

“(D) Establish improved oversight mechanisms to ensure major enhanced-use lease project decisions are documented and maintained in accordance with policy.

“(E) Establish improved criteria to measure timeliness and performance in enhanced-use lease project development and execution.

“(F) Establish improved criteria and guidelines for assessing projects to determine whether they are or remain viable candidates for enhanced-use leases.”

### § 8169. Expiration

The authority of the Secretary to enter into enhanced-use leases under this subchapter expires on December 31, 2023.

(Added Pub. L. 102-86, title IV, §401(a), Aug. 14, 1991, 105 Stat. 422; amended Pub. L. 103-452, title I, §103(d), Nov. 2, 1994, 108 Stat. 4786; Pub. L. 104-110, title I, §101(k), Feb. 13, 1996, 110 Stat. 769; Pub. L. 105-114, title II, §205(a), Nov. 21, 1997, 111 Stat. 2288; Pub. L. 106-117, title II, §208(e), Nov. 30, 1999, 113 Stat. 1568; Pub. L. 112-154, title II, §211(j), Aug. 6, 2012, 126 Stat. 1182.)

#### AMENDMENTS

2012—Pub. L. 112-154 substituted “December 31, 2023” for “December 31, 2011”.

1999—Pub. L. 106-117 substituted “December 31, 2011” for “December 31, 2001”.

1997—Pub. L. 105-114 substituted “December 31, 2001” for “December 31, 1997”.

1996—Pub. L. 104-110 substituted “December 31, 1997” for “December 31, 1995”.

1994—Pub. L. 103-452 substituted “December 31, 1995” for “December 31, 1994”.

#### RATIFICATION OF ACTIONS DURING PERIOD OF EXPIRED AUTHORITY

Any action taken by Secretary of Veterans Affairs before Feb. 13, 1996, under provision of law amended by title I of Pub. L. 104-110 that was taken during period beginning on date on which authority of Secretary under such provision of law expired and ending on Feb. 13, 1996, considered to have same force and effect as if such amendment had been in effect at time of that action, see section 103 of Pub. L. 104-110, set out as a note under section 1710 of this title.

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#### AMENDMENTS

1991—Pub. L. 102-83, §4(a)(3), (4), Aug. 6, 1991, 105 Stat. 404, substituted “DEPARTMENT” for “VETERANS’ ADMINISTRATION” in headings for subchapters III and IV and “Department” for “Veterans’ Administration” in item 8241.

Pub. L. 102-40, title IV, §402(c)(1), May 7, 1991, 105 Stat. 239, renumbered items 5070 to 5096 as 8201 to 8241, respectively.

### § 8201. Coordination with public health programs; administration

(a) The Secretary and the Secretary of Health and Human Services shall, to the maximum extent practicable, coordinate the programs carried out under this chapter and the programs carried out under titles VII, VIII, and IX of the Public Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. 292 et seq.).

(b) The Secretary may not enter into any agreement under subchapter I of this chapter after September 30, 1979.

(c) The Secretary, after consultation with the special medical advisory committee established pursuant to section 7312(a) of this title, shall prescribe regulations covering the terms and conditions for entering into agreements and making grants under this chapter.

(d) Payments made pursuant to grants under this chapter may be made in installments, and either in advance or by way of reimbursement, with necessary adjustments on account of overpayments or underpayments, as the Secretary may determine.

(e) In carrying out the purposes of this chapter, the Secretary may lease to any eligible institution for such consideration and under such terms and conditions as the Secretary deems appropriate, such land, buildings, and structures (including equipment therein) under the control and jurisdiction of the Department as may be necessary. The three-year limitation on the term of a lease prescribed in section 8122(a) of this title shall not apply with respect to any lease entered into pursuant to this chapter, but no such lease may be for a period of more than 50 years. Any lease entered into pursuant to this chapter may be entered into without regard to the provisions of section 6101(b) to (d) of title 41. Notwithstanding section 1302 of title 40, or any other provision of law, a lease entered into pursuant to this chapter may provide for the maintenance, protection, or restoration, by the lessee, of the property leased, as a part or all of the consideration of the lease.

(f) In making grants under this chapter, the Secretary shall give special consideration to applications from institutions which provide reasonable assurances, which shall be included in the grant agreement, that priority for admission to health manpower and training programs carried out by such institutions will be given to otherwise qualified veterans who during their military service acquired medical military occu-