

REORGANIZATION PLAN NO. 18 OF 1950

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BUILDING AND SPACE MANAGEMENT FUNCTIONS

SECTION 1. *Transfer of space assignment and leasing functions.*—All functions with respect to acquiring space in buildings by lease, and all functions with respect to assigning and reassigning space in buildings for use by agencies (including both space acquired by lease and space in Government-owned buildings), are hereby transferred from the respective agencies in which such functions are now vested to the Administrator of General Services, exclusive, however, of all such functions with respect to

- (a) space in buildings located in any foreign country;
- (b) space in buildings which are located on the grounds of any fort, camp, post, arsenal, Navy yard, naval training station, air field, proving ground, military supply depot, or school, or of any similar facility, of the Department of Defense, unless and to such extent as a permit for its use shall have been issued by the Secretary of Defense or his duly authorized representative;
- (c) space occupied by the Post Office Department in post office buildings and space acquired by lease for post office purposes; and
- (d) space in other Government-owned buildings which the Administrator of General Services finds are wholly or predominantly utilized for the special purposes of the agency having the custody thereof and are not generally suitable for the use of other agencies (including but not limited to hospitals, housing, laboratories, mints, manufacturing plants, and penal institutions), and space acquired by lease for any such purpose:

Provided, That the space needs of the Post Office Department shall be given priority in the assignment and reassignment of space in post office buildings.

SEC. 2. *Transfer of office building management functions.*—All functions with respect to the operation, maintenance, and custody of office buildings owned by the Government and of office buildings or parts thereof acquired by lease, including those post office buildings which, as determined by the Director of the Bureau of the Budget, are not used predominantly for post office purposes, are hereby transferred from the respective agencies in which now vested to the Administrator of General Services, exclusive, however, of all such functions with respect to

- (a) any building located in any foreign country;
- (b) any building located on the grounds of any fort, camp, post, arsenal, Navy yard, naval training station, air field, proving ground, military supply depot, or school, or of any similar facility, of the Department of Defense, unless and to such extent as a permit for its use by another agency or agencies shall have been issued by the Secretary of Defense or his duly authorized representative;
- (c) any building which the Administrator of General Services finds to be a part of a group of buildings which are (1) located in the same vicinity, (2) are utilized wholly or predominantly for the special purposes of the agency having custody thereof, and (3) are not generally suitable for the use of other agencies; and
- (d) The Treasury Building, the Bureau of Engraving and Printing Building, the buildings occupied by the National Bureau of

Standards, and the buildings under the jurisdiction of the Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.

SEC. 3. *Performance of transferred functions.*—(a) The Administrator of General Services may from time to time make such provisions as he shall deem appropriate authorizing the performance by any other officer, or by any agency or employee, of the General Services Administration of any function transferred to such Administrator by the provisions of this reorganization plan.

(b) When authorized by the Administrator of General Services, any function transferred to him by the provisions of this reorganization plan may be performed by the head of any agency of the Executive Branch of the Government or, subject to the direction and control of any such agency head, by such officers, employees, and organizational units under the jurisdiction of such agency head as such agency head may designate: *Provided*, That functions with respect to post office buildings shall not be delegated under the authority of this subsection to the head of any agency other than the Postmaster General.

(c) The Administrator of General Services shall prescribe such regulations as he deems desirable for the economical and effective performance of the functions transferred by the provisions of this reorganization plan.

SEC. 4. *Transfer of personnel, property, records, and funds.*—There shall be transferred from time to time, between the agencies concerned and for use in connection with the functions transferred by the provisions of this reorganization plan, so much of the personnel, property, records, and unexpended balances (available or to be made available) of appropriations, allocations, and other funds, relating to such functions, as may be necessary for the performance of said functions. Such further measures and dispositions as the Director of the Bureau of the Budget shall determine to be necessary in order to effectuate the transfers provided for in this section shall be carried out in such manner as the Director shall direct and by such agencies as he shall designate.

SEC. 5. *Effective date.*—The provisions of this reorganization plan shall take effect on the first day of July, 1950.

REORGANIZATION PLAN NO. 19 OF 1950

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EMPLOYEES' COMPENSATION FUNCTIONS

SECTION 1. *Bureau of Employees' Compensation.*—The Bureau of Employees' Compensation of the Federal Security Agency, together with its functions, is transferred to the Department of Labor and shall be administered under the direction and supervision of the Secretary of Labor. The functions of the Federal Security Administrator, and of the Federal Security Agency, with respect to the Bureau of Employees' Compensation and with respect to employees' compensation (including workmen's compensation) are transferred to the Secretary of Labor: *Provided*, That there are not transferred by the provisions of this reorganization plan (1) any function of the Public Health Service; (2) any function of the Federal Security Agency or the Federal Security Administrator under the Vocational Rehabili-

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