

Public Law 96-306
96th Congress

An Act

To authorize the President of the United States to present on behalf of Congress a specially struck gold-plated medal to the United States Summer Olympic Team of 1980.

July 8, 1980

[H.R. 7482]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That (a) the President of the United States is authorized to present a gold-plated medal of appropriate design, on behalf of the Congress, to those athletes selected through the Olympic trial process to represent the United States in the summer Olympics of 1980, in recognition of their outstanding athletic achievements and of their determination in the pursuit of excellence. For such purpose, the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized and directed to cause to be stricken six hundred and fifty gold-plated medals with suitable emblems, devices, and inscriptions to be determined by the Secretary of the Treasury.

United States
Summer
Olympic Team of
1980.
Commemorative
medal.

(b) The medals provided for in this Act are national medals for the purpose of section 3551 of the Revised Statutes (31 U.S.C. 368).

(c) Funds to carry out the provisions of this Act, which shall not exceed \$50,000, shall be available from amounts currently appropriated for the operation of the Bureau of the Mint. Such funds shall be fully reimbursed from funds appropriated under the Amateur Sports Act of 1978.

Appropriation
authorization.

36 USC 371 note.

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