

**§ 3618. Collection of service charges for certification or validation of information assurance products**

**(a) Collection**

The Director may collect charges for evaluating, certifying, or validating information assurance products under the National Information Assurance Program or successor program.

**(b) Establishment of charges**

The charges collected under subsection (a) shall be established through a public rule-making process in accordance with Office of Management and Budget Circular No. A-25.

**(c) Limitation on charges**

Charges collected under subsection (a) shall not exceed the direct costs of the program referred to in that subsection.

**(d) Reimbursement or advance payment**

The appropriation or fund bearing the cost of the service for which charges are collected under the program referred to in subsection (a) may be reimbursed, or the Director may require advance payment subject to such adjustment on completion of the work as may be agreed upon.

**(e) Crediting of amounts collected**

Amounts collected under this section shall be credited to the account or accounts from which costs associated with such amounts have been or will be incurred, to reimburse or offset the direct costs of the program referred to in subsection (a).

(Pub. L. 86-36, §20, as added Pub. L. 109-364, div. A, title IX, §933, Oct. 17, 2006, 120 Stat. 2363.)

**Editorial Notes**

**CODIFICATION**

Section was formerly classified in a note under section 402 of this title prior to editorial reclassification as this section.

**§ 3619. Senior Chief Petty Officer Shannon Kent Award for Distinguished Female Personnel**

**(a) Establishment**

The Director of the National Security Agency shall establish an honorary award for the recognition of female personnel of the National Security Agency for distinguished career contributions in support of the mission of the Agency as civilian employees or members of the Armed Forces assigned to the Agency. The award shall be known as the “Senior Chief Petty Officer Shannon Kent Award” and shall consist of a design determined appropriate by the Director.

**(b) Award**

The Director shall award the Senior Chief Petty Officer Shannon Kent Award to female civilian employees, members of the Armed Forces, or former civilian employees or members, whom the Director determines meet the criteria under subsection (a).

(Pub. L. 86-36, §21, as added Pub. L. 116-260, div. W, title IV, §403, Dec. 27, 2020, 134 Stat. 2378.)

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In this chapter:

(1) The term “congressional defense committees” has the meaning given that term in section 101(a)(16) of title 10.

(2) The term “Cooperative Threat Reduction funds” means funds appropriated pursuant to an authorization of appropriations for the Program, or otherwise made available to the Program.

(3) The term “Program” means the Cooperative Threat Reduction Program of the Department of Defense established under section 3711 of this title.

(Pub. L. 113-291, div. A, title XIII, §1312, Dec. 19, 2014, 128 Stat. 3595.)

**Editorial Notes**

**REFERENCES IN TEXT**

This chapter, referred to in text, was in the original “this subtitle”, meaning subtitle B (§§1311-1352) of title XIII of div. A of Pub. L. 113-291, Dec. 19, 2014, 128 Stat. 3595, known as the Department of Defense Cooperative Threat Reduction Act, which is classified principally to this chapter. For complete classification of subtitle B to the Code, see Short Title note set out below and Tables.

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**SHORT TITLE**

Pub. L. 113-291, div. A, title XIII, §1311, Dec. 19, 2014, 128 Stat. 3595, provided that: “This subtitle [subtitle B