sible management of a local nonprofit support organization for support of a national park unit;

(2) standard and legally tenable bylaws and recommended money-handling procedures that can easily be adapted as applied to individual national park units; and

(3) a standard training curriculum to orient and expand the operating expertise of personnel employed by local nonprofit support organizations.

(e) Annual report

The Foundation shall report the progress of the program under subsection (a) of this section in the annual report of the Foundation.

(f) Affiliations

(1) Charter or corporate bylaws

Nothing in this section requires—

(A) a nonprofit support organization or friends group to modify current practices or to affiliate with the Foundation; or

(B) a local nonprofit support organization, established as a result of this section, to be bound through its charter or corporate bylaws to be permanently affiliated with the Foundation.

(2) Establishment

An affiliation with the Foundation shall be established only at the discretion of the governing board of a nonprofit organization.

(Pub. L. 90–209, § 11, as added Pub. L. 105–391, title VII, § 701, Nov. 13, 1998, 112 Stat. 3520.)

SUBCHAPTER III–A—NATIONAL PARK SYSTEM VISITOR FACILITY

§§ 19aa to 19gg. Omitted

CODIFICATION

Sections 19aa to 19gg were omitted pursuant to section 19gg which provided that all authorities contained in this subchapter expired Sept. 30, 1989.

Section 19aa, Pub. L. 97–433, § 2, Jan. 8, 1983, 96 Stat. 2277, defined terms for purposes of this subchapter.

Section 19bb, Pub. L. 97–433, § 3, Jan. 8, 1983, 96 Stat. 2277, established in United States Treasury the National Park System Visitor Facilities Fund and provided for funds to be credited to that Fund.

Section 19cc, Pub. L. 97–433, § 4, Jan. 8, 1983, 96 Stat. 2277, authorized appropriations to be made available to National Park Foundation to carry out its functions under this subchapter.

Section 19dd, Pub. L. 97–433, § 5, Jan. 8, 1983, 96 Stat. 2278, related to administration of Fund projects and required Foundation to include in its annual report a description of projects undertaken and accomplishments made under this subchapter.

Section 19ee, Pub. L. 97–433, § 6, Jan. 8, 1983, 96 Stat. 2278, related to authority of National Park Foundation.

Section 19ff, Pub. L. 97–433, § 7, Jan. 8, 1983, 96 Stat. 2279, provided that nothing in this subchapter affect responsibilities of Secretary of the Interior under other provisions of law.

Section 19gg, Pub. L. 97–433, § 8, Jan. 8, 1983, 96 Stat. 2279, provided that authorities contained in this subchapter expire Sept. 30, 1989, and that any moneys credited to Fund not appropriated, expended, or obligated be transferred to miscellaneous receipts of the Treasury.

SHORT TITLE

Section 1 of Pub. L. 97–433 provided that this subchapter be cited as the ''National Park System Visitor Facilities Fund Act''.

SUBCHAPTER III–B—PARK SYSTEM RESOURCE PROTECTION

§ 19jj. Definitions

As used in this subchapter the term:

(a) ''Attorney General'' means the Attorney General of the United States.

(b) ''Damages'' includes the following:

(1) Compensation for—

(A)(i) the cost of replacing, restoring, or acquiring the equivalent of a park system resource; and

(ii) the value of any significant loss of use of a park system resource pending its restoration or replacement or the acquisition of an equivalent resource; or

(B) the value of the park system resource in the event the resource cannot be replaced or restored.

(2) The cost of damage assessments under section 19jj–2(b) of this title.

(c) ''Response costs'' means the costs of actions taken by the Secretary of the Interior to prevent or minimize destruction or loss of or injury to park system resources; or to abate or minimize the imminent risk of such destruction, loss, or injury; or to monitor ongoing effects of incidents causing such destruction, loss, or injury.

(d) ''Park system resource'' means any living or non-living resource that is located within the boundaries of a unit of the National Park System, except for resources owned by a non-Federal entity.

(e) ''Regimen'' means a water column and submerged lands, up to the high-tide or high-water line.

(f) ''Secretary'' means the Secretary of the Interior.

(g) ''Marine or aquatic park system resource'' means any living or non-living part of a marine or aquatic regimen within or is a living part of a marine or aquatic regimen within the boundaries of a unit of the National Park System, except for resources owned by a non-Federal entity.

(Pub. L. 101–337, § 1, July 27, 1990, 104 Stat. 379; Pub. L. 104–333, div. I, title VIII, § 814(h)(1), (2), Nov. 12, 1996, 110 Stat. 4199.)

AMENDMENTS

1996—Subsec. (d). Pub. L. 104–333, § 804(h)(1), amended subsec. (d) generally. Prior to amendment, subsec. (d) read as follows: '' 'Park system resource' means any living or nonliving resource that is located within or is a living part of a marine regimen or a Great Lakes aquatic regimen (including an aquatic regimen within Voyageurs National Park) within the boundaries of a unit of the National Park System, except for resources owned by a non-Federal entity.''

Subsec. (g). Pub. L. 104–333, § 814(h)(2), added subsec. (g).

§ 19jj–1. Liability

(a) In general

Subject to subsection (c) of this section, any person who destroys, causes the loss of, or injures any park system resource is liable to the United States for response costs and damages resulting from such destruction, loss, or injury.