#### HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

Revised Section	Source (U.S. Code)	Source (Statutes at Large)
14704	40 App.:405.	Pub. L. 89-4, title IV, §405, Mar. 9, 1965, 79 Stat. 23; Pub. L. 91-123, title I, §111, Nov. 25, 1969, 83 Stat. 216; Pub. L. 92-65, title II, §213, Aug. 5, 1971, 85 Stat. 173; Pub. L. 94-188, title I, §122(a), Dec. 31, 1975, 89 Stat. 1086; Pub. L. 96-506, §3(6), Dec. 8, 1980, 94 Stat. 2746; Pub. L. 105-178, title I, §1222(b) (1st sentence), June 9, 1998, 112 Stat. 224; Pub. L. 105-393, title II, §222, Nov. 13, 1998, 112 Stat. 3625; Pub. L. 107-149, §12, Mar. 12, 2002, 116 Stat. 71.

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## AMENDMENTS

2020—Pub. L. 116–159 substituted "2021" for "2020". 2015—Pub. L. 114–94 substituted "2020" for "2012". 2008—Pub. L. 110–371 substituted "2012" for "2007". 2007—Pub. L. 109–289, § 20326, as added by Pub. L. 110–5, substituted "October 1, 2007" for "October 1, 2006".

#### Statutory Notes and Related Subsidiaries

EFFECTIVE DATE OF 2015 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 114-94 effective Oct. 1, 2015, see section 1436(d) of Pub. L. 114-94, set out as an Effective Date note under section 14509 of this title.

# SUBTITLE V—REGIONAL ECONOMIC AND INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOP-MENT

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# **CHAPTER 151—GENERAL PROVISIONS**

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# PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior subtitle V, consisting of chapters 171, 173, 175, 177, 179, 181, and 183, was redesignated subtitle VI of this title by Pub. L. 110-234, title XIV, §14217(a)(1), May 22, 2008, 122 Stat. 1467, and Pub. L. 110-246, title XIV, §14217(a)(1), June 18, 2008, 122 Stat. 2229. The redesignation by Pub. L. 110-234 was repealed by Pub. L. 110-246, §4(a), June 18, 2008, 122 Stat. 1664.

## AMENDMENTS

2018—Pub. L. 115–334, title VI, \$6304(g), Dec. 20, 2018, 132 Stat. 4752, renumbered chapter 1 of subtitle V of this title as chapter 151 of this title.

## § 15101. Definitions

- In this subtitle, the following definitions apply:
  - (1) COMMISSION.—The term "Commission" means a Commission established under section 15301
  - (2) LOCAL DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT.—The term "local development district" means an entity that—

- (A)(i) is an economic development district that is—
  - (I) in existence on the date of the enactment of this chapter; and
    - (II) located in the region; or
- (ii) if an entity described in clause (i) does not exist—
  - (I) is organized and operated in a manner that ensures broad-based community participation and an effective opportunity for local officials, community leaders, and the public to contribute to the development and implementation of programs in the region:
- (II) is governed by a policy board with at least a simple majority of members consisting of—
  - (aa) elected officials; or
  - (bb) designees or employees of a general purpose unit of local government that have been appointed to represent the unit of local government; and
- (III) is certified by the Governor or appropriate State officer as having a charter or authority that includes the economic development of counties, portions of counties, or other political subdivisions within the region; and
- (B) has not, as certified by the Federal Cochair person—  $\,$ 
  - (i) inappropriately used Federal grant funds from any Federal source; or
  - (ii) appointed an officer who, during the period in which another entity inappropriately used Federal grant funds from any Federal source, was an officer of the other entity.
- (3) FEDERAL GRANT PROGRAM.—The term "Federal grant program" means a Federal grant program to provide assistance in carrying out economic and community development activities.
- (4) INDIAN TRIBE.—The term "Indian tribe" has the meaning given the term in section 4 of the Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act (25 U.S.C. 450b).
- (5) NONPROFIT ENTITY.—The term "nonprofit entity" means any organization described in section 501(c) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and exempt from taxation under 501(a) of that Code that has been formed for the purpose of economic development.
- (6) REGION.—The term "region" means the area covered by a Commission as described in subchapter II of chapter 157.2

(Added Pub. L. 110–234, title XIV, §14217(a)(2), May 22, 2008, 122 Stat. 1468, and Pub. L. 110–246, §4(a), title XIV, §14217(a)(2), June 18, 2008, 122 Stat. 1664, 2230.)

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## REFERENCES IN TEXT

The date of the enactment of this chapter, referred to in par. (2)(A)(i)(I), is the date of enactment of Pub. L. 110-246, which was approved June 18, 2008.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>See References in Text note below.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> So in original. Probably means chapter 4 of this subtitle.