

§ 957a. Omitted

Editorial Notes

CODIFICATION

Section, Pub. L. 98-146, title II, Nov. 4, 1983, 97 Stat. 949, which directed that persons serving on National Council on the Humanities continue until their successors are qualified for office, was omitted as superseded. See section 957(c) of this title, as amended by Pub. L. 98-306. Similar provisions were contained in Pub. L. 97-394, title II, Dec. 30, 1982, 96 Stat. 1994.

§ 958. Federal Council on the Arts and the Humanities

(a) Establishment

There is established within the Foundation a Federal Council on the Arts and the Humanities.

(b) Composition; presiding officer; changes in membership to meet changes in programs or executive branch organization

The Council shall be composed of the Chairperson of the National Endowment for the Arts, the Chairperson of the National Endowment for the Humanities, the Director of the Institute of Museum and Library Services, the Secretary of Education, the Secretary of the Smithsonian Institution, the Director of the National Science Foundation, the Librarian of Congress, the Director of the National Gallery of Art, the Chairman of the Commission of Fine Arts, the Archivist of the United States, the Commissioner, Public Buildings Service, General Services Administration, the Assistant Secretary for Aging, a member designated by the Secretary of State, and a member designated by the Secretary of the Interior, a member designated by the Chairman of the Senate Commission on Art and Antiquities, and a member designated by the Speaker of the House. The President shall designate the presiding officer of the Council from among the members. The President is authorized to change the membership of the Council from time to time as the President deems necessary to meet changes in Federal programs or executive branch organization.

(c) Functions

The Council shall—

(1) advise and consult with the Chairperson of the National Endowment for the Arts and the Chairperson of the National Endowment for the Humanities on major problems arising in carrying out the purposes of the Foundation;

(2) advise and consult with the National Museum Services Board and with the Director of the Institute of Museum and Library Services on major problems arising in carrying out the purposes of such Institute;

(3) coordinate, by advice and consultation, so far as is practicable, the policies and operations of the National Endowment for the Arts, the National Endowment for the Humanities, and the Institute of Museum and Library Services, including joint support of activities, as appropriate;

(4) promote coordination between the programs and activities of the Foundation and related programs and activities of other Federal agencies;

(5) plan and coordinate appropriate participation (including productions and projects) in major and historic national events;

(6) undertake studies and make reports which address the state of the arts and humanities, particularly with respect to their economic needs and problems; and

(7) encourage an ongoing dialogue in support of the arts and the humanities among Federal agencies.

(Pub. L. 89-209, § 9, Sept. 29, 1965, 79 Stat. 851; Pub. L. 91-346, § 9, July 20, 1970, 84 Stat. 446; Pub. L. 93-133, § 2(a)(8), Oct. 19, 1973, 87 Stat. 464; Pub. L. 94-462, title II, § 208, Oct. 8, 1976, 90 Stat. 1977; Pub. L. 96-496, title I, §§ 106, 109(d), Dec. 4, 1980, 94 Stat. 2587, 2591; renumbered title I, § 9, and amended Pub. L. 98-306, §§ 2, 6, May 31, 1984, 98 Stat. 223, 224; renumbered § 9 and amended Pub. L. 99-194, title I, §§ 101(1), 109, Dec. 20, 1985, 99 Stat. 1332, 1339; Pub. L. 101-512, title III, § 318 [title I, § 108], Nov. 5, 1990, 104 Stat. 1960, 1970; Pub. L. 103-171, § 3(b)(2), Dec. 2, 1993, 107 Stat. 1991; Pub. L. 111-340, title II, § 208(2), Dec. 22, 2010, 124 Stat. 3603.)

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AMENDMENTS

2010—Subsecs. (b), (c)(2), (3). Pub. L. 111-340 substituted “Institute of Museum and Library Services” for “Institute of Museum Services”.

1993—Subsec. (b). Pub. L. 103-171 substituted “Assistant Secretary for Aging” for “Commissioner on Aging”.

1990—Subsec. (c)(7). Pub. L. 101-512, § 318 [title I, § 108(a)], added par. (7).

Subsec. (d). Pub. L. 101-512, § 318 [title I, § 108(b)], struck out subsec. (d) which related to studies on Federal support to museums and the impact of Institute of Museum Services and of conservation and preservation practices.

1985—Subsec. (b). Pub. L. 99-194, § 109(1), substituted “Chairperson” for “Chairman” in two places in first sentence, “presiding officer” for “Chairman” in second sentence, and “the President” for “he” in last sentence.

Subsec. (c)(1). Pub. L. 99-194, § 109(2), substituted “Chairperson” for “Chairman” wherever appearing.

Subsec. (d). Pub. L. 99-194, § 109(3), added subsec. (d). Former subsec. (d), relating to a study and report to the President and the Congress on artistic employment opportunities, was struck out.

Subsec. (e). Pub. L. 99-194, § 109(3), struck out subsec. (e) which provided for a study and report to the President and the Congress on arts and artifacts indemnification.

1984—Subsec. (b). Pub. L. 98-306, § 6(a), inserted “the Director of the Institute of Museum Services,”.

Subsec. (c)(4). Pub. L. 98-306, § 6(b), struck out “and the Institute of Museum Services” after “Foundation”.

1980—Subsec. (b). Pub. L. 96-496, §§ 106(a), 109(d), inserted “the Commissioner on Aging,” and substituted “Secretary of Education” for “United States Commissioner of Education”.

Subsec. (c)(6). Pub. L. 96-496, § 106(b), added par. (6).

Subsecs. (d), (e). Pub. L. 96-496, § 106(c), added subsecs. (d) and (e).

1976—Subsec. (c)(2), (3). Pub. L. 94-462, § 208(1), (2), added par. (2), redesignated former par. (2) as (3), and as so redesignated inserted “and the Institute of Museum Services,” after “Humanities,”. Former par. (3) redesignated (4).

Subsec. (c)(4), (5). Pub. L. 94-462, § 208(1), (3), redesignated former par. (3) as (4), inserted “and the Institute of Museum Services” after “Foundation”, and redesignated former par. (4) as (5).