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Revised Section	Source (U.S. Code)	Source (Statutes at Large)
70908(a)	36:282.	Aug. 30, 1950, ch. 823, §§9, 10, 12, 64 Stat. 566.
70908(b)	36:280.	
70908(c)	36:279(a).	
70908(d)	36:279(b).	
70908(e)	36:279(c).	

In subsection (a), the words ''any shares or'' and ''its objects and purposes being solely educational'' are omitted as unnecessary and for consistency in the revised title.

In subsection (c), the words ''inure to the benefit of'' are substituted for ''inure to'' for consistency in the revised title. The words ''as provided in section 285 of this title'' are omitted as unnecessary.

§ 70909. Availability of personnel, services, and facilities of Department of Education

On request of the board of directors of the corporation, the Secretary of Education may make personnel, services, and facilities of the Department of Education available to administer or assist in the administration of the activities of the corporation. Personnel of the Department may not receive compensation from the corporation for their services, except that travel and other legitimate expenses as defined by the Secretary and approved by the board may be paid. The Secretary also may cooperate with the State boards for vocational education to assist in the promotion of the activities of the corporation.

(Pub. L. 105–225, Aug. 12, 1998, 112 Stat. 1358.)

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Revised Section	Source (U.S. Code)	Source (Statutes at Large)
70909	36:288.	Aug. 30, 1950, ch. 823, §18, 64 Stat. 567.

The words ''Secretary of Education'' and ''Secretary'' are substituted for ''United States Commissioner of Education'', ''Commissioner of Education'', and ''Commissioner'', and the words ''Department of Education'' are substituted for ''Office of Education'', in section 18 of the Act of August 30, 1950 (ch. 823, 64 Stat. 567), because of 20:3441 and 3507. The words ''with the approval of the Federal Security Administrator'' and ''with the approval of the Administrator'' are omitted because the functions of the Federal Security Administrator were transferred to the Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare by section 5 of Reorganization Plan No. 1 of 1953 (5 App. U.S.C.), and were subsequently transferred to the Secretary of Education by 20:3441. See also 20:3507. Substitution of a reference to the ''Secretary of Education'' would result in a requirement of the Secretary's own approval. The word ''activities'' (the first time it appears) is substituted for ''business and activities'' for consistency in the revised title.

§ 70910. Headquarters and principal office

The headquarters and principal office of the corporation shall be in the District of Columbia. However, the activities of the corporation are not confined to the District of Columbia but may be conducted throughout the States, territories, and possessions of the United States.

(Pub. L. 105–225, Aug. 12, 1998, 112 Stat. 1359.)

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Revised Section	Source (U.S. Code)	Source (Statutes at Large)
70910	36:275 (1st sentence).	Aug. 30, 1950, ch. 823, §5 (1st sentence), 64 Stat. 565.

The word ''office'' is substituted for ''offices'' for consistency in the revised title. The word ''various'' is omitted as unnecessary.

§ 70911. Records and inspection

(a) RECORDS.—The corporation shall keep—

(1) correct and complete records of account;

(2) minutes of the proceedings of its members, board of directors, and committees having any of the authority of its board of directors; and

(3) a record of the names and addresses of its members entitled to vote.

(b) INSPECTION.—A member, or an agent or attorney of the member, may inspect the records of the corporation at any reasonable time.

(Pub. L. 105–225, Aug. 12, 1998, 112 Stat. 1359.)

HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

Revised Section	Source (U.S. Code)	Source (Statutes at Large)
70911	36:283.	Aug. 30, 1950, ch. 823, §13, 64 Stat. 566.

The word ''records'' is substituted for ''books and records'' for consistency in the revised title and with other titles of the United States Code.

§ 70912. Service of process

(a) DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.—The corporation shall have a designated agent in the District of Columbia to receive service of process for the corporation. Designation of the agent shall be filed in the office of the clerk of the United States District Court for the District of Columbia. Notice to or service on the agent, or mailed to the business address of the agent, is notice to or service on the corporation.

(b) STATES, TERRITORIES, AND POSSESSIONS.—As a condition to the exercise of any power or privilege granted by this chapter, the corporation shall file, with the Secretary of State or other designated official of each State, territory, or possession of the United States in which a subordinate association or chapter is organized, the name and address of an agent in that State, territory, or possession on whom legal process or demands against the corporation may be served.

(Pub. L. 105–225, Aug. 12, 1998, 112 Stat. 1359; Pub. L. 109–284, §5(7), Sept. 27, 2006, 120 Stat. 1212.)

HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

Revised Section	Source (U.S. Code)	Source (Statutes at Large)
70912(a)	36:275 (2d, last sentences).	Aug. 30, 1950, ch. 823, §§5 (2d, last sentences), 17, 64 Stat. 565, 567.
70912(b)	36:287.	

In subsection (a), the word ''have'' is substituted for ''maintain'' for consistency in the revised title. The words ''at all times'', ''authorized'', and ''deemed sufficient'' are omitted as unnecessary.

In subsection (b), the word ''precedent'' is omitted as unnecessary. The words ''with the secretary of state or other designated official'' are substituted for ''in the Office of the Secretary of State, or similar officer'' for consistency in the revised title. The words ''post office'' and ''authorized'' are omitted as unnecessary.

AMENDMENTS

2006—Subsec. (b). Pub. L. 109–284 substituted ''corporation shall'' for ''Corporation shall''.

§ 70913. Liability for acts of officers and agents

The corporation is liable for the acts of its officers and agents acting within the scope of their authority.

(Pub. L. 105–225, Aug. 12, 1998, 112 Stat. 1359.)

HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

Revised Section	*Source (U.S. Code)*	*Source (Statutes at Large)*
70913	36:281.	Aug. 30, 1950, ch. 823, §11, 64 Stat. 566.

§ 70914. Distribution of assets on dissolution or final liquidation

On dissolution or final liquidation of the corporation, any assets remaining after the discharge of all liabilities shall be used by the board of directors for the benefit of students of vocational agriculture or be transferred to a recognized educational foundation.

(Pub. L. 105–225, Aug. 12, 1998, 112 Stat. 1359.)

HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

Revised Section	*Source (U.S. Code)*	*Source (Statutes at Large)*
70914	36:285.	Aug. 30, 1950, ch. 823, §15, 64 Stat. 566.

The word ''satisfaction'' is omitted as included in ''discharge'', and the word ''obligations'' is omitted as included in ''liabilities''. The word ''outstanding'' is omitted as unnecessary.

CHAPTER 801—GENERAL FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS

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§ 80101. Organization

(a) FEDERAL CHARTER.—General Federation of Women's Clubs (in this chapter, the ''corporation'') is a body corporate and politic of the District of Columbia.

(b) PERPETUAL EXISTENCE.—Except as otherwise provided, the corporation has perpetual existence.

(Pub. L. 105–225, Aug. 12, 1998, 112 Stat. 1360.)

HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

Revised Section	*Source (U.S. Code)*	*Source (Statutes at Large)*
80101	36:3501(a).	Mar. 3, 1901, ch. 860, §1(a), 31 Stat. 1438; Aug. 7, 1986, Pub. L. 99–376, §1(1), (2), 100 Stat. 804.

This section is substituted for the source provisions for consistency in the revised title and to eliminate executed and unnecessary words.

§ 80102. Purposes

The corporation shall be organized and operated exclusively for charitable and educational purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (26 U.S.C. 501(c)(3)) and shall comply with the requirements for classification as an exempt organization under section 501(c)(3). The charitable purposes of the corporation shall be achieved through volunteer efforts by the members of the corporation, including arts programs, conservation programs, educational programs, homelife programs, international affairs, public affairs programs advancing information about public affairs, and community improvement programs.

(Pub. L. 105–225, Aug. 12, 1998, 112 Stat. 1360.)

HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

Revised Section	*Source (U.S. Code)*	*Source (Statutes at Large)*
80102	36:3501(b).	Mar. 3, 1901, ch. 860, §1(b), as added Aug. 7, 1986, Pub. L. 99–376, §1(3), 100 Stat. 804.

§ 80103. Constitution and bylaws

The corporation shall have a constitution and may adopt bylaws for the admission and qualifications of members, the management of its property, and the regulation of its affairs. The corporation may amend its constitution and bylaws.

(Pub. L. 105–225, Aug. 12, 1998, 112 Stat. 1360.)

HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

Revised Section	*Source (U.S. Code)*	*Source (Statutes at Large)*
80103	36:3503 (1st sentence).	Mar. 3, 1901, ch. 860, §3 (1st sentence), 31 Stat. 1439.

The words ''at pleasure'' are omitted as unnecessary.

§ 80104. Property

The corporation may—

(1) acquire, own, lease, encumber, and transfer property as necessary to carry out the purposes of the corporation; and

(2) issue instruments of indebtedness in relation to its real property.

(Pub. L. 105–225, Aug. 12, 1998, 112 Stat. 1360.)

HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

Revised Section	*Source (U.S. Code)*	*Source (Statutes at Large)*
80104	36:3502.	Mar. 3, 1901, ch. 860, §2, 31 Stat. 1439; Apr. 6, 1922, ch. 121, 42 Stat. 490; June 7, 1934, ch. 425, 48 Stat. 925; Dec. 15, 1975, Pub. L. 94–151, §1, 89 Stat. 809.

Clause (1) is substituted for ''acquire, by devise, bequest, or otherwise, hold, purchase, and convey such real and personal estate as shall or may be required for the purpose of its incorporation with authority in said corporation, should it be by it deemed necessary so to do, to mortgage or otherwise encumber the real estate which it may hereafter own or acquire'' for consistency in the revised title and to eliminate unnecessary words.