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§202(a), Aug. 24, 1982, 96 Stat. 282; amended Pub. L. 101-246, title I, §147, Feb. 16, 1990, 104 Stat. 38; Pub. L. 102-138, title I, §§121, 144, Oct. 28, 1991, 105 Stat. 658, 668; Pub. L. 103-236, title I, §124, Apr. 30, 1994, 108 Stat. 393.)

Editorial Notes

References in Text

The Foreign Service Buildings Act, 1926, referred to in subsec. (a), is act May 7, 1926, ch. 250, 44 Stat. 403, as amended, which is classified generally to chapter 8 (\$292 et seq.) of this title. For complete classification of this Act to the Code, see section 299 of this title and Tables.

Amendments

1994—Subsec. (e). Pub. L. 103-236 substituted "The" for "For the fiscal years 1992 and 1993, the" in introductory provisions.

1991—Subsec. (c). Pub. L. 102–138, §144, inserted before period at end of first sentence ", and, where determined by the Secretary to be appropriate due to exceptional circumstances, to United States citizens hired outside of the host country to serve as teaching staff for such dependents abroad".

Subsec. (e). Pub. L. 102–138, §121, substituted "1992 and 1993" for "1990 and 1991" in introductory provisions. 1990—Subsec. (e). Pub. L. 101–246 added subsec. (e).

Statutory Notes and Related Subsidiaries

EFFECTIVE DATE

Section effective Feb. 15, 1981, except as otherwise provided, see section 2403 of Pub. L. 96–465, set out as a note under section 3901 of this title.

AUTHORITY TO PROVIDE ACCOMMODATION AND SUBSIST-ENCE TO INDIVIDUALS SERVING IN IRAQ AND AFGHANI-STAN

Pub. L. 109–234, title I, §1602(e), June 15, 2006, 120 Stat. 442, provided that: "The Secretary of State may provide during any fiscal year, with or without reimbursement, accommodation and subsistence to personnel in Iraq and Afghanistan for whom the Chief of Mission is responsible."

§2704. Subsistence expenses

The Secretary of State may pay, without regard to section 5702 of title 5, subsistence expenses of (1) special agents of the Department of State who are on authorized protective missions, whether at or away from their duty stations, and (2) members of the Foreign Service and employees of the Department who are required to spend extraordinary amounts of time in travel status. The authorities available to the Secretary of State under this section with respect to the Department of State shall be available to the Broadcasting Board of Governors and the Administrator of the Agency for International Development with respect to their respective agencies, except that the authority of clause (2) shall be available with respect to those agencies only in the case of members of the Foreign Service and employees of the agency who are performing security-related functions abroad.

(Aug. 1, 1956, ch. 841, title I, §32, as added Pub. L. 96-465, title II, §2201(a), Oct. 17, 1980, 94 Stat. 2157; renumbered title I, Pub. L. 97-241, title II, §202(a), Aug. 24, 1982, 96 Stat. 282; amended Pub. L. 98-533, title III, §303(c), Oct. 19, 1984, 98 Stat. 2711; Pub. L. 99-93, title I, §125(b), Aug. 16, 1985, 99 Stat. 417; Pub. L. 105-277, div. G, subdiv. A, title XIII, §1335(l)(4), title XIV, §1422(b)(3)(C), Oct. 21, 1998, 112 Stat. 2681-789, 2681-792; Pub. L. 110-321, §3, Sept. 19, 2008, 122 Stat. 3535.)

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Amendments

2008—Pub. L. 110-321 substituted "on authorized protective missions, whether at or away from their duty stations, and" for "on authorized protective missions, and".

1998—Pub. L. 105-277, §1422(b)(3)(C), substituted "Administrator of the Agency for International Development" for "Director of the United States International Development Cooperation Agency".

Pub. L. 105-277, \$1335(1)(4), substituted "the Broadcasting Board of Governors" for "the Director of the United States Information Agency".

1985—Pub. L. 99-93 substituted "special agents" for "security officers".

1984—Pub. L. 98-533 inserted "The authorities available to the Secretary of State under this section with respect to the Department of State shall be available to the Director of the United States Information Agency and the Director of the United States International Development Cooperation Agency with respect to their respective agencies, except that the authority of clause (2) shall be available with respect to those agencies only in the case of members of the Foreign Service and employees of the agency who are performing securityrelated functions abroad."

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CHANGE OF NAME

Broadcasting Board of Governors renamed United States Agency for Global Media pursuant to section 6204(a)(22) of this title. The renaming was effectuated by notice to congressional appropriations committees dated May 24, 2018, and became effective Aug. 22, 2018.

Effective Date of 1998 Amendment

Amendment by section 1335(l)(4) of Pub. L. 105–277 effective Oct. 1, 1999, see section 1301 of Pub. L. 105–277, set out as an Effective Date note under section 6531 of this title.

Amendment by section 1422(b)(3)(C) of Pub. L. 105–277 effective Apr. 1, 1999, see section 1401 of Pub. L. 105–277, set out as an Effective Date note under section 6561 of this title.

Effective Date

Section effective Feb. 15, 1981, except as otherwise provided, see section 2403 of Pub. L. 96-465, set out as a note under section 3901 of this title.

§2705. Documentation of citizenship

The following documents shall have the same force and effect as proof of United States citizenship as certificates of naturalization or of citizenship issued by the Attorney General or by a court having naturalization jurisdiction:

(1) A passport, during its period of validity (if such period is the maximum period authorized by law), issued by the Secretary of State to a citizen of the United States.

(2) The report, designated as a "Report of Birth Abroad of a Citizen of the United States", issued by a consular officer to document a citizen born abroad. For purposes of this paragraph, the term "consular officer" includes any United States citizen employee of the Department of State who is designated by