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Authority of officers of Congress over Congressional employees</b></p> <p><b>(a) Qualifications determinations; removal and discipline</b></p> <p>Each officer of the Congress having responsibility for the supervision of employees, including employees appointed upon recommendation of Members of Congress, shall have authority—</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">(1) to determine, before the appointment of any individual as an employee under the supervision of that officer of the Congress, whether that individual possesses the qualifications necessary for the satisfactory performance of the duties and responsibilities to be assigned to him; and</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">(2) to remove or otherwise discipline any employee under his supervision.</p> <p><b>(b) "Officer of the Congress" defined</b></p> <p>As used in this section, the term "officer of the Congress" means—</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">(1) an elected officer of the Senate or House of Representatives who is not a Member of the Senate or House; and</p> |
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## (2) The Architect of the Capitol.

(Pub. L. 91-510, title IV, §431, Oct. 26, 1970, 84 Stat. 1190.)

## EFFECTIVE DATE

Section effective immediately prior to noon on Jan. 3, 1971, see section 601(1) of Pub. L. 91-510, set out as an Effective Date of 1970 Amendment note under section 72a of this title.

REDUCTION IN NUMBER OF EMPLOYEE POSITIONS;  
REPORTS

Pub. L. 103-69, title III, §307, Aug. 11, 1993, 107 Stat. 710, as amended by Pub. L. 103-283, title III, §305, July 22, 1994, 108 Stat. 1441, provided that:

“(a) The number of employee positions, on a full-time equivalent basis, for each covered entity shall be reduced by at least 4 percent from the level, other than those supported by gift and trust funds, as of September 30, 1992, or, with the approval of the Committee on Appropriations of the House of Representatives and the Committee on Appropriations of the Senate, as of a later date, but not later than September 30, 1993.

“(b) The reduction required by subsection (a) shall be completed not later than September 30, 1995, with at least 62.5 percent of the reduction for each covered entity to be achieved by September 30, 1994.

“(c) The Comptroller General shall carry out compliance reporting under this section.

“(d) As used in this section—

“(1) the term ‘covered entity’ means an entity of the legislative branch with more than 100 employee positions, on a full-time equivalent basis, as of September 30, 1992; and

“(2) the term ‘entity of the legislative branch’ means the House of Representatives, the Senate, the Office of the Architect of the Capitol (including the Botanic Garden), the Capitol Police, the Congressional Budget Office, the Copyright Royalty Tribunal, the General Accounting Office, the Government Printing Office, the Library of Congress, and the Office of Technology Assessment.”

## CROSS REFERENCES

Performance of duties by employees of House, see section 85 of this title.

## SECTION REFERRED TO IN OTHER SECTIONS

This section is referred to in title 40 section 212a-2.

**§ 60-2. Amendment to Senate conflict of interest rule**

(a) Except as provided by subsection (b) of this section, any employee of the Senate who is required to file a report pursuant to Senate rules shall refrain from participating personally and substantially as an employee of the Senate in any contact with any agency of the executive or judicial branch of Government with respect to non-legislative matters affecting any non-governmental person in which the employee has a significant financial interest.

(b) Subsection (a) of this section shall not apply if an employee first advises his supervisor of his significant financial interest and obtains from such supervisor a written waiver stating that the participation of the employee is necessary. A copy of each such waiver shall be filed with the Select Committee.

(Pub. L. 101-194, title IX, §903, Nov. 30, 1989, 103 Stat. 1781.)

**§ 60a. Omitted**

## CODIFICATION

Present provisions relating to personnel and compensation of Congressional officers and employees may

be found elsewhere in this chapter and in Acts and Resolutions cited in notes hereunder. Section was based on the following acts:

- 1949—Jan. 19, 1949, ch. 2, §1(d), (f), 63 Stat. 4.  
May 24, 1949, ch. 138, title I, 63 Stat. 76.  
Oct. 10, 1949, ch. 662, title I, 63 Stat. 738.  
Oct. 14, 1949, ch. 694, title I, 63 Stat. 869.
- 1948—June 14, 1948, ch. 467, §§101, 105, 62 Stat. 423, 437.  
June 25, 1948, ch. 658, title I, 62 Stat. 1027.
- 1947—Jan. 31, 1947, ch. 1, 61 Stat. 1.  
Feb. 19, 1947, ch. 3, 61 Stat. 4.  
July 17, 1947, ch. 262, §§101, 105, 61 Stat. 361, 377.  
July 30, 1947, ch. 361, 61 Stat. 610.  
July 31, 1947, ch. 414, 61 Stat. 695.
- 1946—July 1, 1946, ch. 530, §§101, 105, 60 Stat. 387, 407.  
July 23, 1946, ch. 591, title I, 60 Stat. 600.  
Aug. 2, 1946, ch. 753, title II, §201(a), 60 Stat. 834.  
Aug. 8, 1946, ch. 870, title I, 60 Stat. 910.
- 1945—Apr. 25, 1945, ch. 95, title I, 59 Stat. 77.  
June 13, 1945, ch. 189, §§101, 105, 59 Stat. 238, 259.  
July 5, 1945, ch. 271, title I, 59 Stat. 412.  
Dec. 28, 1945, ch. 589, title I, 59 Stat. 632.
- 1944—June 26, 1944, ch. 277, title I, §§101, 104, 58 Stat. 334, 354.  
June 28, 1944, ch. 304, title I, 58 Stat. 597.  
Dec. 22, 1944, ch. 660, title I, 58 Stat. 853.
- 1943—June 28, 1943, ch. 173, title I, §§101, 104, 57 Stat. 220, 239.
- 1942—June 8, 1942, ch. 396, §§1, 4, 56 Stat. 330, 349.
- 1941—Mar. 1, 1941, ch. 9, 55 Stat. 14.  
July 1, 1941, ch. 268, §§1, 4, 55 Stat. 446, 465.
- 1940—June 18, 1940, ch. 396, §§1, 4, 54 Stat. 462, 480.  
Oct. 9, 1940, ch. 780, title I, 54 Stat. 1030.
- 1939—June 16, 1939, ch. 208, §§1, 4, 53 Stat. 822, 839.  
July 25, 1939, ch. 352, §2, 53 Stat. 1080.
- 1938—May 17, 1938, ch. 236, §§1, 4, 52 Stat. 381, 398.  
June 25, 1938, ch. 681, 52 Stat. 1114.
- 1937—May 18, 1937, ch. 223, 50 Stat. 169.
- 1934—May 30, 1934, ch. 372, 48 Stat. 817.
- 1933—Feb. 28, 1933, ch. 134, 47 Stat. 1350.
- 1929—June 20, 1929, ch. 33, 46 Stat. 32.

In addition to these acts the following House Resolutions affected the salary of certain employees and were made permanent law by section 105 of act July 17, 1947, ch. 262, 61 Stat. 377: House Resolutions 628, 691, and 693 of the Seventy-ninth Congress and House Resolutions 42, 54, 74, 78, 96, 113, and 183 [which related to Office of Coordinator of Information of the House and which was repealed by Pub. L. 91-510, title III, §322, Oct. 26, 1970, 84 Stat. 1185] of the Eightieth Congress. House Resolutions 281 and 336 of the Eightieth Congress were made permanent law by act June 14, 1948, ch. 467, §105, 62 Stat. 437. House Resolutions No. 653 of the Eightieth Congress, and 6, 39, 45, 62, 84, 103, 172, and 188 of the 81st Congress were made permanent law by act June 22, 1949, ch. 235, §105, 63 Stat. 230.

## LEGISLATIVE BRANCH APPROPRIATION ACTS

The following acts have provided for funds for the operation of Congress:

- July 22, 1994, Pub. L. 103-283, title I, 108 Stat. 1423.  
Aug. 11, 1993, Pub. L. 103-69, title I, 107 Stat. 692.  
Oct. 6, 1992, Pub. L. 102-392, title I, 106 Stat. 1703.  
Aug. 14, 1991, Pub. L. 102-90, title I, 105 Stat. 447.  
Nov. 5, 1990, Pub. L. 101-520, title I, 104 Stat. 2254.  
Nov. 21, 1989, Pub. L. 101-163, title I, 103 Stat. 1041.  
Oct. 1, 1988, Pub. L. 100-458, title I, 102 Stat. 2158.  
Dec. 22, 1987, Pub. L. 100-202, §101(i) [title I], 101 Stat. 1329-290.  
Oct. 18, 1986, Pub. L. 99-500, §101(j), 100 Stat. 1783-287, and Oct. 30, 1986, Pub. L. 99-591, §101(j), 100 Stat. 3341-287.  
Nov. 13, 1985, Pub. L. 99-151, title I, 99 Stat. 792.  
July 17, 1984, Pub. L. 98-367, title I, 98 Stat. 472.  
July 14, 1983, Pub. L. 98-51, title I, 97 Stat. 263.  
Oct. 2, 1982, Pub. L. 97-276, §101(e), 96 Stat. 1189.  
Oct. 1, 1981, Pub. L. 97-51, §101(c), 95 Stat. 959.  
Dec. 16, 1980, Pub. L. 96-536, §101(c), (d), 94 Stat. 3167.  
Oct. 1, 1980, Pub. L. 96-369, §101(c), (d), 94 Stat. 1352, 1353.