

Act, which is classified generally to chapter 41 (§1691 et seq.) of this title. For complete classification of this Act to the Code, see Short Title note set out under section 1691 of this title and Tables.

Act of August 30, 1890, referred to in text, is act Aug. 30, 1890, ch. 841, 26 Stat. 417, as amended, popularly known as the Agricultural College Act of 1890 and also as the Second Morrill Act, which is classified generally to subchapter II (§321 et seq.) of chapter 13 of this title. For complete classification of this Act to the Code, see Short Title note set out under section 321 of this title and Tables.

#### SIMILAR PROVISIONS

Provisions similar to those in this section were contained in the following appropriation acts:

Pub. L. 111-8, div. A, title VII, §702, Mar. 11, 2009, 123 Stat. 553.

Pub. L. 110-161, div. A, title VII, §702, Dec. 26, 2007, 121 Stat. 1874.

Pub. L. 109-289, div. B, title II, §20113, as added Pub. L. 110-5, §2, Feb. 15, 2007, 121 Stat. 15.

Pub. L. 109-97, title VII, §704, Nov. 10, 2005, 119 Stat. 2149.

Pub. L. 108-447, div. A, title VII, §704, Dec. 8, 2004, 118 Stat. 2838.

Pub. L. 108-199, div. A, title VII, §705, Jan. 23, 2004, 118 Stat. 31.

Pub. L. 108-7, div. A, title VII, §705, Feb. 20, 2003, 117 Stat. 38.

Pub. L. 107-76, title VII, §705, Nov. 28, 2001, 115 Stat. 732.

Pub. L. 106-387, §1(a) [title VII, §705], Oct. 28, 2000, 114 Stat. 1549, 1549A-28.

Pub. L. 106-78, title VII, §705, Oct. 22, 1999, 113 Stat. 1161.

Pub. L. 105-277, div. A, §101(a) [title VII, §705], Oct. 21, 1998, 112 Stat. 2681, 2681-25.

Pub. L. 105-86, title VII, §705, Nov. 18, 1997, 111 Stat. 2104.

Pub. L. 104-180, title VII, §705, Aug. 6, 1996, 110 Stat. 1596.

Pub. L. 104-37, title VII, §705, Oct. 21, 1995, 109 Stat. 329.

Pub. L. 103-330, title VII, §705, Sept. 30, 1994, 108 Stat. 2466.

Pub. L. 103-111, title VII, §706, Oct. 21, 1993, 107 Stat. 1078.

Pub. L. 102-341, title VII, §706, Aug. 14, 1992, 106 Stat. 907.

Pub. L. 101-506, title VI, §608, Nov. 5, 1990, 104 Stat. 1346.

Pub. L. 101-161, title VI, §608, Nov. 21, 1989, 103 Stat. 982.

Pub. L. 100-460, title VI, §608, Oct. 1, 1988, 102 Stat. 2260.

Pub. L. 100-202, §101(k) [title VI, §608], Dec. 22, 1987, 101 Stat. 1329-322, 1329-354.

Pub. L. 99-500, §101(a) [title VI, §608], Oct. 18, 1986, 100 Stat. 1783, 1783-27, and Pub. L. 99-591, §101(a) [title VI, §608], Oct. 30, 1986, 100 Stat. 3341, 3341-27.

Pub. L. 99-190, §101(a) [H.R. 3037, title VI, §608], Dec. 19, 1985, 99 Stat. 1185; Pub. L. 100-202, §106, Dec. 22, 1987, 101 Stat. 1329-433.

Pub. L. 97-370, title VI, §608, Dec. 18, 1982, 96 Stat. 1810.

Pub. L. 97-103, title VI, §608, Dec. 23, 1981, 95 Stat. 1488.

Pub. L. 96-528, title VI, §608, Dec. 15, 1980, 94 Stat. 3116.

Pub. L. 96-108, title VI, §607, Nov. 9, 1979, 93 Stat. 841.

Pub. L. 95-448, title VI, §607, Oct. 11, 1978, 92 Stat. 1092.

Pub. L. 95-97, title VI, §608, Aug. 12, 1977, 91 Stat. 828.

Pub. L. 94-351, title VI, §608, July 12, 1976, 90 Stat. 868.

Pub. L. 94-122, title VI, §611, Oct. 21, 1975, 89 Stat. 667.

#### § 2209c. Use of funds for one-year contracts to be performed in two fiscal years

On and after October 28, 1991, funds appropriated to the Department of Agriculture and

the Food and Drug Administration may be used for one-year contracts which are to be performed in two fiscal years so long as the total amount for such contracts is obligated in the year for which the funds are appropriated.

(Pub. L. 102-142, title VII, §725, Oct. 28, 1991, 105 Stat. 913.)

#### § 2209d. Statement of percentage and dollar amount of Federal funding

On and after October 28, 1991, the Department of Agriculture, when issuing statements, press releases, requests for proposals, bid solicitations, and other documents describing projects or programs funded in whole or in part with Federal money, all grantees receiving Federal funds, including but not limited to State and local governments, shall clearly state (1) the percentage of the total cost of the program or project which will be financed with Federal money, and (2) the dollar amount of Federal funds for the project or program.

(Pub. L. 102-142, title VII, §733, Oct. 28, 1991, 105 Stat. 914.)

#### § 2209e. Prohibition on payments to parties involved with prohibited drug-producing plants

On and after October 21, 1993, none of the funds available to the Department of Agriculture may be used to make production or other payments to a person, persons, or corporations upon a final finding by court of competent jurisdiction that such party is guilty of growing, cultivating, harvesting, processing or storing marijuana, or other such prohibited drug-producing plants on any part of lands owned or controlled by such persons or corporations.

(Pub. L. 103-111, title VII, §704, Oct. 21, 1993, 107 Stat. 1078.)

#### PRIOR PROVISIONS

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

Pub. L. 102-341, title VII, §704, Aug. 14, 1992, 106 Stat. 907.

Pub. L. 102-142, title VII, §705, Oct. 28, 1991, 105 Stat. 911.

Pub. L. 101-506, title VI, §605, Nov. 5, 1990, 104 Stat. 1346.

Pub. L. 101-161, title VI, §605, Nov. 21, 1989, 103 Stat. 982.

Pub. L. 100-460, title VI, §605, Oct. 1, 1988, 102 Stat. 2259.

Pub. L. 100-202, §101(k) [title VI, §605], Dec. 22, 1987, 101 Stat. 1329-322, 1329-353.

#### § 2209f. Restriction on commodity purchase program payments

On and after October 28, 2000, none of the funds made available to the Department of Agriculture shall be used to carry out any commodity purchase program that would prohibit eligibility or participation by farmer-owned cooperatives.

(Pub. L. 106-387, §1(a) [title VII, §725], Oct. 28, 2000, 114 Stat. 1549, 1549A-32.)

#### § 2209g. Availability of funds for uniforms or allowances

On and after November 10, 2005, funds appropriated by this or any other Appropriations Act

to the Department of Agriculture (excluding the Forest Service) shall be available for uniforms or allowances as authorized by law (5 U.S.C. 5901-5902).

(Pub. L. 109-97, title VII, §702, Nov. 10, 2005, 119 Stat. 2149.)

PRIOR PROVISIONS

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

Pub. L. 108-447, div. A, title VII, §702, Dec. 8, 2004, 118 Stat. 2838.

Pub. L. 108-199, div. A, title VII, §702, Jan. 23, 2004, 118 Stat. 31.

Pub. L. 108-7, div. A, title VII, §702, Feb. 20, 2003, 117 Stat. 38.

Pub. L. 107-76, title VII, §702, Nov. 28, 2001, 115 Stat. 731.

Pub. L. 106-387, §1(a) [title VII, §702], Oct. 28, 2000, 114 Stat. 1549, 1549A-28.

Pub. L. 106-78, title VII, §702, Nov. 28, 2001, 113 Stat. 1160.

Pub. L. 105-277, div. A, §101(a) [title VII, §702], Oct. 21, 1998, 112 Stat. 2681-25.

Pub. L. 105-86, title VII, §702, Nov. 18, 1997, 111 Stat. 2104.

Pub. L. 104-180, title VII, §702, Aug. 6, 1996, 110 Stat. 1596.

Pub. L. 104-37, title VII, §702, Oct. 21, 1995, 109 Stat. 329.

Pub. L. 103-330, title VII, §702, Sept. 30, 1994, 108 Stat. 2466.

Pub. L. 103-111, title VII, §702, Oct. 21, 1993, 107 Stat. 1078.

Pub. L. 102-341, title VII, §702, Aug. 14, 1992, 106 Stat. 906.

Pub. L. 102-142, title VII, §703, Oct. 28, 1991, 105 Stat. 911.

Pub. L. 101-506, title VI, §603, Nov. 5, 1990, 104 Stat. 1346.

Pub. L. 101-161, title VI, §603, Nov. 21, 1989, 103 Stat. 982.

Pub. L. 100-460, title VI, §603, Oct. 1, 1988, 102 Stat. 2259.

Pub. L. 100-202, §101(k) [title VI, §603], Dec. 22, 1987, 101 Stat. 1329, 1329-353.

Pub. L. 99-500, §101(a) [title VI, §603], Oct. 18, 1986, 100 Stat. 1783, 1783-27, and Pub. L. 99-591, §101(a) [title VI, §603], Oct. 30, 1986, 100 Stat. 3341, 3341-27.

Pub. L. 97-370, title VI, §603, Dec. 18, 1982, 96 Stat. 1810.

Pub. L. 97-103, title VI, §603, Dec. 23, 1981, 95 Stat. 1487.

Pub. L. 96-108, title VI, §602, Nov. 9, 1979, 93 Stat. 840.

Pub. L. 95-448, title VI, §602, Oct. 11, 1978, 92 Stat. 1092.

Pub. L. 94-351, title VI, §602, July 12, 1976, 90 Stat. 868.

Pub. L. 94-122, title VI, §602, Oct. 21, 1975, 89 Stat. 666.

Pub. L. 93-563, title V, §502, Dec. 31, 1974, 88 Stat. 1842.

Pub. L. 93-135, title V, §503, Oct. 24, 1973, 87 Stat. 489.

Pub. L. 92-399, title V, §503, Aug. 22, 1972, 86 Stat. 611.

Pub. L. 92-73, title V, §503, Aug. 10, 1971, 85 Stat. 201.

Pub. L. 91-566, title V, §503, Dec. 22, 1970, 84 Stat. 1496.

Pub. L. 91-127, title V, §503, Nov. 26, 1969, 83 Stat. 260.

Pub. L. 90-463, title V, §503, Aug. 8, 1968, 82 Stat. 653.

Pub. L. 90-113, title V, §503, Oct. 24, 1967, 81 Stat. 334.

Pub. L. 89-556, title V, §503, Sept. 7, 1966, 80 Stat. 703.

Pub. L. 89-316, title V, §503, Nov. 2, 1965, 79 Stat. 1179.

Pub. L. 88-574, title V, §503, Sept. 2, 1964, 78 Stat. 876.

Pub. L. 88-250, title VI, §603, Dec. 30, 1963, 77 Stat. 833.

Pub. L. 87-879, title VI, §603, Oct. 24, 1962, 76 Stat. 1215.

Pub. L. 87-112, title V, §503, July 26, 1961, 75 Stat. 240.

Pub. L. 86-532, title IV, §403, June 29, 1960, 74 Stat. 244.

Pub. L. 86-80, title IV, §403, July 8, 1959, 73 Stat. 179.

Pub. L. 85-459, title IV, §403, June 13, 1958, 72 Stat. 199.

Pub. L. 85-119, title V, §503, Aug. 2, 1957, 71 Stat. 340.

**§ 2209h. Reimbursement of Office of the General Counsel**

On and after November 10, 2005, agencies and offices of the Department of Agriculture may utilize any unobligated salaries and expenses funds to reimburse the Office of the General Counsel for salaries and expenses of personnel, and for other related expenses, incurred in representing such agencies and offices in the resolution of complaints by employees or applicants for employment, and in cases and other matters pending before the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, the Federal Labor Relations Authority, or the Merit Systems Protection Board with the prior approval of the Committees on Appropriations of both Houses of Congress.

(Pub. L. 109-97, title VII, §732, Nov. 10, 2005, 119 Stat. 2154.)

PRIOR PROVISIONS

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

Pub. L. 108-447, div. A, title VII, §736, Dec. 8, 2004, 118 Stat. 2844.

Pub. L. 108-199, div. A, title VII, §732, Jan. 23, 2004, 118 Stat. 35.

Pub. L. 108-7, div. A, title VII, §739, Feb. 20, 2003, 117 Stat. 43.

**§ 2209i. Funding for preparation of final agency decisions regarding discrimination complaints**

On and after November 10, 2005, agencies and offices of the Department of Agriculture may utilize any available discretionary funds to cover the costs of preparing, or contracting for the preparation of, final agency decisions regarding complaints of discrimination in employment or program activities arising within such agencies and offices.

(Pub. L. 109-97, title VII, §751, Nov. 10, 2005, 119 Stat. 2156.)

PRIOR PROVISIONS

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

Pub. L. 108-447, div. A, title VII, §763, Dec. 8, 2004, 118 Stat. 2847.

Pub. L. 108-199, div. A, title VII, §762, Jan. 23, 2004, 118 Stat. 39.

**§ 2209j. Permanent debarment from participation in Department of Agriculture programs for fraud**

**(a) In general**

Subject to subsection (b), the Secretary of Agriculture shall permanently debar an individual, organization, corporation, or other entity convicted of a felony for knowingly defrauding the United States in connection with any program administered by the Department of Agriculture from any subsequent participation in Department of Agriculture programs.

**(b) Exceptions**

**(1) Secretary determination**

The Secretary may reduce a debarment under subsection (a) to a period of not less