterans Appeals"

Subsec. (g). Pub. L. 105-368, §502, added subsec. (g).

1991—Pub. L. 102–40, $\S402(b)(1)$, renumbered section 4098 of this title as this section.

Subsecs. (b), (c). Pub. L. 102–40, § 402(d)(1), substituted '7296'' for "4096'' and "7297'' for "4097''.

Subsec. (e)(2)(B)(ii)(I). Pub. L. 102-40, \$402(d)(1), substituted "7296(i) and 7297(c)" for "4096(i) and 4097(c)" and "7296(j) and 7296(d)" for "4096(j) and 4096(d)".

EFFECTIVE DATE OF 1998 AMENDMENT

Amendment by section 512(a)(1), (2)(C) of Pub. L. 105-368 effective on first day of first month beginning more than 90 days after Nov. 11, 1998, see section 513 of Pub. L. 105-368, set out as a note under section 7251 of

§ 7299. Limitation on activities of retired judges

(a) A retired judge of the Court who is recalleligible under section 7257 of this title and who in the practice of law represents (or supervises or directs the representation of) a client in making any claim relating to veterans' benefits against the United States or any agency thereof shall, pursuant to such section, be considered to have declined recall service and be removed from the status of a recall-eligible judge. The pay of such a judge, pursuant to section 7296 of this title, shall be the pay of the judge at the time of the removal from recall status.

(b) A recall-eligible judge shall be considered to be an officer or employee of the United States, but only during periods when the judge is serving in recall status. Any prohibition, limitation, or restriction that would otherwise apply to the activities of a recall-eligible judge shall apply only during periods when the judge is serving in recall status.

(Added Pub. L. 106-117, title X, §1024(a), Nov. 30, 1999, 113 Stat. 1593.)

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2016-Pub. L. 114-315, title VI, §612(b), Dec. 16, 2016, 130 Stat. 1576, added item 7330B.

Pub. L. 114-198, title IX, §924(b), July 22, 2016, 130 Stat. 769, added item 7309A.

2013—Pub. L. 112-239, div. A, title VII, §728(b), Jan. 2, 2013, 126 Stat. 1813, added item 7309.

2010—Pub. L. 111-275, title X, §1001(n)(1), Oct. 13, 2010, 124 Stat. 2897, substituted "the human immunodeficiency virus" for "human immunodeficiency virus" in item 7333.

Pub. L. 111–163, title V, §§505(a)(2), 515(b), title VIII, §805(b), May 5, 2010, 124 Stat. 1159, 1166, 1179, added items 7311A, 7321A, and 7365 and struck out former items 7364A "Coverage of employees under certain Federal tort claims laws" and 7365 "Applicable State law".