

The Secretary shall designate one member to be Chairman. Any vacancy in the Commission shall be filled in the same manner in which the original appointment was made.

Members of the Commission shall serve without compensation as such. The Secretary is authorized to pay the expenses reasonably incurred by the Commission in carrying out its responsibilities under sections 459h to 459h-10 of this title on vouchers signed by the Chairman.

The Secretary or his designee shall, from time to time, consult with the Commission with respect to the matters relating to the development of the Gulf Islands National Seashore.

(Pub. L. 91-660, § 10, Jan. 8, 1971, 84 Stat. 1969.)

#### TERMINATION OF ADVISORY COMMISSIONS

Advisory commissions in existence on Jan. 5, 1973, to terminate not later than the expiration of the 2-year period following Jan. 5, 1973, unless, in the case of a commission established by the President or an officer of the Federal Government, such commission is renewed by appropriate action prior to the expiration of such 2-year period, or in the case of a commission established by the Congress, its duration is otherwise provided 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.

### § 459h-10. Authorization of appropriations

#### (a) In general

There are authorized to be appropriated not more than \$22,162,000 for the acquisition of lands and interests in lands and not more than \$24,224,000 for development.

#### (b) Authorization for acquisition of land

In addition to the funds authorized by subsection (a), there are authorized to be appropriated such sums as are necessary to acquire land and submerged land on and adjacent to Cat Island, Mississippi.

(Pub. L. 91-660, § 11, Jan. 8, 1971, 84 Stat. 1970; Pub. L. 92-275, § 1(2), Apr. 20, 1972, 86 Stat. 123; Pub. L. 94-578, title I, § 101(6), Oct. 21, 1976, 90 Stat. 2732; Pub. L. 95-625, title I, § 101(13), Nov. 10, 1978, 92 Stat. 3471; Pub. L. 106-554, § 1(a)(4) [div. B, title I, § 137(e)], Dec. 21, 2000, 114 Stat. 2763, 2763A-232.)

#### AMENDMENTS

2000—Pub. L. 106-554 designated existing provisions as subsec. (a), inserted heading, and added subsec. (b).

1978—Pub. L. 95-625 substituted “\$24,224,000 for development.” for “\$17,774,000 (June 1970 prices) for development, plus or minus such amounts, if any, as may be justified by reason of ordinary fluctuations in construction costs as indicated by engineering cost indices applicable to the types of construction involved herein.”

1976—Pub. L. 94-578 substituted “\$22,162,000” for “\$3,462,000”.

1972—Pub. L. 92-275 increased appropriations authorization for lands and land interests from \$3,120,000 to \$3,462,000 and for development from \$14,779,000 (1970 prices) to \$17,774,000 (June 1970 prices).

### § 459i. Cumberland Island National Seashore; establishment; boundary revisions; notification of Congressional committees, publication in Federal Register

In order to provide for public outdoor recreation use and enjoyment of certain significant

shoreline lands and waters of the United States, and to preserve related scenic, scientific, and historical values, there is established in the State of Georgia the Cumberland Island National Seashore (hereinafter referred to as the “seashore”) consisting of the area generally depicted on the drawing entitled “Boundary Map, Cumberland Island National Seashore”, numbered CUIS 40,000E, and dated January 1978, which shall be on file and available for public inspection in the offices of the National Park Service, Department of the Interior. The Secretary of the Interior (hereinafter referred to as the “Secretary”) may after notifying the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources of the Senate and the Committee on Natural Resources of the House of Representatives in writing, make minor adjustments in the boundary of the seashore from time to time by publication of a revised drawing or other boundary description in the Federal Register, but the total acreage within the boundaries shall not exceed forty thousand five hundred acres.

(Pub. L. 92-536, § 1, Oct. 23, 1972, 86 Stat. 1066; Pub. L. 95-625, title III, § 323, Nov. 10, 1978, 92 Stat. 3489; Pub. L. 98-170, Nov. 29, 1983, 97 Stat. 1116; Pub. L. 103-437, § 6(l), Nov. 2, 1994, 108 Stat. 4586.)

#### AMENDMENTS

1994—Pub. L. 103-437 substituted “Committee on Energy and Natural Resources of the Senate and the Committee on Natural Resources of the House of Representatives” for “Committees on Interior and Insular Affairs of the United States House of Representatives and United States Senate”.

1983—Pub. L. 98-170 substituted “CUIS 40,000E” for “CUIS 40,000D”.

1978—Pub. L. 95-625 substituted reference to Boundary Map “numbered CUIS 40,000D, and dated January 1978” for “numbered CUIS—40,000B, and dated June 1971”.

#### SHORT TITLE OF 2004 AMENDMENT

Pub. L. 108-447, div. E, title I, § 145(c), Dec. 8, 2004, 118 Stat. 3074, provided that: “This section [amending section 459i-5 of this title and provisions listed in a table of Wilderness Areas set out under section 1132 of this title] may be cited as the ‘Cumberland Island Wilderness Boundary Adjustment Act of 2004.’”

### § 459i-1. Acquisition of lands; authority of Secretary; mainland lands for access to seashore administrative and visitor facilities; State lands; transfer from Federal agency to administrative jurisdiction of Secretary

Within the boundaries of the seashore, the Secretary may acquire lands, waters, and interests therein by purchase, donation, transfer from any Federal agency, or exchange. The Secretary may also acquire not to exceed one hundred acres of lands or interests in lands on the mainland to provide access to the administrative and visitor facilities for the seashore. Any lands or interests therein owned by the State of Georgia, or any political subdivision thereof may be acquired only by donation. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, any Federal property located within the boundaries of the seashore may, with the concurrence of the agency having custody thereof, be transferred without transfer of funds to the administrative juris-