

**Statutory Notes and Related Subsidiaries**

## EFFECTIVE DATE

Section and amendment by Pub. L. 116-283 effective Jan. 1, 2022, with additional provisions for delayed implementation and applicability of existing law, see section 1801(d) of Pub. L. 116-283, set out as an Effective Date of 2021 Amendment note preceding section 3001 of this title.

**§ 3156. Mission readiness exercises**

The joint policy required by section 3151 of this title shall also provide for the incorporation of contractors and contract operations in mission readiness exercises for operations that will include contracting and contractor support.

(Added and amended Pub. L. 116-283, div. A, title XVIII, § 1810(a), (b)(6), Jan. 1, 2021, 134 Stat. 4162, 4164.)

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## CODIFICATION

The text of subsec. (e)(3) of section 2333 of this title, which was transferred to this section and amended by Pub. L. 116-283, § 1810(b)(6), was based on Pub. L. 110-181, div. A, title VIII, § 849(a), Jan. 28, 2008, 122 Stat. 245.

## AMENDMENTS

2021—Pub. L. 116-283, § 1810(b)(6), transferred subsec. (e)(3) of section 2333 of this title to this section, struck out par. (3) designation at beginning, and inserted “required by section 3151 of this title” after “The joint policy”.

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**§ 3157. Definitions; applicability**

In this subchapter:

(1) **REQUIREMENTS DEFINITION.**—The term “requirements definition” means the process of translating policy objectives and mission needs into specific requirements, the description of which will be the basis for awarding acquisition contracts for projects to be accomplished, work to be performed, or products to be delivered.

(2) **CONTINGENCY PROGRAM MANAGEMENT.**—The term “contingency program management” means the process of planning, organizing, staffing, controlling, and leading the combined efforts of participating civilian and military personnel and organizations for the management of a specific defense acquisition program or programs during combat operations, post-conflict operations, and contingency operations.

(3) **CONTINGENCY CONTRACTING.**—The term “contingency contracting” means all stages of the process of acquiring property or services by the Department of Defense during a contingency operation.

(4) **CONTINGENCY CONTRACTING PERSONNEL.**—The term “contingency contracting per-

sonnel” means members of the armed forces and civilian employees of the Department of Defense who are members of the defense acquisition workforce and, as part of their duties, are assigned to provide support to contingency operations (whether deployed or not).

(Added and amended Pub. L. 116-283, div. A, title XVIII, § 1810(a), (b)(7), Jan. 1, 2021, 134 Stat. 4162, 4164.)

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## CODIFICATION

The text of subsec. (f)(1), (2), (5), and (6) of section 2333 of this title, which was transferred to this section and amended by Pub. L. 116-283, § 1810(b)(7), was based on Pub. L. 109-364, div. A, title VIII, § 854(a)(1), Oct. 17, 2006, 120 Stat. 2343; Pub. L. 110-181, div. A, title VIII, § 849(a), Jan. 28, 2008, 122 Stat. 245.

## AMENDMENTS

2021—Pub. L. 116-283, § 1810(b)(7), redesignated pars. (6), (5), (2), and (1) of subsec. (f) of section 2333 of this title as pars. (1) to (4), respectively, of this section.

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## SUBCHAPTER II—[RESERVED]

Sec.

3171. [Reserved].

3172. [Reserved].

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## AMENDMENTS

Pub. L. 117-81, div. A, title XVII, § 1701(i)(2)(B), Dec. 27, 2021, 135 Stat. 2141, generally amended Pub. L. 116-283, div. A, title XVIII, § 1810(d), Jan. 1, 2021, 134 Stat. 4164, which added this analysis, by substituting “[RESERVED]” for “OTHER PROVISIONS RELATING TO OPERATIONAL CONTRACT SUPPORT” in subchapter II heading and “[Reserved]” for “Contracts for property or services in support of a contingency operation: competition and review” in item 3171 and for “Operational contract support: chain of authority and responsibility within Department of Defense” in item 3172, thereby omitting this analysis.

**§ 3171. [Reserved]**

(Added Pub. L. 116-283, div. A, title XVIII, § 1810(d), Jan. 1, 2021, 134 Stat. 4164; amended Pub. L. 117-81, div. A, title XVII, § 1701(i)(2)(B), Dec. 27, 2021, 135 Stat. 2141.)

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## AMENDMENTS

2021—Pub. L. 117-81, § 1701(i)(2)(B), amended Pub. L. 116-283, § 1810(d), which enacted this section, by substituting “[Reserved]” for “Contracts for property or services in support of a contingency operation: competition and review” in section catchline.

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## EFFECTIVE DATE OF 2021 AMENDMENT

Amendment made to Pub. L. 116-283 by Pub. L. 117-81, resulting in omission of this section, applicable as if in-