

§ 6307. Outreach for eligible dependents

(a) NEEDS OF DEPENDENTS.—In carrying out this chapter, the Secretary shall ensure that the needs of eligible dependents are fully addressed.

(b) INFORMATION AS TO AVAILABILITY OF OUTREACH SERVICES FOR DEPENDENTS.—The Secretary shall ensure that the availability of outreach services and assistance for eligible dependents under this chapter is made known through a variety of means, including the Internet, announcements in veterans publications, and announcements to the media.

(Added Pub. L. 109–233, title IV, §402(a), June 15, 2006, 120 Stat. 410.)

Editorial Notes

PRIOR PROVISIONS

Provisions similar to those in this section were contained in section 7727 of this title prior to repeal by Pub. L. 109–233.

§ 6308. Biennial report to Congress

(a) REPORT REQUIRED.—The Secretary shall, not later than December 1 of every even-numbered year (beginning in 2008), submit to Congress a report on the outreach activities carried out by the Department.

(b) CONTENT.—Each report under this section shall include the following:

(1) A description of the implementation during the preceding fiscal year of the current biennial plan under section 6302 of this title.

(2) Recommendations for the improvement or more effective administration of the outreach activities of the Department.

(Added Pub. L. 109–233, title IV, §402(a), June 15, 2006, 120 Stat. 410.)

Editorial Notes

PRIOR PROVISIONS

Provisions similar to those in this section were contained in section 7726 of this title prior to repeal by Pub. L. 109–233.

PART V—BOARDS, ADMINISTRATIONS, AND SERVICES

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AMENDMENTS

2010—Pub. L. 111–163, title III, §302(b), May 5, 2010, 124 Stat. 1149, added item for chapter 75.

2006—Pub. L. 109–461, title IX, §903(a)(2), Dec. 22, 2006, 120 Stat. 3464, added item for chapter 79.

1998—Pub. L. 105–368, title V, §512(a)(4)(B), Nov. 11, 1998, 112 Stat. 3341, substituted “Appeals for Veterans Claims” for “Veterans Appeals” in item for chapter 72.

1991—Pub. L. 102–83, §2(d)(3), Aug. 6, 1991, 105 Stat. 402, added item for chapter 77.

Pub. L. 102–54, §14(e)(1), June 13, 1991, 105 Stat. 287, inserted “United States” before “Court of Veterans Appeals” in item for chapter 72.

Pub. L. 102–40, title IV, §§402(c)(2), 403(e)(1), (f)(2), May 7, 1991, 105 Stat. 239–241, substituted “BOARDS, ADMINISTRATIONS, AND SERVICES” for “BOARDS AND DEPARTMENTS” in part heading, renumbered section numbers by substituting “7101” for “4001” in item for chapter 71, “7251” for “4051” in item for chapter 72, and “7601” for “4301” in item for chapter 76, substituted “Veterans Health Administration—Organization and Functions” for “Department of Medicine and Surgery” and “7301” for “4101” in item for chapter 73, added item for chapter 74, struck out item for chapter 75 “Veterans’ Canteen Service”, and added item for chapter 78.

1988—Pub. L. 100–687, div. A, title III, §301(b), Nov. 18, 1988, 102 Stat. 4121, added item for chapter 72.

Pub. L. 100–322, title II, §216(e)(2), May 20, 1988, 102 Stat. 530, added item for chapter 76.

CHAPTER 71—BOARD OF VETERANS’ APPEALS

- Sec. 7101. Composition of Board of Veterans’ Appeals. 7101A. Members of Board: appointment; pay; performance review. 7102. Assignment of members of Board. 7103. Reconsideration; correction of obvious errors. 7104. Jurisdiction of the Board. 7105. Filing of appeal. 7105A. Simultaneously contested claims. [7106. Repealed.] 7107. Appeals: dockets; hearings. 7108. Rejection of applications. [7109. Repealed.] [7110. Repealed.] 7111. Revision of decisions on grounds of clear and unmistakable error. 7112. Expedited treatment of remanded claims. 7113. Evidentiary record before the Board of Veterans’ Appeals.

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2017—Pub. L. 115–55, §2(q)(2), (s)(2), (u)(3), (w)(3), Aug. 23, 2017, 131 Stat. 1112, 1113, 1115, substituted “Filing of appeal” for “Filing of notice of disagreement and appeal” in item 7105, struck out items 7106 “Administrative appeals” and 7109 “Independent medical opinions”, and added item 7113.

2003—Pub. L. 108–183, title VII, §707(b)(2), Dec. 16, 2003, 117 Stat. 2673, added item 7112.

1997—Pub. L. 105–111, §1(b)(2), Nov. 21, 1997, 111 Stat. 2272, added item 7111.

1994—Pub. L. 103–446, title II, §201(a)(2), Nov. 2, 1994, 108 Stat. 4656, added item 7101A.

Pub. L. 103–271, §§6(b), 7(a)(2), (b)(3), July 1, 1994, 108 Stat. 742, 743, substituted “Reconsideration; correction of obvious errors” for “Determinations by the Board” in item 7103, substituted “Appeals: dockets; hearings” for “Docketing of appeals” in item 7107, and struck out item 7110 “Traveling sections”.

1991—Pub. L. 102–40, title IV, §402(c)(1), May 7, 1991, 105 Stat. 239, renumbered items 4001 to 4010 as 7101 to 7110, respectively.

1988—Pub. L. 100–687, div. A, title II, §207(b), Nov. 18, 1988, 102 Stat. 4112, added item 4010.

1962—Pub. L. 87–671, §3, Sept. 19, 1962, 76 Stat. 557, added item 4009.