

(Pub. L. 86-372, title II, §202b, as added and amended Pub. L. 106-74, title V, §§522, 523(b), Oct. 20, 1999, 113 Stat. 1103, 1105; Pub. L. 111-372, title III, §301, Jan. 4, 2011, 124 Stat. 4082.)

## REFERENCES IN TEXT

Section 1701(q)(k) of this title, referred to in subsec. (g)(3), probably should be a reference to section 202(k) of this Act, which is classified to section 1701q(k) of this title.

## CODIFICATION

Section was enacted as part of the Housing Act of 1959, and not as part of the National Housing Act which comprises this chapter.

## AMENDMENTS

2011—Pub. L. 111-372, §301(a), inserted “and other purposes” after “assisted living facilities” in section catchline.

Subsec. (a)(2). Pub. L. 111-372, §301(b), designated existing provisions as subpar. (A), inserted heading, and added subpar. (B).

Subsec. (c)(1). Pub. L. 111-372, §301(c), inserted “for either an assisted living facility or service-enriched housing” after “activities”.

Subsec. (d). Pub. L. 111-372, §301(d), amended subsec. (d) generally. Prior to amendment, text read as follows: “The Secretary may not make a grant under this section for conversion activities unless the application contains sufficient evidence, in the determination of the Secretary, of firm commitments for the funding of services to be provided in the assisted living facility, which may be provided by third parties.”

Subsec. (e)(2). Pub. L. 111-372, §301(e)(1), inserted “or service-enriched housing” after “facilities” and “service-enriched housing” after “facility”.

Subsec. (e)(5). Pub. L. 111-372, §301(e)(2), inserted “or service-enriched housing” after “facility”.

Subsec. (e)(6). Pub. L. 111-372, §301(e)(3), inserted “or service-enriched housing” after “facility”.

Subsec. (f)(1). Pub. L. 111-372, §301(f)(1), inserted “or service-enriched housing” after “facilities” in two places.

Subsec. (f)(2). Pub. L. 111-372, §301(f)(2), inserted “or service-enriched housing” after “facility”.

Subsec. (g). Pub. L. 111-372, §301(g), amended subsec. (g) generally. Prior to amendment, subsec. (g) related to definitions for purposes of this section.

1999—Subsecs. (f) to (h). Pub. L. 106-74 added subsec. (f) and redesignated former subsecs. (f) and (g) as (g) and (h), respectively.

**§ 1701q-3. Funds for housing for elderly and persons with disabilities available for cost of maintenance and disposal of such properties**

Notwithstanding any other provision of law, for this fiscal year and every fiscal year thereafter, funds appropriated for housing for the elderly, as authorized by section 1701q of this title, as amended, and for supportive housing for persons with disabilities, as authorized by section 8013 of title 42, shall be available for the cost of maintaining and disposing of such properties that are acquired or otherwise become the responsibility of the Department.

(Pub. L. 109-115, div. A, title III, §313, Nov. 30, 2005, 119 Stat. 2463.)

## CODIFICATION

Section was enacted as part of the Transportation, Treasury, Housing and Urban Development, the Judiciary, the District of Columbia, and Independent Agencies Appropriations Act, 2006, and also as part of the Transportation, Treasury, Housing and Urban Develop-

ment, the Judiciary, and Independent Agencies Appropriations Act, 2006, and the Department of Housing and Urban Development Appropriations Act, 2006, and not as part of the National Housing Act which comprises this chapter.

## PRIOR PROVISIONS

Provisions similar to this section were contained in the following prior appropriations acts:

Pub. L. 108-447, div. I, title II, §213, Dec. 8, 2004, 118 Stat. 3318.

Pub. L. 108-199, div. G, title II, §221, Jan. 23, 2004, 118 Stat. 398.

**§ 1701r. Congressional findings respecting housing for senior citizens**

The Congress finds that there is a large and growing need for suitable housing for older people both in urban and rural areas. Our older citizens face special problems in meeting their housing needs because of the prevalence of modest and limited incomes among the elderly, their difficulty in obtaining liberal long-term home mortgage credit, and their need for housing planned and designed to include features necessary to the safety and convenience of the occupants in a suitable neighborhood environment. The Congress further finds that the present programs for housing the elderly under the Department of Housing and Urban Development have proven the value of Federal credit assistance in this field and at the same time demonstrated the urgent need for an expanded and more comprehensive effort to meet our responsibilities to our senior citizens.

(Pub. L. 87-723, §2, Sept. 28, 1962, 76 Stat. 670; Pub. L. 90-19, §19, May 25, 1967, 81 Stat. 25.)

## CODIFICATION

Section was enacted as part of the Senior Citizens Housing Act of 1962, and not as part of the National Housing Act which comprises this chapter.

## AMENDMENTS

1967—Pub. L. 90-19 substituted “Department of Housing and Urban Development” for “Housing and Home Finance Agency” in second sentence.

**§ 1701r-1. Pet ownership in assisted rental housing for the elderly or handicapped**

**(a) Restrictions on ownership**

No owner or manager of any federally assisted rental housing for the elderly or handicapped may—

(1) as a condition of tenancy or otherwise, prohibit or prevent any tenant in such housing from owning common household pets or having common household pets living in the dwelling accommodations of such tenant in such housing; or

(2) restrict or discriminate against any person in connection with admission to, or continued occupancy of, such housing by reason of the ownership of such pets by, or the presence of such pets in the dwelling accommodations of, such person.

**(b) Rules and regulations**

(1) Not later than the expiration of the twelve-month period following November 30, 1983, the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development and the Secretary of Agriculture shall each