vided for determination of the place on a promotion list of name of each person who is originally appointed in a commissioned grade in Regular Army and whose name is to be carried on a promotion list, other than persons appointed in Medical Corps, Dental Corps, Army Nurse Corps, or Army Medical Specialist Corps. See section 624 of this title.

Section 3296, acts Aug. 10, 1956, ch. 1041, 70A Stat. 184; Aug. 21, 1957, Pub. L. 85-155, title I, §101(10), 71 Stat. 377; Aug. 6, 1958, Pub. L. 85-600, §1(5), 72 Stat. 522; June 4, 1968, Pub. L. 90-329, 82 Stat. 170; Oct. 20, 1978, Pub. L. 95–485, title VIII, $\S 820(d)(2)$, 92 Stat. 1627; Oct. 30, 1978, Pub. L. 95-551, §2, 92 Stat. 2069, provided for promotion lists in Regular Army for all commissioned officers in grades below brigadier general on active list, with exceptions, which officers are known as "promotion-list officers", a separate list for Chaplains and each of the several branches of Army Medical Department, and determination of place on list upon transfer or promotion. See section 624 of this title.

provided for selection boards to recommend promotionlist officers and brigadier generals of Regular Army for promotion in Regular Army. See section 611 et seg. of this title.

Section 3298, acts Aug. 10, 1956, ch. 1041, 70A Stat. 185; Aug. 21, 1957, Pub. L. 85-155, title I, §101(12), 71 Stat. 377; Nov. 8, 1967, Pub. L. 90-130, §1(10)(A), 81 Stat. 375, provided for promotion from grade of second lieutenant to first lieutenant after 3 years of service, discharge under section 3814 of this title upon failure of promotion, and filling vacancies for first lieutenants with second lieutenants prior to completion of 3 years of service. See section 630 of this title.

Section 3299, acts Aug. 10, 1956, ch. 1041, 70A Stat. 186; Aug. 21, 1957, Pub. L. 85–155, title I, §101(13), 71 Stat. 377; Sept. 2, 1958, Pub. L. 85-861, §33(a)(21), 72 Stat. 1565; Nov. 8, 1967, Pub. L. 90-130, §1(10)(B), 81 Stat. 375, provided that promotion-list officers be promoted to regular grades of captain, major, and lieutenant colonel, after specified length of service or without regard to length of service in view of actual or anticipated vacancies if Secretary of the Army so directs, or be eliminated from active list under section 3303 of this title and a promotion-list officer who has twice been considered and not recommended for promotion to any one regular grade not be again considered for promotion under this section. See sections 631 and 632 of this title.

Section 3300, acts Aug. 10, 1956, ch. 1041, 70A Stat. 186; July 12, 1960, Pub. L. 86-616, §1(2), 74 Stat. 386, provided for selection board procedure when promotion-list officers in regular grade of first lieutenant, captain, or major are to be considered for promotion under section 3299 of this title. See section 611 et seq. of this title.

AMENDMENTS

2021—Pub. L. 116-283, §1813(g), renumbered section

2339a of this title as this section.

Subsec. (b)(1). Pub. L. 116–283, §1081(a)(36), inserted "and Security" after "for Intelligence".

Subsec. (b)(3)(A). Pub. L. 116–283, §1813(g)(1), substituted "section 3204(e)(2)" for "section 2304(f)(3)".

Subsec. (e)(2)(A). Pub. L. 116-283, §1813(g)(2), substituted "section 3243" for "section 2319"

Subsec. (e)(3)(A). Pub. L. 116-283, \$1813(g)(3)(A), substituted "section 3206(a)(3)(B)" for "section stituted "section 2305(a)(1)(C)(ii)" and "section 3206(b)(1)" for "section 2305(a)(2)(A)'

Subsec. (e)(3)(B). Pub. L. 116-283, \$1813(g)(3)(B), substituted "section 3406(d)(3)" for "section 2304c(d)(3)". 2019—Subsec. (e)(5). Pub. L. 116-92 substituted "section 3552(b)(6)" for "section 3542(b)".

Statutory Notes and Related Subsidiaries

CHANGE OF NAME

Under Secretary of Defense for Intelligence redesignated and references deemed to refer to Under Secretary of Defense for Intelligence and Security, see section 1621(a) of Pub. L. 116-92, set out as a note under section 137 of this title.

Effective Date of 2021 Amendment

Amendment by section 1813(g) of 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 225—[Reserved]

3271. [Reserved].

Editorial Notes

AMENDMENTS

2021—Pub. L. 117–81, div. A, title XVII, §1701(i)(3), Dec. 27, 2021, 135 Stat. 2141, amended Pub. L. 116-283, div. A, title XVIII, §1813(h), Jan. 1, 2021, 134 Stat. 4181, which added this analysis, by substituting "[Reserved]" for "PLANNING AND SOLICITATION RELATING TO PARTICULAR ITEMS OR SERVICES" in chapter head-

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AMENDMENTS

2018—Pub. L. 115-232, div. A, title VIII, §801(a), Aug. 13, 2018, 132 Stat. 1827, added subpart heading.

CHAPTER 241—AWARDING OF CONTRACTS

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PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior chapter 241 "AWARDING OF CONTRACTS", as added by Pub. L. 115-232, div. A, title VIII, §801(a), Aug. 13, 2018, 132 Stat. 1827, and consisting of reserved section 3301, was repealed by Pub. L. 116-283, div. A, title XVIII, §1816(b), Jan. 1, 2021, 134 Stat. 4182.

Statutory Notes and Related Subsidiaries

DEVELOPMENT OF PROCUREMENT ADMINISTRATIVE LEAD TIME

Pub. L. 115-91, div. A, title VIII, §886, Dec. 12, 2017, 131 Stat. 1505, provided that:

"(a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 180 days after the date of the enactment of this Act [Dec. 12, 2017], the Secretary of Defense shall develop, make available for public comment, and finalize-

"(1) a definition of the term 'Procurement Adminis-trative Lead Time' or 'PALT', to be applied Depart-ment of Defense-wide, that describes the amount of time from the date on which a solicitation is issued to the date of an initial award of a contract or task order of the Department of Defense; and

"(2) a plan for measuring and publicly reporting data on PALT for Department of Defense contracts