

REFERENCES IN TEXT

Section 1651 of the Food, Agriculture, Conservation, and Trade Act of 1990, referred to in subsec. (a)(1), was classified to section 5882 of this title prior to repeal by Pub. L. 104-127, title VIII, §862(a), Apr. 4, 1996, 110 Stat. 1174.

**§ 136x. Severability**

If any provision of this subchapter or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of this subchapter which can be given effect without regard to the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this subchapter are severable.

(June 25, 1947, ch. 125, §33, formerly §26, as added Oct. 21, 1972, Pub. L. 92-516, §2, 86 Stat. 998; renumbered §30, Sept. 30, 1978, Pub. L. 95-396, §24(1), 92 Stat. 836; renumbered §33, Aug. 3, 1996, Pub. L. 104-170, title I, §121(1), 110 Stat. 1492.)

EFFECTIVE DATE

For effective date of section, see section 4 of Pub. L. 92-516, set out as a note under section 136 of this title.

**§ 136y. Authorization of appropriations**

There is authorized to be appropriated to carry out this subchapter (other than section 136u(a) of this title)—

- (1) \$83,000,000 for fiscal year 1989, of which not more than \$13,735,500 shall be available for research under this subchapter;
- (2) \$95,000,000 for fiscal year 1990, of which not more than \$14,343,600 shall be available for research under this subchapter; and
- (3) \$95,000,000 for fiscal year 1991, of which not more than \$14,978,200 shall be available for research under this subchapter.

(June 25, 1947, ch. 125, §34, formerly §27, as added Oct. 21, 1972, Pub. L. 92-516, §2, 86 Stat. 998; amended July 2, 1975, Pub. L. 94-51, 89 Stat. 257; Oct. 10, 1975, Pub. L. 94-109, 89 Stat. 571; Nov. 28, 1975, Pub. L. 94-140, §3, 89 Stat. 752; renumbered §31 and amended Sept. 30, 1978, Pub. L. 95-396, §§24(1), 25, 92 Stat. 836, 838; Dec. 17, 1980, Pub. L. 96-539, §3, 94 Stat. 3195; Dec. 2, 1983, Pub. L. 98-201, §2, 97 Stat. 1380; Dec. 23, 1985, Pub. L. 99-198, title XVII, §1768, 99 Stat. 1656; Oct. 25, 1988, Pub. L. 100-532, title VII, §701, 102 Stat. 2679; renumbered §34, Aug. 3, 1996, Pub. L. 104-170, title I, §121(1), 110 Stat. 1492.)

CODIFICATION

Another section 1768 of Pub. L. 99-198 enacted sections 154a and 159 and amended sections 151, 154, and 157 of Title 21, Food and Drugs.

AMENDMENTS

1988—Pub. L. 100-532 amended section generally. Prior to amendment, section read as follows: "There is authorized to be appropriated to carry out this subchapter for the period beginning October 1, 1985, and ending September 30, 1986, \$68,604,200 of which not more than \$11,993,100 shall be available for research under this subchapter."

1985—Pub. L. 99-198 substituted provisions authorizing appropriations of \$68,604,200 for fiscal year 1986 of which not more than \$11,993,100 shall be available for research for former provisions which had authorized appropriations for fiscal years 1973 through 1984.

1983—Pub. L. 98-201 authorized necessary appropriations for period beginning Oct. 1, 1983, and ending Sept. 30, 1984, not in excess of \$64,200,000.

1980—Pub. L. 96-539 inserted provisions authorizing appropriations for period beginning Oct. 1, 1979, and ending Sept. 30, 1980, and for period beginning Oct. 1, 1980, and ending Sept. 30, 1981.

1978—Pub. L. 95-396, §25, substituted appropriations authorization of \$46,636,000 for period beginning Oct. 1, 1976, and ending Sept. 30, 1977, for prior authorization of \$23,600,000 for period beginning Oct. 1, 1976, and ending Mar. 31, 1977, and authorized appropriations of \$54,500,000 for period beginning Oct. 1, 1977, and ending Sept. 30, 1978, and such sums as may be necessary, limited to \$70,000,000, for period beginning Oct. 1, 1978, and ending Sept. 30, 1979.

1975—Pub. L. 94-140 authorized appropriation of \$47,868,000 to carry out provisions of this subchapter for period beginning Oct. 1, 1975, and ending Sept. 30, 1976, and \$23,600,000 for period beginning Oct. 1, 1976, and ending Mar. 31, 1977.

Pub. L. 94-109 inserted provisions authorizing appropriation of \$5,983,500 for period beginning Oct. 1, 1975 and ending Nov. 15, 1975.

Pub. L. 94-51 authorized appropriation of \$11,967,000 to carry out provisions of this subchapter for period beginning July 1, 1975, and ending Sept. 30, 1975.

EFFECTIVE DATE OF 1988 AMENDMENT

Section 701 of Pub. L. 100-532 provided that amendment made by Pub. L. 100-532 is effective Oct. 1, 1988.

EFFECTIVE DATE

For effective date of section, see section 4 of Pub. L. 92-516, set out as a note under section 136 of this title.

**CHAPTER 6A—NATIONAL LABORATORY ACCREDITATION**

Sec. 138.	Definitions.
138a.	National Laboratory Accreditation Program. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) Establishment of Program.</li> <li>(b) Standards.</li> <li>(c) Accrediting bodies.</li> <li>(d) Requirements.</li> <li>(e) Exceptions.</li> </ul>
138b.	Accreditation. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) In general.</li> <li>(b) Requirements for accreditation.</li> <li>(c) Failure to meet accreditation standards.</li> <li>(d) Limited accreditation.</li> </ul>
138c.	Samples. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) Performance evaluation samples.</li> <li>(b) Results of testing.</li> <li>(c) Review of accreditation.</li> </ul>
138d.	Application. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) Contents of application.</li> <li>(b) Restrictions on submission of application.</li> </ul>
138e.	Reporting. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) In general.</li> <li>(b) Timing of report.</li> <li>(c) Guidelines.</li> </ul>
138f.	Fees. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) In general.</li> <li>(b) Amount of fee.</li> <li>(c) Reimbursement of expenses.</li> <li>(d) Adjustment of fees.</li> <li>(e) Appropriations prerequisite.</li> <li>(f) Authorization of appropriations.</li> </ul>
138g.	Public disclosure.
138h.	Regulations.
138i.	Effect of other laws.

**§ 138. Definitions**

As used in this chapter:

**(1) Agricultural product**

The term "agricultural product" means any fresh fruit or vegetable or any commodity or