

**§ 1865. Capitol Police Buildings and Grounds Account**

**(a) Establishment**

There is hereby established in the Treasury of the United States an account for the Architect of the Capitol to be known as “Capitol Police Buildings and Grounds” (hereinafter in this section referred to as the “account”).

**(b) Use of funds**

Funds in the account shall be used by the Architect of the Capitol for all necessary expenses for—

(1) resilience and security programs of the Architect of the Capitol; and

(2) the maintenance, care, and operation of buildings, grounds, and security enhancements for facilities of the United States Capitol Police and for other facilities associated with such resilience and security programs at any location.

**(c) Approval of transfers of appropriations from Legislative Branch agencies**

(1) For carrying out the purposes of the account, the Architect of the Capitol may receive transfers of appropriations from any agency of the Legislative Branch upon the approval of—

(A) the Committee on Appropriations of the House of Representatives, in the case of a transfer from an office of the House of Representatives;

(B) the Committee on Appropriations of the Senate, in the case of a transfer from an office of the Senate; or

(C) the Committees on Appropriations of the House of Representatives and the Senate, in the case of a transfer from any other office of the Government.

(2) Amounts transferred under this subsection shall be merged with the account and made available under this section.

(3) This subsection shall apply with respect to fiscal year 2019 and each succeeding fiscal year.

**(d) Effective date; transfer of funds**

This section shall apply with respect to fiscal year 2002 and each succeeding fiscal year. Any amounts provided to the Architect of the Capitol prior to August 2, 2002, for the maintenance, care, and operation of buildings of the United States Capitol Police during fiscal year 2002 shall be transferred to the account.

(Pub. L. 107-206, title I, §906, Aug. 2, 2002, 116 Stat. 877; Pub. L. 115-244, div. B, title I, §132, Sept. 21, 2018, 132 Stat. 2936.)

**Editorial Notes**

**CODIFICATION**

Section was classified to section 166f of former Title 40, prior to the enactment of Title 40, Public Buildings, Property, and Works, by Pub. L. 107-217, §1, Aug. 21, 2002, 116 Stat. 1062.

**AMENDMENTS**

2018—Subsecs. (b) to (d). Pub. L. 115-244 added subsec. (c), redesignated former subsec. (c) as (d), and amended subsec. (b) generally. Prior to amendment, text of subsec. (b) read as follows: “Funds in the account shall be used by the Architect of the Capitol for all necessary

expenses for the maintenance, care, and operation of buildings and grounds of the United States Capitol Police.”

**§ 1866. Certification of vouchers**

It shall not be a duty of the Architect of the Capitol to certify any pay roll or other voucher covering any expenditure from any appropriation for the Senate Office Building, or for any other building or activity, unless the obligation involved was incurred by him or under his direction.

(June 8, 1942, ch. 396, 56 Stat. 343.)

**Editorial Notes**

**CODIFICATION**

Section was classified to section 174e of former Title 40, prior to the enactment of Title 40, Public Buildings, Property, and Works, by Pub. L. 107-217, §1, Aug. 21, 2002, 116 Stat. 1062.

**§ 1867. Advancement and reimbursement of expenses for flying American flags and providing certification services therefor**

On and after November 19, 1995, expenses, based on full cost recovery, for flying American flags and providing certification services therefor shall be advanced or reimbursed upon request of the Architect of the Capitol, and amounts so received shall be deposited into the Treasury.

(Pub. L. 104-53, title I, Nov. 19, 1995, 109 Stat. 528.)

**Editorial Notes**

**CODIFICATION**

Section was classified to section 166g of former Title 40, prior to the enactment of Title 40, Public Buildings, Property, and Works, by Pub. L. 107-217, §1, Aug. 21, 2002, 116 Stat. 1062.

**Statutory Notes and Related Subsidiaries**

**FLAG OFFICE REVOLVING FUND**

Pub. L. 115-31, div. I, title I, §1203, May 5, 2017, 131 Stat. 581, provided that:

“(a) ESTABLISHMENT.—There is established in the Treasury of the United States a revolving fund to be known as the ‘Flag Office Revolving Fund’ (in this section referred to as the ‘Fund’) for services provided by the Flag Office of the Architect of the Capitol (in this section referred to as the ‘Flag Office’).

“(b) DEPOSIT OF FEES.—The Architect of the Capitol shall deposit any fees charged for services described in subsection (a) into the Fund.

“(c) CONTENTS OF FUND.—The Fund shall consist of the following amounts:

“(1) Amounts deposited by the Architect of the Capitol under subsection (b).

“(2) Any other amounts received by the Architect of the Capitol which are attributable to services provided by the Flag Office.

“(3) Such other amounts as may be appropriated under law.

“(d) USE OF AMOUNTS IN FUND.—Amounts in the Fund shall be available for disbursement by the Architect of the Capitol, without fiscal year limitation, for expenses in connection with the services provided by the Flag Office, including—

“(1) supplies, inventories, equipment, and other expenses;

“(2) the reimbursement of any applicable appropriations account for amounts used from such appropria-

tions account to pay the salaries of employees of the Flag Office; and

“(3) amounts necessary to carry out the authorized levels in the Fallen Heroes Flag Act of 2016 [2 U.S.C. 1881 et seq.]”

#### **§ 1868. Semiannual compilation and report of expenditures**

(1) Commencing with the semiannual period beginning January 1, 1965 and for each semiannual period thereafter, the Architect of the Capitol shall compile and, not later than sixty days following the close of the semiannual period, submit to the Senate and the House of Representatives a report of all expenditures made from monies appropriated to the Architect of the Capitol, based on payrolls and other vouchers transmitted during such period to the Treasury Department for disbursement, such report to include (1) the name, title, and gross salary payment to each employee; (2) a list of government contributions to retirement, health, insurance, and other similar funds; and (3) name of payee, brief description of service rendered or items furnished under contract, purchase order or other agreement. Such report shall be printed as a Senate document.

(2) The report by the Architect of the Capitol under paragraph (1) for the semiannual period beginning on January 1, 1976, shall include the period beginning on July 1, 1976, and ending on September 30, 1976, and such semiannual period shall be treated as closing on September 30, 1976. Thereafter, the report by the Architect of the Capitol under paragraph (1) shall be for the semiannual periods beginning on October 1 and ending on March 31 and beginning on April 1 and ending on September 30 of each year.

(Pub. L. 88-454, §105(b), Aug. 20, 1964, 78 Stat. 551; Pub. L. 94-303, title I, §118(c), June 1, 1976, 90 Stat. 616.)

#### **Editorial Notes**

##### **CODIFICATION**

Section was classified to section 162b of former Title 40, prior to the enactment of Title 40, Public Buildings, Property, and Works, by Pub. L. 107-217, §1, Aug. 21, 2002, 116 Stat. 1062.

##### **AMENDMENTS**

1976—Pub. L. 94-303 designated existing provisions as par. (1) and added par. (2).

#### **Statutory Notes and Related Subsidiaries**

##### **TERMINATION OF REPORTING REQUIREMENTS**

For termination, effective May 15, 2000, of provisions in par. (1) of this section relating to the requirement that the Architect of the Capitol submit a semiannual report to the Senate and the House of Representatives, see section 3003 of Pub. L. 104-66, as amended, set out as a note under section 1113 of Title 31, Money and Finance, and page 1 of House Document No. 103-7.

#### **§ 1868a. Semiannual report of disbursements**

##### **(a) Reports required**

Not later than 60 days after the last day of each semiannual period, the Architect of the Capitol shall submit to Congress, with respect to that period, a detailed, itemized report of the disbursements for the operations of the Office of the Architect of the Capitol.

##### **(b) Contents**

The report required by subsection (a) shall include—

(1) the name of each person who receives a payment from the Office of the Architect of the Capitol;

(2) the quantity and price of any item furnished to the Office of the Architect of the Capitol;

(3) a description of any service rendered to the Office of the Architect of the Capitol, together with a statement of the time required for the service, and the name, title, and amount paid to each person who renders the service;

(4) a statement of all amounts appropriated to, or received or expended by, the Office of the Architect of the Capitol and any unexpended balances of such amounts;

(5) the information submitted to the Comptroller General under section 3523(b) of title 31; and

(6) such additional information as may be required by regulation of the Committee on House Administration of the House of Representatives or the Committee on Rules and Administration of the Senate.

##### **(c) Printing**

Each report under this section shall be printed as a House document.

##### **(d) Effective date**

This section shall apply with respect to the semiannual periods of January 1 through June 30 and July 1 through December 31 of each year, beginning with the semiannual period in which this section is enacted.

(Pub. L. 113-76, div. I, title I, §1301, Jan. 17, 2014, 128 Stat. 428.)

#### **§ 1869. Advance payments**

During fiscal year 2008 and each succeeding fiscal year, following notification of the Committees on Appropriations of the House of Representatives and the Senate, the Architect of the Capitol may make payments in advance for obligations of the Office of the Architect of the Capitol for subscription services if the Architect determines it to be more prompt, efficient, or economical to do so.

(Pub. L. 110-161, div. H, title I, §1304, Dec. 26, 2007, 121 Stat. 2242.)

#### **Editorial Notes**

##### **CODIFICATION**

Section is from the Legislative Branch Appropriations Act, 2008, which is div. H of the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2008.

#### **§ 1870. House Historic Buildings Revitalization Trust Fund**

##### **(a) Establishment**

There is hereby established in the Treasury of the United States, as an account for the Architect of the Capitol, the House Historic Buildings Revitalization Trust Fund (hereafter in this section referred to as the “Fund”).

##### **(b) Use of amounts**

Amounts in the Fund shall be used by the Architect of the Capitol for the revitalization of