

SUBCHAPTER II—VICE PRESIDENT AND  
PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE

**§ 6111. Compensation of President pro tempore  
of Senate**

Whenever there is no Vice President, the President of the Senate for the time being is entitled to the compensation provided by law for the Vice President.

(R.S. §36.)

CODIFICATION

Section was formerly classified to section 32 of this title prior to editorial reclassification and renumbering as this section.

R.S. §36 derived from act Aug. 16, 1856, ch. 123, §2, 11 Stat. 48.

CROSS REFERENCES

Compensation of Vice President, see section 104 of Title 3, The President.

**§ 6112. Compensation of Deputy President pro tempore of Senate**

Effective January 5, 1977, the compensation of a Deputy President pro tempore of the Senate shall be at a rate equal to the rate of annual compensation of the President pro tempore and the Majority and Minority Leaders of the Senate.

(Pub. L. 95-26, title I, May 4, 1977, 91 Stat. 79.)

CODIFICATION

Section was formerly classified to section 32a of this title prior to editorial reclassification and renumbering as this section.

Section is from the Supplemental Appropriations Act, 1977.

**§ 6113. Appointment and compensation of employees by President pro tempore of Senate**

Effective October 1, 1979, the President pro tempore is authorized to appoint and fix the compensation of such employees as he deems appropriate: *Provided*, That the gross compensation paid to such employees shall not exceed \$123,000 each fiscal year.

(Pub. L. 96-38, title I, §101, July 25, 1979, 93 Stat. 111.)

CODIFICATION

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Section is from the Supplemental Appropriations Act, 1979.

INCREASES IN COMPENSATION

Increases in compensation for Senate officers and employees under authority of Federal Pay Comparability Act of 1970 (Pub. L. 91-656), see Salary Directives of President pro tempore of the Senate, set out as notes under section 4571 of this title.

**§ 6114. Appointment and compensation of Administrative Assistant, Legislative Assistant, and Executive Secretary for Deputy President pro tempore of Senate**

Effective April 1, 1977, the Deputy President pro tempore is authorized to appoint and fix the compensation of an Administrative Assistant at

not to exceed \$47,595 per annum; a Legislative Assistant at not to exceed \$40,080 per annum, and an Executive Secretary at not to exceed \$23,380 per annum.

(Pub. L. 95-26, title I, May 4, 1977, 91 Stat. 80.)

CODIFICATION

Section was formerly classified to section 61l of this title prior to editorial reclassification and renumbering as this section.

Section is from the Supplemental Appropriations Act, 1977.

INCREASES IN COMPENSATION

Increases in compensation for officers and employees of the Senate under authority of the Federal Pay Comparability Act of 1970 (Pub. L. 91-656), see Salary Directives of the President pro tempore of the Senate, set out as notes under section 4571 of this title.

**§ 6115. Expense allowance of President pro tempore of Senate; methods of payment; taxability**

Effective with fiscal year 1978 and each fiscal year thereafter, there is hereby authorized an expense allowance for the President Pro Tempore which shall not exceed \$40,000 each fiscal year. The President Pro Tempore may receive the expense allowance (1) as reimbursement for actual expenses incurred upon certification and documentation of such expenses by the President Pro Tempore, or (2) in equal monthly payments. Such amounts paid to the President Pro Tempore as reimbursement of actual expenses incurred upon certification and documentation pursuant to this provision, shall not be reported as income, and the expenses so reimbursed shall not be allowed as a deduction, under title 26.

(Pub. L. 95-355, title I, Sept. 8, 1978, 92 Stat. 532; Pub. L. 99-514, §2, Oct. 22, 1986, 100 Stat. 2095; Pub. L. 108-7, div. H, title I, §1(b)(2), Feb. 20, 2003, 117 Stat. 349; Pub. L. 108-447, div. G, title I, §13(a)(2), Dec. 8, 2004, 118 Stat. 3171.)

CODIFICATION

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AMENDMENTS

2004—Pub. L. 108-447 substituted “\$40,000” for “\$20,000”.

2003—Pub. L. 108-7 substituted “\$20,000” for “\$10,000”.

1986—Pub. L. 99-514 substituted “Internal Revenue Code of 1986” for “Internal Revenue Code of 1954”, which for purposes of codification was translated as “title 26” thus requiring no change in text.

EFFECTIVE DATE OF 2004 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 108-447 applicable to fiscal year 2005 and each fiscal year thereafter, see section 13(c) of Pub. L. 108-447, set out as a note under section 6102 of this title.

EFFECTIVE DATE OF 2003 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 108-7 applicable to fiscal year 2003 and each fiscal year thereafter, see section 1(f) of Pub. L. 108-7, set out as a note under section 6102 of this title.

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THE SENATE

Pub. L. 108-7, div. H, title I, §7, Feb. 20, 2003, 117 Stat. 350, as amended by Pub. L. 108-447, div. G, title I, §§4,