

**(b) Exception for certain services**

Subsection (a) does not apply with respect to the deployment of any officer for any of the following purposes:

- (1) Responding to an imminent threat or emergency.
- (2) Intelligence gathering.
- (3) Providing protective services.

**(c) Effective date**

This section shall apply with respect to fiscal year 2005 and each succeeding fiscal year.

(Pub. L. 108-447, div. G, title I, §1007, Dec. 8, 2004, 118 Stat. 3182; Pub. L. 111-145, §2(c), Mar. 4, 2010, 124 Stat. 51.)

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## CODIFICATION

Section is from the Legislative Branch Appropriations Act, 2005, which is div. G of the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005.

## AMENDMENTS

2010—Subsec. (a)(1). Pub. L. 111-145 substituted “prior notification to the Committee on House Administration of the House of Representatives, the Committee on Rules and Administration of the Senate, and” for “prior notification to”.

**§ 1979. Release of security information****(a) Definition**

In this section, the term “security information” means information that—

- (1) is sensitive with respect to the policing, protection, physical security, intelligence, counterterrorism actions, or emergency preparedness and response relating to Congress, any statutory protectee of the Capitol Police, and the Capitol buildings and grounds; and
- (2) is obtained by, on behalf of, or concerning the Capitol Police Board, the Capitol Police, or any incident command relating to emergency response.

**(b) Authority of Board to determine conditions of release**

Notwithstanding any other provision of law, any security information in the possession of the Capitol Police may be released by the Capitol Police to another entity, including an individual, only if the Capitol Police Board determines in consultation with other appropriate law enforcement officials, experts in security preparedness, and appropriate committees of Congress, that the release of the security information will not compromise the security and safety of the Capitol buildings and grounds or any individual whose protection and safety is under the jurisdiction of the Capitol Police.

**(c) Rule of construction**

Nothing in this section may be construed to affect the ability of the Senate and the House of Representatives (including any Member, officer, or committee of either House of Congress) to obtain information from the Capitol Police regarding the operations and activities of the Capitol Police that affect the Senate and House of Representatives.

**(d) Regulations**

The Capitol Police Board may promulgate regulations to carry out this section, with the ap-

proval of the Committee on Rules and Administration of the Senate and the Committee on House Administration of the House of Representatives.

**(e) Effective date**

This section shall take effect on December 8, 2004, and apply with respect to—

- (1) any remaining portion of fiscal year 2004, if this Act is enacted before October 1, 2004; and
- (2) fiscal year 2005 and each fiscal year thereafter.

(Pub. L. 108-447, div. G, title I, §1009, Dec. 8, 2004, 118 Stat. 3182.)

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## REFERENCES IN TEXT

This Act, referred to in subsec. (e)(1), is div. G of Pub. L. 108-447, Dec. 8, 2004, 118 Stat. 3166, as amended, known as the Legislative Branch Appropriations Act, 2005, which was enacted Dec. 8, 2004.

## CODIFICATION

Section is from the Legislative Branch Appropriations Act, 2005, which is div. G of the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005.

**§ 1980. Mounted horse unit**

(a) The United States Capitol Police may not operate a mounted horse unit during fiscal year 2006 or any succeeding fiscal year.

(b) Not later than 60 days after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Chief of the Capitol Police shall transfer to the Chief of the United States Park Police the horses, equipment, and supplies of the Capitol Police mounted horse unit which remain in the possession of the Capitol Police as of such date.

(Pub. L. 109-55, title I, §1002, Aug. 2, 2005, 119 Stat. 572.)

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## REFERENCES IN TEXT

The date of the enactment of this Act, referred to in subsec. (b), is the date of the enactment of Pub. L. 109-55, which was approved Aug. 2, 2005.

## CODIFICATION

Section is from the Legislative Branch Appropriations Act, 2006.

**§ 1981. Advance payments**

During fiscal year 2008 and each succeeding fiscal year, following notification of the Committees on Appropriations of the House of Representatives and the Senate, the Committee on House Administration of the House of Representatives, and the Committee on Rules and Administration of the Senate<sup>1</sup> the Chief of the Capitol Police may make payments in advance for obligations of the United States Capitol Police for subscription services if the Chief determines it to be more prompt, efficient, or economical to do so.

(Pub. L. 110-161, div. H, title I, §1002, Dec. 26, 2007, 121 Stat. 2227; Pub. L. 111-145, §2(d)(1), Mar. 4, 2010, 124 Stat. 51.)

<sup>1</sup> So in original. Probably should be followed by a comma.