

CODIFICATION

Section is from the Congressional Operations Appropriations Act, 1993, which is title I of the Legislative Branch Appropriations Act, 1993.

ADDITIONAL CAPITALIZATION

Pub. L. 103-283, title I, §1, July 22, 1994, 108 Stat. 1426, provided that: "Effective on and after the date of enactment of this Act [July 22, 1994], the Secretary of the Senate, subject to the approval of the Committee on Appropriations of the Senate, is authorized to transfer up to \$300,000 from any Senate appropriations account with respect to which the Secretary has disbursing authority to the revolving fund established under section 2(c) under the subheading 'ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS' under the heading 'SENATE' in Public Law 102-392 (2 U.S.C. 121d(c)) to provide additional capitalization for such revolving fund. Any moneys so transferred shall be available for use in the same manner and to the same extent as the moneys otherwise in such revolving fund."

§ 121e. Payment of fees for services of Attending Physician and for use of Senate health and fitness facilities

(a) Regulations

The Senate Committee on Rules and Administration shall promulgate regulations—

- (1) pertaining to the services provided by the Attending Physician and the operation and use of the Senate health and fitness facilities; and
- (2) requiring the payment of fees for services received from the Attending Physician and for the use of the Senate health and fitness facilities pursuant to such regulations.

(b) Withholding of fees from salary

The Secretary of the Senate is authorized to withhold fees from the salary of an individual authorized by such regulations to receive such services from the Attending Physician and to use the Senate health and fitness facilities.

(c) Deposit in General Fund

The Secretary of the Senate shall remit all fees required by subsection (a)(2) of this section that are collected pursuant to subsection (b) of this section or by direct payment to the General Fund of the Treasury as miscellaneous receipts unless otherwise provided by law.

(d) Effective date

The provision¹ of this section shall take effect on April 9, 1992.

(Pub. L. 102-392, title III, §314, Oct. 6, 1992, 106 Stat. 1723.)

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Section is from the Legislative Branch Appropriations Act, 1993.

§ 122. Repealed. Pub. L. 95-391, title I, § 111, Sept. 30, 1978, 92 Stat. 777

Section, acts July 2, 1954, ch. 455, title I, 68 Stat. 403; Sept. 7, 1957, Pub. L. 85-301, §1, 71 Stat. 622; Sept. 29, 1965, Pub. L. 89-211, §1(a), 79 Stat. 857, provided for office space in the home districts of House Members and the Resident Commissioner from Puerto Rico. See section 122b et seq. of this title.

The repeal of this section is based on section 6(b) of House Resolution No. 687, Ninety-fifth Congress, Sept.

20, 1977, which was enacted into permanent law by Pub. L. 95-391.

Similar provisions were contained in the following prior appropriation acts:

- Aug. 1, 1953, ch. 304, title I, 67 Stat. 325.
- July 9, 1952, ch. 598, 66 Stat. 470.

EFFECTIVE DATE OF REPEAL

Section 6(b) of House Resolution No. 687, Ninety-fifth Congress, Sept. 20, 1977, provided that the repeal of this section is applicable beginning on Jan. 3, 1978, upon the enactment of House Resolution No. 687 as permanent law, which was effected by Pub. L. 95-391, §111.

§ 122a. Reimbursement of House Members for office expenses outside District of Columbia

The Clerk of the House is authorized and directed to reimburse each Member, and the Resident Commissioner from Puerto Rico, from the contingent fund in an amount not to exceed \$300 quarterly, upon certification of each such Member and Resident Commissioner for official expenses incurred outside the District of Columbia.

(July 2, 1954, ch. 455, title I, 68 Stat. 403; June 13, 1957, Pub. L. 85-54, 71 Stat. 82; July 27, 1965, Pub. L. 89-90, §103, 79 Stat. 281.)

CODIFICATION

Section is from the Legislative Appropriation Act, 1955.

Section 103 of act Aug. 5, 1955, provided that the provisions therein for the various items of official expenses of Members should be the permanent law with respect thereto.

AMENDMENTS

1965—An additional quarterly allowance of \$150, effective January 1, 1965, was authorized by House Resolution No. 831, Eighty-eighth Congress which was enacted into permanent law by Pub. L. 89-90.

1957—Pub. L. 85-54 broadened authorization for reimbursement of a Member's office expenses, formerly restricted to expenses incurred in his Congressional district, to expenses incurred outside the District of Columbia.

TRANSFER OF FUNCTIONS

Certain functions of Clerk of House of Representatives transferred to Director of Non-legislative and Financial Services by section 7 of House Resolution No. 423, One Hundred Second Congress, Apr. 9, 1992. Director of Non-legislative and Financial Services replaced by Chief Administrative Officer of House of Representatives by House Resolution No. 6, One Hundred Fourth Congress, Jan. 4, 1995.

PRIOR PROVISIONS

Provisions similar to those in this section were contained in the Legislative Appropriation Act, 1956, act Aug. 5, 1955, ch. 568, 69 Stat. 513.

"MEMBER" DEFINED

Section 101 of act July 2, 1954, in fixing amounts for salaries, mileage, and expenses of Members of the House of Representatives provided in part that "whenever used herein the term 'Member' shall include Members of the House of Representatives, Delegates from the Territories, and the Resident Commissioner from Puerto Rico".

REIMBURSEMENT OF EXPENSES OF HOUSE MEMBERS; MEMBER OF HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND MEMBER DEFINED

Section 302(a), (b), and (d) of House Resolution No. 287, Ninety-fifth Congress, Mar. 2, 1977, enacted into

¹ So in original. Probably should be "provisions".

permanent law by Pub. L. 95-94, title I, §115, Aug. 5, 1977, 91 Stat. 668, provided that:

“(a) Notwithstanding any other provision of law and until otherwise provided by law—

“(1) effective January 3, 1977, each Member of the House of Representatives shall be entitled to reimbursement under the nineteenth paragraph under the subheading ‘CONTINGENT EXPENSES OF THE HOUSE’ under the heading ‘HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES’ in the Legislative Appropriation Act, 1955 (2 U.S.C. 122a), or under chapter 4, section 401, of the Supplemental Appropriations Act, 1972 (2 U.S.C. 56), for any official expense incurred in the United States; and

“(2) the Clerk of the House may make disbursements under the paragraph referred to in paragraph (1) by (A) direct payment to the person from whom goods or services are obtained by the Member involved under such paragraph; or (B) reimbursement to the Member involved or person designated by the Member.

“(b) Effective January 3, 1978, notwithstanding any other provision of law and until otherwise provided by law, and conditional upon the adoption of a House rule prohibiting Members of the House of Representatives from maintaining unofficial office accounts, the entitlement of each Member of the House of Representatives under the nineteenth paragraph under the subheading ‘CONTINGENT EXPENSES OF THE HOUSE’ under the heading ‘HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES’ in the Legislative Appropriation Act, 1955 (2 U.S.C. 122a), or under chapter 4, section 401, of the Supplemental Appropriation Act, 1972 (2 U.S.C. 56), shall not exceed \$7,000 annually.

“(d) For purposes of this section, the terms ‘Member of the House of Representatives’ and ‘Member’ mean each Representative in, or Delegate or Resident Commissioner to, the House of Representatives.”

Section 302(a), (b), and (d) of House Resolution No. 287 is also set out as a note under section 56 of this title. Section 302(c) of such resolution is set out as a note under section 41 of this title.

CROSS REFERENCES

Adjustment of allowances by Committee on House Administration, see section 57 of this title.

§ 122b. Leasing of office space in home districts of House Members

Effective January 3, 1978, and until otherwise provided by law, the Clerk of the House may disburse funds from the contingent fund of the House on behalf of each Member of the House of Representatives, in accordance with the provisions of sections 122b to 122g of this title, to defray the cost of leasing suitable office space for use by such Member in the district from which he is elected or in any location which is in close proximity to such district.

(Pub. L. 95-391, title I, §111, Sept. 30, 1978, 92 Stat. 777.)

CODIFICATION

Section is based on section 1 of House Resolution No. 687, Ninety-fifth Congress, Sept. 20, 1977, which was enacted into permanent law by Pub. L. 95-391.

TRANSFER OF FUNCTIONS

Certain functions of Clerk of House of Representatives transferred to Director of Non-legislative and Financial Services by section 7 of House Resolution No. 423, One Hundred Second Congress, Apr. 9, 1992. Director of Non-legislative and Financial Services replaced by Chief Administrative Officer of House of Representatives by House Resolution No. 6, One Hundred Fourth Congress, Jan. 4, 1995.

SECTION REFERRED TO IN OTHER SECTIONS

This section is referred to in sections 122c, 122d, 122e, 122f, 122g of this title.

§ 122c. Determination of disburseable annual amount

The annual amount which may be disbursed on behalf of each Member under sections 122b to 122g of this title shall be an amount equal to the product of two thousand five hundred square feet multiplied by the maximum applicable annual rate per square foot in the region encompassing the congressional district from which such Member is elected or in which the Member maintains a district office, as determined by the Administrator of General Services under section 490(j) of title 40.

(Pub. L. 95-391, title I, §111, Sept. 30, 1978, 92 Stat. 777.)

CODIFICATION

Section is based on section 2 of House Resolution No. 687, Ninety-fifth Congress, Sept. 20, 1977, which was enacted into permanent law by Pub. L. 95-391.

SECTION REFERRED TO IN OTHER SECTIONS

This section is referred to in sections 122b, 122d, 122e, 122f, 122g of this title.

§ 122d. Authorization by Committee on House Administration

Each Member who desires the Clerk to disburse funds under sections 122b to 122g of this title in connection with office space leased by such Member shall submit to the Committee on House Administration two copies of each lease agreement involved. If the committee determines that such lease agreement conforms with any requirements established by the committee by regulation, the committee shall authorize the Clerk to make disbursements on behalf of such Member.

(Pub. L. 95-391, title I, §111, Sept. 30, 1978, 92 Stat. 777.)

CODIFICATION

Section is based on section 3 of House Resolution No. 687, Ninety-fifth Congress, Sept. 20, 1977, which was enacted into permanent law by Pub. L. 95-391.

CHANGE OF NAME

Committee on House Administration of House of Representatives treated as referring to Committee on House Oversight of House of Representatives by section 1(a) of Pub. L. 104-14, set out as a note preceding section 21 of this title.

TRANSFER OF FUNCTIONS

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SECTION REFERRED TO IN OTHER SECTIONS

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§ 122e. Office equipment, carpeting, and draperies

The Administrator of General Services shall, in accordance with regulations prescribed by the