

investigation under E.O. 10450 is required to notify OPM when the investigation is initiated.

(b) In accordance with section 14(c) of E.O. 10450, agencies shall report to OPM the action taken with respect to individuals investigated pursuant to E.O. 10450 as soon as possible and in no event later than 90 days after receipt of the final report of investigation.

Subpart D—Security and Related Determinations

§ 732.401 Reemployment eligibility of certain former Federal employees.

(a) *Request.* A former employee who was terminated, or who resigned while charges were pending, from a department or agency of the Government under a statute or executive order authorizing termination in the interest of national security or on grounds relating to loyalty, and authorizing OPM to determine the eligibility for employment in another department or agency of the Government, may request OPM in writing to determine whether the individual is eligible for employment in another department or agency of the Government.

(b) *Action by OPM.* (1) OPM shall determine, and will notify the former employee, after appropriate consideration of the case, including such investigation as it considers necessary, whether the individual may be employed in another department or agency of the Government.

(2) If a former Federal employee found ineligible under this section has had an opportunity to comment on the reasons for the action, or has furnished them to OPM or to the former employing agency, OPM may cancel the reinstatement eligibility if the eligibility resulted from the last Federal employment and was obtained through fraud, and OPM may prescribe a period of debarment not to exceed 3 years.

PART 733—POLITICAL ACTIVITY— FEDERAL EMPLOYEES RESIDING IN DESIGNATED LOCALITIES

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§ 733.101 Definitions.

In this part:

Employee means:

Any individual (other than the President, the Vice President, or a member of the uniformed services) employed or holding office in—

(1) An Executive agency other than the General Accounting Office;

(2) A position within the competitive service which is not in an Executive agency;

(3) The government of the District of Columbia, other than the Mayor or a member of the City Council or the Recorder of Deeds; or

(4) The United States Postal Service or the Postal Rate Commission.

Partisan political office means any office for which any candidate is nominated or elected as representing a party any of whose candidates for Presidential elector received votes in the last preceding election at which Presidential electors were selected, but does not include any office or position within a political party or affiliated organization.

Political contribution means any gift, subscription, loan, advance, or deposit of money or anything of value, made for any political purpose. A political contribution includes:

(1) Any contract, promise, or agreement, express or implied, whether or not legally enforceable, to make a contribution for any political purpose;

(2) Any payment by any person, other than a candidate or a political party or affiliated organization, of compensation for the personal services of another person which are rendered to any candidate or political party or affiliated organization without charge for any political purpose; and

(3) The provision of personal services for any political purpose.

§ 733.102 Political activities permitted—employees residing in designated localities.

(a) Employees who reside in a municipality or political subdivision designated by OPM under paragraph (d) of this section may:

(1) Run as independent candidates for election to partisan political office in elections for local offices of the municipality or political subdivision; and

(2) Accept or receive political contributions in connection with the local elections of the municipality or political subdivision.

(b) Employees may not solicit political contributions from the general public.

(c) Candidacy for, and service in, a partisan political office shall not result in neglect of, or interference with, the performance of the duties of the employee or create a conflict, or apparent conflict, of interest.

(d) OPM may designate a municipality or political subdivision in Maryland or Virginia in the immediate vicinity of the District of Columbia, or a municipality in which the majority of voters are employed by the Government of the United States, when OPM determines that, because of special or unusual circumstances, it is in the domestic interest of employees to participate in local elections. Information as to the documentation required to support a request for designation is furnished by the General Counsel of OPM on request. The following municipalities and political subdivisions have been designated, effective on the day specified:

IN MARYLAND

Annapolis (May 16, 1941).
 Anne Arundel County (March 14, 1973).
 Berwyn Heights (June 15, 1944).
 Bethesda (Feb. 17, 1943).
 Bladensburg (Apr. 20, 1942).
 Bowie (Apr. 11, 1952).
 Brentwood (Sept. 26, 1940).
 Calvert County (June 18, 1992).
 Capitol Heights (Nov. 12, 1940).
 Cheverly (Dec. 18, 1940).
 Chevy Chase, Martin's Additions 1, 2, 3, and 4 (Feb. 13, 1941).
 Chevy Chase, section 1 and 2 (Mar. 4, 1941).
 Chevy Chase, section 3 (Oct. 8, 1940).
 Chevy Chase, section 4 (Oct. 2, 1940).
 Chevy Chase View (Feb. 26, 1941).
 College Park (June 13, 1945).

Cottage City (Jan. 15, 1941).
 District Heights (Nov. 2, 1940).
 Edmonston (Oct. 24, 1940).
 Fairmont Heights (Oct. 24, 1940).
 Forest Heights (Apr. 22, 1949).
 Frederick County (May 31, 1991).
 Garrett Park (Oct. 2, 1940).
 Glenarden (May 21, 1941).
 Glen Echo (Oct. 22, 1940).
 Greenbelt (Oct. 4, 1940).
 Howard County (Apr. 25, 1974).
 Hyattsville (Sept. 20, 1940).
 Kensington (Nov. 8, 1940).
 Landover Hills (May 5, 1945).
 Montgomery County (Apr. 30, 1964).
 Morningside (May 19, 1949).
 Mount Rainier (Nov. 22, 1940).
 New Carrollton (July 7, 1981).
 North Beach (Sept. 20, 1940).
 North Brentwood (May 6, 1941).
 North Chevy Chase (July 22, 1942).
 Northwest Park (Feb. 17, 1943).
 Prince Georges County (June 19, 1962).
 Riverdale (Sept. 26, 1940).
 Rockville (Apr. 15, 1948).
 Seat Pleasant (Aug. 31, 1942).
 Somerset (Nov. 22, 1940).
 Takoma Park (Oct. 22, 1940).
 University Park (Jan. 18, 1941).
 Washington Grove (Apr. 5, 1941).

IN VIRGINIA

Alexandria (Apr. 15, 1941).
 Arlington County (Sept. 9, 1940).
 Clifton (July 14, 1941).
 Fairfax, Town of (Feb. 9, 1954).
 Fairfax County (Nov. 10, 1949).
 Falls Church (June 6, 1941).
 Herndon (Apr. 7, 1945).
 Loudoun County (Oct. 1, 1971).
 Manassas (Jan. 8, 1980).
 Manassas Park (Mar. 4, 1980).
 Portsmouth (Feb. 27, 1958).
 Prince William County (Feb. 14, 1967).
 Stafford County (Nov. 2, 1979).
 Vienna (Mar. 18, 1946).

OTHER MUNICIPALITIES

Anchorage, Alaska (Dec. 29, 1947).
 Benicia, Calif. (Feb. 20, 1948).
 Bremerton, Wash. (Feb. 27, 1946).
 Centerville, Ga. (Sept. 16, 1971).
 Crane, Ind. (Aug. 3, 1967).
 District of Columbia (July 5, 1977).
 Elmer City, Wash. (Oct. 28, 1947).
 Huachuca City, Ariz. (Apr. 9, 1959).
 New Johnsonville, Tenn. (Apr. 26, 1956).
 Norris, Tenn. (May 6, 1959).
 Port Orchard, Wash. (Feb. 27, 1946).
 Sierra Vista, Ariz. (Oct. 5, 1955).
 Warner Robins, Ga. (Mar. 19, 1948).

§ 733.103 Exclusion of employees in certain agencies and offices.

Employees in the following agencies or offices (except employees appointed

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by the President, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate) specifically are excluded from coverage under the provisions of part 733:

- (a) Federal Election Commission;
- (b) Federal Bureau of Investigation;
- (c) Secret Service;
- (d) Central Intelligence Agency;
- (e) National Security Council;
- (f) National Security Agency;
- (g) Defense Intelligence Agency;
- (h) Merit Systems Protection Board;
- (i) Office of Special Counsel;
- (j) Office of Criminal Investigation of the Internal Revenue Service;
- (k) Office of Investigative Programs of the United States Customs Service;
- (l) Office of Law Enforcement of the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms;
- (m) Criminal Division of the Department of Justice;
- (n) Career appointees in the Senior Executive Service;
- (o) Administrative law judges; and
- (p) Contract appeals board members described in 5 U.S.C. 5372a.

PART 734—POLITICAL ACTIVITIES OF FEDERAL EMPLOYEES

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