

cies for testing purposes. All moneys received from dispositions under this section shall be paid into the Treasury as miscellaneous receipts.

(Pub. L. 95-592, §13, Nov. 4, 1978, 92 Stat. 2533; Pub. L. 98-284, §12, May 16, 1984, 98 Stat. 184.)

AMENDMENTS

1984—Pub. L. 98-284, substituted “The Secretaries” for “The Secretary of Agriculture and the Secretary of Commerce”, and inserted “, as well as products, other than rubber, developed from agricultural crops which are of strategic and industrial importance,” and “Dispositions under this section may include sales of the materials involved to other Federal departments and agencies for testing purposes.”

§ 178l. Rules and regulations

The Secretaries may issue rules and regulations necessary to effectuate the purposes of this subchapter.

(Pub. L. 95-592, §14, Nov. 4, 1978, 92 Stat. 2533; Pub. L. 98-284, §13, May 16, 1984, 98 Stat. 184.)

AMENDMENTS

1984—Pub. L. 98-284 substituted “The Secretaries” for “The Secretary of Agriculture and the Secretary of Commerce”.

§ 178m. Report to President and Congress

The Secretaries shall submit to the President and the Congress, no later than December 31, 1980, and each year thereafter through 1987, a report on the status of the research, development, and other work underway under this subchapter. Such report shall (1) recommend specific directions for further research, development and other work, and (2) recommend funding levels for various elements of the overall project.

(Pub. L. 95-592, §15, Nov. 4, 1978, 92 Stat. 2533; Pub. L. 98-284, §14, May 16, 1984, 98 Stat. 184.)

AMENDMENTS

1984—Pub. L. 98-284 substituted “The Secretaries” for “The Secretary of Agriculture and the Secretary of Commerce” and “1987” for “1982”.

§ 178n. Administration and funding

(a) Authorization of appropriations to Secretary of Agriculture

There are authorized to be appropriated to the Secretary of Agriculture to carry out this subchapter—

- (1) such sums as are necessary for each of fiscal years 1991 through 2013; and
- (2) \$2,000,000 for each of fiscal years 2014 through 2023.

(b) Administration and management

No more than 3 per centum of funds authorized under subsection (a) shall be available for administration and management of the program.

(c) Contract authority as limited by amounts provided in appropriations acts

Notwithstanding any other provision of this subchapter the authority to enter into contracts shall be effective for any fiscal year only to such extent or in such amounts as are provided in appropriations Acts.

(d) Activities limited to critical materials other than native latex after fiscal 1988

Notwithstanding any other provision of this subchapter, the Secretaries and the Joint Commission shall limit their activities under this subchapter to critical agricultural materials other than native latex after the close of the fiscal year ending September 30, 1988.

(Pub. L. 95-592, §16, Nov. 4, 1978, 92 Stat. 2534; Pub. L. 98-284, §15, May 16, 1984, 98 Stat. 184; Pub. L. 101-624, title XVI, §1601(e), Nov. 28, 1990, 104 Stat. 3704; Pub. L. 104-127, title VIII, §881(b), Apr. 4, 1996, 110 Stat. 1175; Pub. L. 105-185, title III, §301(c), June 23, 1998, 112 Stat. 563; Pub. L. 107-171, title VII, §7138, May 13, 2002, 116 Stat. 436; Pub. L. 110-234, title VII, §7401, May 22, 2008, 122 Stat. 1245; Pub. L. 110-246, §4(a), title VII, §7401, June 18, 2008, 122 Stat. 1664, 2007; Pub. L. 113-79, title VII, §7401, Feb. 7, 2014, 128 Stat. 893; Pub. L. 115-334, title VII, §7501(b), Dec. 20, 2018, 132 Stat. 4819.)

CODIFICATION

Pub. L. 110-234 and Pub. L. 110-246 made identical amendments to this section. The amendments by Pub. L. 110-234 were repealed by section 4(a) of Pub. L. 110-246.

AMENDMENTS

2018—Subsec. (a)(2). Pub. L. 115-334 substituted “2023” for “2018”.

2014—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 113-79 struck out “such sums as are necessary” after “Agriculture”, substituted “subchapter—” for “subchapter in each of the fiscal years 1991 through 2012.”, and added pars. (1) and (2).

2008—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 110-246, §7401, substituted “2012” for “2007”.

2002—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 107-171 substituted “2007” for “2002”.

1998—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 105-185 substituted “2002” for “1997”.

1996—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 104-127 substituted “1997” for “1995”.

1990—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 101-624, §1601(e)(1), added subsec. (a) and struck out former subsec. (a) which read as follows: “There is authorized to be appropriated to the Secretary of Agriculture \$2,500,000 for each of the fiscal years ending September 30, 1980, and September 30, 1981, \$5,000,000 for each of the fiscal years ending September 30, 1982, and September 30, 1983, \$5,000,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1984, \$5,500,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1985, \$6,500,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1986, \$7,500,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1987, and \$8,000,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1988, to carry out the purposes of this subchapter. Funds appropriated under this paragraph shall be available for obligation until the last day of the fiscal year after the year for which such funds are authorized.”

Subsec. (b). Pub. L. 101-624, §1601(e)(2)-(4), redesignated subsec. (c) as (b) and substituted “subsection (a)” for “subsections (a) and (b)”, and struck out former subsec. (b) which read as follows: “There is authorized to be appropriated to the Secretary of Commerce \$2,500,000 for each of the fiscal years ending September 30, 1980, and September 30, 1981, \$5,000,000 for each of the fiscal years ending September 30, 1982, and September 30, 1983, \$2,500,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1984, \$3,000,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1985, \$3,500,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1986, \$4,000,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1987, and \$4,500,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1988, to carry out the purposes of this subchapter. Funds appropriated under this paragraph shall be available for obligation until the last day of the fis-

cal year after the year for which such funds are authorized.”

Subsecs. (c) to (e). Pub. L. 101-624, §1601(e)(4), redesignated subsecs. (c) to (e) as (b) to (d), respectively.

1984—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 98-284, §15(a), inserted “\$5,000,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1984, \$5,500,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1985, \$6,500,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1986, \$7,500,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1987, and \$8,000,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1988,” and struck out “and” after “1981.”

Subsec. (b). Pub. L. 98-284, §15(b), inserted “\$2,500,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1984, \$3,000,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1985, \$3,500,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1986, \$4,000,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1987, and \$4,500,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1988,” and struck out “and” after “1981.”

Subsec. (e). Pub. L. 98-284, §15(c), added subsec. (e).

EFFECTIVE DATE OF 2008 AMENDMENT

Amendment of this section and repeal of Pub. L. 110-234 by Pub. L. 110-246 effective May 22, 2008, the date of enactment of Pub. L. 110-234, see section 4 of Pub. L. 110-246, set out as an Effective Date note under section 8701 of this title.

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TRANSFER OF FUNCTIONS

Functions of Bureau of Animal Industry transferred to Secretary of Agriculture by 1947 Reorg. Plan No. 1, §301, eff. July 1, 1947, 12 F.R. 4534, 61 Stat. 952. See note set out under section 391 of this title.

By order of Secretary of Agriculture, Packers and Stockyards Administration abolished on July 1, 1927, and enforcement of Packers and Stockyards Act of 1921, which is classified to this chapter, was put under control of chief of Bureau of Animal Industry.

SUBCHAPTER I—GENERAL DEFINITIONS

§ 181. Short title

This chapter may be cited as the “Packers and Stockyards Act, 1921.”

(Aug. 15, 1921, ch. 64, title I, §1, 42 Stat. 159.)

SHORT TITLE OF 2016 AMENDMENT

Pub. L. 114-237, §1, Oct. 7, 2016, 130 Stat. 970, provided that: “This Act [amending sections 201 and 228b of this title] may be cited as the ‘Clarification of Treatment of Electronic Sales of Livestock Act of 2016.’”

SHORT TITLE OF 1987 AMENDMENT

Pub. L. 100-173, §1, Nov. 23, 1987, 101 Stat. 917, provided that: “This Act [enacting sections 197 and 228b-1