- (3) The term "Secretary" means the Secretary of Defense acting through the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and Sustainment.
- (4) The terms "State" and "local government" have the meaning given those terms in section 6302 of title 31.

(Added and amended Pub. L. 116–283, div. A, title XVIII, \$1872(a)(1)(B), (2), Jan. 1, 2021, 134 Stat. 4287; Pub. L. 117–81, div. A, title XVII, \$1701(m)(1)(A), (3), Dec. 27, 2021, 135 Stat. 2144, 2145.)

Editorial Notes

CODIFICATION

The text of section 2411 of this title, which was transferred to this section by Pub. L. 116-283, §1872(a)(2), was based on Pub. L. 98-525, title XII, §1241(a)(1), Oct. 19, 1984, 98 Stat. 2605; Pub. L. 99–145, title IX, §919(a), Nov. 8, 1985, 99 Stat. 691; Pub. L. 99-500, \$101(c) [title X, §956(a)], Oct. 18, 1986, 100 Stat. 1783-82, 1783-174, and Pub. L. 99–591, §101(c) [title X, §956(a)], Oct. 30, 1986, 100 Stat. 3341-82, 3341-174; Pub. L. 99-661, div. A, title IX, formerly title IV, §956(a), Nov. 14, 1986, 100 Stat. 3954, renumbered title IX, Pub. L. 100–26, §3(5), Apr. 21, 1987, 101 Stat. 273; Pub. L. 100–180, div. A, title VIII, $\S 807(b)$, Dec. 4, 1987, 101 Stat. 1128; Pub. L. 100-456, div. A, title VIII, §841(b)(2), Sept. 29, 1988, 102 Stat. 2025; Pub. L. 101-189, div. A, title VIII, §853(e), Nov. 29, 1989, 103 Stat. 1519; Pub. L. 102–25, title VII, $701(j)(5),\ Apr.\ 6,\ 1991,\ 105$ Stat. 116; Pub. L. 102–484, div. A, title X, §1052(31), Oct. 23, 1992, 106 Stat. 2501; Pub. L. 115–91, div. A, title X, §1081(a)(36), Dec. 12, 2017, 131 Stat. 1596; Pub. L. 116-92, div. A, title VIII, §852(a), Dec. 20, 2019, 133 Stat. 1511.

Pub. L. 117–81, div. A, title XVII, \$1701(m)(1), (3), Dec. 27, 2021, 135 Stat. 2144, 2145, amended Pub. L. 116–283, \$1872(a)(1)(B), (2)–(4), which had originally added this section and transferred to subsecs. (a) to (c) thereof the text of sections 2412, 2411, and 2420 of this title, respectively. After amendment by Pub. L. 117–81, section 1872(a)(1)(B) of Pub. L. 116–283 reenacted this section, and section 1872(a)(2)–(4) of Pub. L. 116–283 instead transferred sections 2411, 2412, and 2420 to this section, section 4952, and section 4953 of this title, respectively.

AMENDMENTS

2021—Pub. L. 117-81, \$1701(m)(3), which directed amendment of section "1872(a)(B)" of Pub. L. 116-283, was executed as if it had referred to section "1872(a)(1)(B)" of Pub. L. 116-283, which enacted this section, to reflect the probable intent of Congress.

Pub. L. 116–283, \$1872(a)(2), as amended by Pub. L. 117–81, \$1701(m)(1)(A), transferred the text of section 2411 of this title to this section.

Statutory Notes and Related Subsidiaries

EFFECTIVE DATE OF 2021 AMENDMENT

Amendment by 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 Effective Date note below.

EFFECTIVE DATE

Section and 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 an Effective Date of 2021 Amendment note preceding section 3001 of this title.

§ 4952. Purposes

The purposes of the program authorized by this chapter are—

- (1) to increase assistance by the Department of Defense to eligible entities furnishing procurement technical assistance to business entities; and
- (2) to assist eligible entities in the payment of the costs of establishing and carrying out new procurement technical assistance programs and maintaining existing procurement technical assistance programs.

(Added and amended Pub. L. 116–283, div. A, title XVIII, §1872(a)(1)(B), (3), Jan. 1, 2021, 134 Stat. 4287, 4288; Pub. L. 117–81, div. A, title XVII, §1701(m)(1)(B), (3), Dec. 27, 2021, 135 Stat. 2144, 2145.)

Editorial Notes

CODIFICATION

The text of section 2412 of this title, which was transferred to this section by Pub. L. 116–283, $\S1872(a)(3)$, was based on Pub. L. 98–525, title XII, $\S1241(a)(1)$, Oct. 19, 1984, 98 Stat. 2605; Pub. L. 99–145, title IX, $\S919(a)$, Nov. 8, 1985, 99 Stat. 692.

Pub. L. 117–81, div. A, title XVII, §1701(b)(24), (m)(2)(A), Dec. 27, 2021, 135 Stat. 2135, 2144, amended Pub. L. 116–283, §1872(a)(5), which had originally transferred section 2413 of this title to this section and made an amendment in the text. After amendment by Pub. L. 117–81, section 1872(a)(5) of Pub. L. 116–283 instead transferred section 2413 to section 4954 of this title and consequently amended the text of that section.

AMENDMENTS

2021—Pub. L. 117–81, \$1701(m)(3), which directed amendment of section "1872(a)(B)" of Pub. L. 116–283, was executed as if it had referred to section "1872(a)(1)(B)" of Pub. L. 116–283, which enacted this section, to reflect the probable intent of Congress.

Pub. L. 116-283, \$1872(a)(3), as amended by Pub. L. 117-81, \$1701(m)(1)(B), transferred the text of section 2412 of this title to this section.

Statutory Notes and Related Subsidiaries

EFFECTIVE DATE OF 2021 AMENDMENT

Amendment by 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 Effective Date note below.

EFFECTIVE DATE

Section and 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 an Effective Date of 2021 Amendment note preceding section 3001 of this title.

§ 4953. Regulations

The Secretary of Defense shall prescribe regulations to carry out this chapter.

(Added and amended Pub. L. 116–283, div. A, title XVIII, §1872(a)(1)(B), (4), Jan. 1, 2021, 134 Stat. 4287, 4288; Pub. L. 117–81, div. A, title XVII, §1701(m)(1)(C), (3), Dec. 27, 2021, 135 Stat. 2144, 2145.)

Editorial Notes

CODIFICATION

The text of section 2420 of this title, which was transferred to this section by Pub. L. 116-283, \$1872(a)(4), was based on Pub. L. 98-525, title XII, \$1241(a)(1), Oct. 19,