## EFFECTIVE DATE OF 2008 AMENDMENT

Amendment 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, except as otherwise provided, see section 4 of Pub. L. 110-246, set out as an Effective Date note under section 8701 of this

Pub. L. 110-234, title VII, §7109(d), May 22, 2008, 122 Stat. 1218, and Pub. L. 110-246, §4(a), title VII, §7109(d), June 18, 2008, 122 Stat. 1664, 1979, provided that: "The amendments made by subsection (a) [amending this section] take effect on October 1, 2008.

[Pub. L. 110-234 and Pub. L. 110-246 enacted identical provisions. Pub. L. 110-234 was repealed by section 4(a) of Pub. L. 110-246, set out as a note under section 8701 of this title.]

## EFFECTIVE DATE OF 2002 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 107-110 effective Jan. 8, 2002, except with respect to certain noncompetitive programs and competitive programs, see section 5 of Pub. L. 107-110, set out as an Effective Date note under section 6301 of Title 20, Education.

## EFFECTIVE DATE OF 1998 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 105-244 effective Oct. 1, 1998, except as otherwise provided in Pub. L. 105-244, see section 3 of Pub. L. 105-244, set out as a note under section 1001 of Title 20, Education.

## EFFECTIVE DATE OF 1981 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 97-98 effective Dec. 22, 1981, see section 1801 of Pub. L. 97-98, set out as an Effective Date note under section 4301 of this title.

### EFFECTIVE DATE

Section effective Oct. 1, 1977, see section 1901 of Pub. L. 95-113, set out as an Effective Date of 1977 Amendment note under section 1307 of this title.

## § 3153. National Agricultural Science Award

# (a) Establishment

The Secretary shall establish the National Agricultural Science Award for research or advanced studies in the food and agricultural sciences, including the social sciences. Two such awards, one for each of the categories described in subsection (d) of this section, shall be made in each fiscal year.

## (b) Amount and term

The awards shall not exceed \$50,000 per year for a period of not to exceed three years to support research or study by the recipient.

The awards shall be open to persons in agricultural research, extension, teaching, or any combination thereof.

Awards under this section shall be made in each fiscal year in two categories as follows:

- (1) to a scientist in recognition of outstanding contributions to the advancement of the food and agricultural sciences; and
- (2) to a research scientist in early career development or a graduate student, in recognition of demonstrated capability and promise of significant future achievement in the food and agricultural sciences.

# (e) Nominating and selection committees

The Secretary may establish such nominating and selection committees, to consist of sci-

entists and others, to receive nominations and make recommendations for awards under this section, as the Secretary deems appropriate.

(Pub. L. 95-113, title XIV, §1418, Sept. 29, 1977, 91 Stat. 997; Pub. L. 97-98, title XIV, §1420(a), Dec. 22, 1981, 95 Stat. 1306.)

### AMENDMENTS

1981—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 97–98, \$1420(a)(2), substituted "Science Award" for "Research Award", and 'subsection (d)" for "subsection (c)"

Subsecs. (c) to (e). Pub. L. 97–98, 1420(a)(3), (4), added subsec. (c) and redesignated former subsecs. (c) and (d) as (d) and (e), respectively.

## EFFECTIVE DATE OF 1981 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 97-98 effective Dec. 22, 1981. see section 1801 of Pub. L. 97-98, set out as an Effective Date note under section 4301 of this title.

#### EFFECTIVE DATE

Section effective Oct. 1, 1977, see section 1901 of Pub. L. 95-113, set out as an Effective Date of 1977 Amendment note under section 1307 of this title.

# §3154. Repealed. Pub. L. 110-234, title VII, §7110(a), May 22, 2008, 122 Stat. 1218, and Pub. L. 110-246, § 4(a), title VII, § 7110(a), June 18, 2008, 122 Stat. 1664, 1980

Section, Pub. L. 95-113, title XIV, §1419, Sept. 29, 1977, 91 Stat. 997; Pub. L. 96–294, title II,  $\S 252$ , June 30, 1980, 94 Stat. 705; Pub. L. 97-98, title XIV, §1422, Dec. 22, 1981, 95 Stat. 1306; Pub. L. 101-624, title XVI, §1609(a), Nov. 28, 1990, 104 Stat. 3718; Pub. L. 102–237, title IV, §402(7), Dec. 13, 1991, 105 Stat. 1863; Pub. L. 104-127, title VIII, §806, Apr. 4, 1996, 110 Stat. 1162; Pub. L. 105-185, title III, §301(a)(2), June 23, 1998, 112 Stat. 562; Pub. L. 107-171, title VII, §§ 7134, 7209(b), May 13, 2002, 116 Stat. 436, 445, related to grants for research on production and marketing of alcohols and industrial hydrocarbons from agricultural commodities and forest products.

# 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.

## 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 this title.

# § 3155. Agricultural and food policy research centers

# (a) In general

Consistent with this section, the Secretary shall, acting through the Office of the Chief Economist, make competitive grants to, or enter into cooperative agreements with, policy research centers described in subsection (b) to conduct research and education programs that are objective, operationally independent, and external to the Federal Government and that concern the effect of public policies and trade agreements on-

- (1) the farm and agricultural sectors (including commodities, livestock, dairy, and specialty crops);
  - (2) the environment:
- (3) rural families, households, and economies: and