tional Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2019 (Public Law 115–232; 132 Stat. 1679)''.

Statutory Notes and Related Subsidiaries

EFFECTIVE DATE OF 2021 AMENDMENT

Amendment by section 1701(q), (u)(3)(B) of Pub. L. 117–81 applicable as if included in the enactment of title XVIII of Pub. L. 116–283 as enacted, see section 1701(a)(2) of Pub. L. 117–81, set out in a note preceding section 3001 of this title and note below.

Amendment by Pub. L. 116–283 effective Jan. 1, 2022, with additional provisions for delayed implementation and applicability of existing law, see section 1801(d) of Pub. L. 116–283, set out as a note preceding section 3001 of this title.

CHAPTER 88—MILITARY FAMILY PROGRAMS AND MILITARY CHILD CARE

SUBCHAPTER I—MILITARY FAMILY PROGRAMS

Editorial Notes

AMENDMENTS

2021—Pub. L. 116–283, div. A, title V, §583(b), Jan. 1, 2021, 134 Stat. 3654, which directed amendment of the table of sections at the beginning of chapter 88 by adding item 1788a and striking out former item 1788a ''Family support programs: immediate family members of members of special operations forces'', was executed to the analysis of this subchapter, to reflect the probable intent of Congress.

2017—Pub. L. 115–91, div. A, title V, §555(e), Dec. 12, 2017, 131 Stat. 1403, added item 1788a.

2016—Pub. L. 114–328, div. A, title IX, §933(a)(4)(B), (b)(5)(B), Dec. 23, 2016, 130 Stat. 2364, 2365, substituted ''Office of Military Family Readiness Policy'' for ''Office of Family Policy'' in item 1781 and ''Office of Special Needs'' for ''Office of Community Support for Military Families With Special Needs'' in item 1781c.

2011—Pub. L. 112–74, div. A, title VIII, §8070(b), Dec. 23, 2011, 125 Stat. 823, added item 1790.

2009—Pub. L. 111–84, div. A, title V, §563(a)(2), Oct. 28, 2009, 123 Stat. 2307, added item 1781c.

2008—Pub. L. 110–417, [div. A], title V, §582(b), Oct. 14, 2008, 122 Stat. 4474, added item 1784a.

Pub. L. 110–181, div. A, title V, §581(d), Jan. 28, 2008, 122 Stat. 122, added items 1781a and 1781b.

2003—Pub. L. 108–136, div. A, title V, §582(a)(2), Nov. 24, 2003, 117 Stat. 1490, added item 1789.

2002—Pub. L. 107–314, div. A, title VI, §652(a)(2), Dec. 2, 2002, 116 Stat. 2581, added item 1788.

§ 1781. Office of Military Family Readiness Policy

(a) ESTABLISHMENT.—There is in the Office of the Secretary of Defense an Office of Military Family Readiness Policy (in this section referred to as the ''Office''). The Office shall be headed by the Director of Military Family Readiness Policy, who shall serve within the Office of the Under Secretary of Defense for Personnel and Readiness.

(b) DUTIES.—The Office—

(1) shall coordinate programs and activities of the military departments to the extent that they relate to military families; and

(2) shall make recommendations to the Secretaries of the military departments with respect to programs and policies regarding military families.

(c) STAFF.—The Office shall have not less than five professional staff members.

(Added Pub. L. 104–106, div. A, title V, §568(a)(1), Feb. 10, 1996, 110 Stat. 330; amended Pub. L. 111–383, div. A, title IX, §901(h), Jan. 7, 2011, 124 Stat. 4323; Pub. L. 112–239, div. A, title X, §1076(f)(21), Jan. 2, 2013, 126 Stat. 1952; Pub. L. 114–328, div. A, title IX, §933(a)(1), (4)(A), Dec. 23, 2016, 130 Stat. 2364.)

Editorial Notes

PRIOR PROVISIONS

Provisions similar to those in this subchapter were contained in Pub. L. 99–145, title VIII, Nov. 8, 1985, 99 Stat. 678, as amended, which was set out as a note under section 113 of this title, prior to repeal by Pub. L. 104–106, §568(e)(1).

AMENDMENTS

2016—Pub. L. 114–328, §933(a)(4)(A), substituted ''Office of Military Family Readiness Policy'' for ''Office of Family Policy'' in section catchline.

Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 114–328, §933(a)(1), substituted ''Office of Military Family Readiness Policy'' for ''Office of Family Policy'' and ''Director of Military Family Readiness Policy'' for ''Director of Family Policy''.

2013—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 112–239, in first sentence, substituted ''in the Office'' for ''in the Director'' and struck out ''hereinafter'' before ''in this section'', and in second sentence, substituted ''Office'' for ''office'' in two places.

2011—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 111–383 substituted ''the Director'' for ''the Office'' before ''of the Secretary'' and ''The office shall be headed by the Director of Family Policy, who shall serve within the office of the Under Secretary of Defense for Personnel and Readiness.'' for ''The Office shall be under the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Force Management and Personnel.''

Statutory Notes and Related Subsidiaries

EFFECTIVE DATE OF 2011 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 111–383 effective Jan. 1, 2011, see section 901(p) of Pub. L. 111–383, set out as a note under section 131 of this title.

ACTIVITIES TO IMPROVE FAMILY VIOLENCE PREVENTION AND RESPONSE

Pub. L. 117–81, div. A, title V, §549(c), (d), (g), Dec. 27, 2021, 135 Stat. 1715, 1719, 1721, provided that:

''(c) IMPLEMENTATION OF COMPTROLLER GENERAL RECOMMENDATIONS.—