[Committee on Government Operations of House of Representatives treated as referring to Committee on Government Reform and Oversight of House of Representatives by section 1(a) of Pub. L. 104-14, set out as a note preceding section 21 of Title 2, The Congress. Committee on Government Reform and Oversight of House of Representatives changed to Committee on Government Reform of House of Representatives by House Resolution No. 5, One Hundred Sixth Congress, Jan. 6, 1999. Committee on Government Reform of House of Representatives changed to Committee on Oversight and Government Reform of House of Representatives by House Resolution No. 6. One Hundred Tenth Congress, Jan. 5, 2007. Committee on Oversight and Government Reform of House of Representatives changed to Committee on Oversight and Reform of House of Representatives by House Resolution No. 6, One Hundred Sixteenth Congress, Jan. 9, 2019.]

[Section 6 of Pub. L. 103–270, set out above, effective Jan. 1, 1995, see section 7(i) of Pub. L. 103–270, set out as an Effective Date of 1994 Amendment; Transition Provisions note under section 591 of Title 28, Judiciary and Judicial Procedure.]

#### § 114. General pay limitation

Notwithstanding any provision of law, other than the provisions of this chapter, no employee of the White House Office, the Executive Residence at the White House, the Domestic Policy Staff, or the Office of Administration, nor any employee under the Vice President appointed under section 106 of this title, may be paid at a rate of basic pay in excess of the minimum rate of basic pay then currently paid for GS-16 of the General Schedule of section 5332 of title 5.

(Added Pub. L. 95–570, §3(a), Nov. 2, 1978, 92 Stat. 2450)

#### EFFECTIVE DATE

Section applicable to any fiscal year beginning on or after Oct. 1, 1978, see section 6(a) of Pub. L. 95–570, set out as an Effective Date of 1978 Amendment note under section 102 of this title.

References in Other Laws to GS-16, 17, or 18 Pay Rates

References in laws to the rates of pay for GS-16, 17, or 18, or to maximum rates of pay under the General Schedule, to be considered references to rates payable under specified sections of Title 5, Government Organization and Employees, see section 529 [title I, §101(c)(1)] of Pub. L. 101-509, set out in a note under section 5376 of Title 5.

### §115. Veterans' preference

- (a) Subject to subsection (b), appointments under sections 105, 106, and 107 shall be made in accordance with section 2108, and sections 3309 through 3312, of title 5.
- (b) Subsection (a) shall not apply to any appointment to a position the rate of basic pay for which is at least equal to the minimum rate established for positions in the Senior Executive Service under section 5382 of title 5 and the duties of which are comparable to those described in section 3132(a)(2) of such title or to any other position if, with respect to such position, the President makes certification—
  - (1) that such position is—
  - (A) a confidential or policy-making position; or
  - (B) a position for which political affiliation or political philosophy is otherwise an important qualification; and

(2) that any individual selected for such position is expected to vacate the position at or before the end of the President's term (or terms) of office.

Each individual appointed to a position described in the preceding sentence as to which the expectation described in paragraph (2) applies shall be notified as to such expectation, in writing, at the time of appointment to such position

(Added Pub. L. 105–339, §4(b)(1), Oct. 31, 1998, 112 Stat. 3185.)

### [CHAPTER 3—REPEALED]

#### [§ 201. Repealed. July 16, 1951, ch. 226, § 5(a), 65 Stat. 122]

Section, act June 25, 1948, ch. 644, 62 Stat. 680, related to protection of President and family. See section 3056 of Title 18, Crimes and Criminal Procedure.

# [§§ 202 to 204. Repealed. Pub. L. 109–177, title VI, § 605(c), Mar. 9, 2006, 120 Stat. 255]

Section 202, acts June 25, 1948, ch. 644, 62 Stat. 680; Pub. L. 87–481,  $\S1$ , June 8, 1962, 76 Stat. 95; Pub. L. 91–217, 1(2), (3), Mar. 19, 1970, 84 Stat. 74; Pub. L. 93–346,  $\ 7,\ July\ 12,\ 1974,\ as\ added\ Pub.\ L.\ 93–552,\ title\ VI,$ §609(a), Dec. 27, 1974, 88 Stat. 1765; Pub. L. 94–196, §1(a), (b), Dec. 31, 1975, 89 Stat. 1109; Pub. L. 95-179, Nov. 15, 1977, 91 Stat. 1371; Pub. L. 95–570, §5(d), Nov. 2, 1978, 92 Stat. 2451; Pub. L. 97-418, §1(a), Jan. 4, 1983, 96 Stat. 2089; Pub. L. 99-500, §101(m) [title VI, §622], Oct. 18, 1986, 100 Stat. 1783–308, 1783–333; Pub. L. 99–591, §101(m) [title VI, §622], Oct. 30, 1986, 100 Stat. 3341-308, 3341-333; Pub. L. 102–138, title I,  $\S135(b)(1)$ –(3), Oct. 28, 1991, 105 Stat. 666, 667; Pub. L. 102–499,  $\S 3(a)$ , Oct. 24, 1992, 106 Stat. 3264; Pub. L. 107–296, title XVII,  $\S1703(a)(1)$ , Nov. 25, 2002, 116 Stat. 2313, related to establishment, control, supervision, privileges, powers, and duties of United States Secret Service Uniformed Division.

Section 203, acts June 25, 1948, ch. 644, 62 Stat. 680; Aug. 15, 1950, ch. 715, §2, 64 Stat. 448; June 28, 1952, ch. 481, 66 Stat. 283; Pub. L. 87-481, §2, June 8, 1962, 76 Stat. 95; Pub. L. 91-217, §1(1), (4)-(6), Mar. 19, 1970, 84 Stat. 74, 75; Pub. L. 94-196, §1(c), Dec. 31, 1975, 89 Stat. 1109; Pub. L. 95-179, Nov. 15, 1977, 91 Stat. 1371; Pub. L. 104-208, div. A, title I, §101(f) [title I], Sept. 30, 1996, 110 Stat. 3009-314, 3009-324, related to personnel, appointment, and vacancies in the United States Secret Service Uniformed Division.

Section 204, acts June 25, 1948, ch. 644, 62 Stat. 680; June 20, 1953, ch. 146, title IV, §402, 67 Stat. 76; Pub. L. 85–584, title V, §502(a), Aug. 1, 1958, 72 Stat. 485; Pub. L. 91–217, §1(1), Mar. 19, 1970, 84 Stat. 74; Pub. L. 95–179, Nov. 15, 1977, 91 Stat. 1371, related to grades, salaries, and transfers of appointees to the United States Secret Service Uniformed Division.

See section  $3056\mathrm{A}$  of Title 18, Crimes and Criminal Procedure.

# [§ 205. Repealed. Pub. L. 91-217, § 1(7), Mar. 19, 1970, 84 Stat. 75]

Section, act June 25, 1948, ch. 644, 62 Stat. 680, provided for appointment of members of White House Police force in accordance with civil service laws.

# [§§ 206 to 209. Repealed. Pub. L. 109-177, title VI, § 605(c), Mar. 9, 2006, 120 Stat. 255]

Section 206, acts June 25, 1948, ch. 644, 62 Stat. 681; Pub. L. 91–217, §1(8), Mar. 19, 1970, 84 Stat. 75; Pub. L. 95–179, Nov. 15, 1977, 91 Stat. 1371, related to privileges of civil-service appointees.

Section 207, acts June 25, 1948, ch. 644, 62 Stat. 681; Pub. L. 91–217, §1(1), Mar. 19, 1970, 84 Stat. 74; Pub. L.