§23, have been left to administrative control heretofore, and this has proved most satisfactory, the entire promotion of enlisted men is delegated to administrative control by this section. 81st Congress, House Report No. 557.

#### **Editorial Notes**

#### AMENDMENTS

 $2018\mathrm{--Pub}.$  L.  $115\mathrm{--}282$  renumbered section 352 of this title as this section.

1984—Pub. L. 98-557 substituted "Enlisted members" for "Enlisted men".

# § 2304. Compulsory retirement at age of sixty-two

Any enlisted member who has reached the age of sixty-two shall be retired from active service.

(Aug. 4, 1949, ch. 393, 63 Stat. 520, §353; Pub. L. 98–557, §15(a)(3)(A), Oct. 30, 1984, 98 Stat. 2865; Pub. L. 99–348, title II, §205(b)(8), July 1, 1986, 100 Stat. 700; renumbered §2304, Pub. L. 115–282, title I, §113(b), Dec. 4, 2018, 132 Stat. 4221.)

### HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

Based on title 14, U.S.C., 1946 ed.,  $\S173$  (Apr. 12, 1902, ch. 501,  $\S4$ , 32 Stat. 100).

Section 173 of title 14, U.S.C., 1946 ed., has been divided. That part dealing with enlisted men is placed in this section. That part dealing with commissioned officers is placed in section 230 of this title. That part dealing with warrant officers is placed in section 303 of this title

The compulsory retirement age is changed from 64 to 62 in order to make it the same for enlisted men as for officers. 81st Congress, House Report No. 557.

#### **Editorial Notes**

#### AMENDMENTS

 $2018\mathrm{--Pub.}$  L.  $115\mathrm{-}282$  renumbered section 353 of this title as this section.

1986—Pub. L. 99-348 struck out ", with retired pay of the grade or rating with which retired" after "active service"

1984—Pub. L. 98–557 substituted reference to enlisted member for reference to enlisted man.

# § 2305. Voluntary retirement after thirty years' service

Any enlisted member who has completed thirty years' service may, upon his own application, in the discretion of the Commandant, be retired from active service.

(Aug. 4, 1949, ch. 393, 63 Stat. 521, §354; Pub. L. 98–557, §15(a)(3)(A), Oct. 30, 1984, 98 Stat. 2865; Pub. L. 99–348, title II, §205(b)(8), July 1, 1986, 100 Stat. 700; renumbered §2305, Pub. L. 115–282, title I, §113(b), Dec. 4, 2018, 132 Stat. 4221.)

# HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

Based on title 14, U.S.C., 1946 ed., §175 (Jan. 28, 1915, ch. 20, §3, 38 Stat. 801).

Said section has been divided. That part dealing with retirement of enlisted men is placed in this section. That part dealing with retirement of commissioned officers is placed in section 231 of this title. That part dealing with retirement of warrant officers is placed in section 304 of this title. That part providing for retired pay is incorporated in section 423 of this title. That part providing for assignment of duties to retired personnel is incorporated in sections 241, 311, and 360 of this title

The authority to approve was granted to the Commandant in lieu of the Secretary. 81st Congress, House Report No. 557.

## **Editorial Notes**

#### AMENDMENTS

2018—Pub. L. 115-282 renumbered section 354 of this title as this section.

1986—Pub. L. 99-348 struck out ", with retired pay of the grade or rating with which retired" after "active service".

1984—Pub. L. 98-557 substituted reference to enlisted member for reference to enlisted man.i

# § 2306. Voluntary retirement after twenty years' service

Any enlisted member who has completed twenty years' service may, upon his own application, in the discretion of the Commandant, be retired from active service.

(Aug. 4, 1949, ch. 393, 63 Stat. 521, §355; Pub. L. 98–557, §15(a)(3)(A), Oct. 30, 1984, 98 Stat. 2865; Pub. L. 99–348, title II, §205(b)(8), July 1, 1986, 100 Stat. 700; renumbered §2306, Pub. L. 115–282, title I, §113(b), Dec. 4, 2018, 132 Stat. 4221.)

## HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

Based on title 14, U.S.C., 1946 ed., §185a (May 24, 1939, ch. 146, §2, 53 Stat. 755).

Changes were made in phraseology. 81st Congress, House Report No. 557.

### **Editorial Notes**

#### AMENDMENTS

 $2018\mathrm{--Pub.}$  L.  $115\mathrm{--}282$  renumbered section 355 of this title as this section.

 $1986\mathrm{--Pub}.\ L.$  99–348 struck out ", with retired pay of the grade or rating with which retired" after "active service".

 $1984\mathrm{--Pub}.$  L.  $98\mathrm{-}557$  substituted reference to enlisted member for reference to enlisted man.

# § 2307. Retirement of enlisted members: increase in retired pay

An enlisted member voluntarily or involuntarily retired after twenty years of service who was cited for extraordinary heroism in the line of duty shall be entitled to an increase in retired pay. The retired pay shall be increased by 10 percent of—

- (1) the active-duty pay and permanent additions thereto of the grade or rating with which retired when the member's retired pay is computed under section 2504(a) of this title; or
- (2) the member's retired pay base under section 1407 of title 10, when a member's retired pay is computed under section 2504(b) of this title.

(Aug. 4, 1949, ch. 393, 63 Stat. 521, §357; Aug. 3, 1950, ch. 536, §17, 64 Stat. 407; Pub. L. 88–114, §1(1), Sept. 6, 1963, 77 Stat. 144; Pub. L. 98–557, §15(a)(3)(A), (B), Oct. 30, 1984, 98 Stat. 2865; Pub. L. 99–348, title II, §205(b)(9), July 1, 1986, 100 Stat. 700; Pub. L. 102–241, §6, Dec. 19, 1991, 105 Stat. 2210; Pub. L. 114–120, title II, §215(a), (b)(1), Feb. 8, 2016, 130 Stat. 45, 46; renumbered §2307 and amended Pub. L. 115–282, title I, §\$113(b), 123(b)(2), Dec. 4, 2018, 132 Stat. 4221, 4240.)

# HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

Based on title 14, U.S.C., 1946 ed., \$185, 185d (May 24, 1939, ch. 146, \$1, 5, 53 Stat. 755).

Subsection (b) is new and implements the preceding subsection; it seems necessary in view of certain statutes enacted as the result of World War II.