

to repeal by Pub. L. 114-328, div. A, title V, §502(s)(1), Dec. 23, 2016, 130 Stat. 2104.

Prior sections 3544 and 3545 were repealed by Pub. L. 90-235, §4(a)(6), (b)(1), Jan. 2, 1968, 81 Stat. 759, 760.

Section 3544, act Aug. 10, 1956, ch. 1041, 70A Stat. 203, restricted performance of civil functions by commissioned officers of Regular Army. See section 973 of this title.

Section 3545, act Aug. 10, 1956, ch. 1041, 70A Stat. 203, provided that cooking for enlisted members of Army should be superintended by officers of organizations to which members belonged.

A prior section 3546, act Aug. 10, 1956, ch. 1041, 70A Stat. 203, required officers of the Medical Corps and contract surgeons to attend families of members of the Army, prior to repeal by Pub. L. 85-861, §36B(7), Sept. 2, 1958, 72 Stat. 1570.

Prior sections 3547 and 3548 were renumbered sections 7217 and 7218 of this title, respectively.

AMENDMENTS

2021—Pub. L. 117-81, §1701(k)(3)(A)(ii), (B), amended Pub. L. 116-283, §1822(c), formerly §1822(m), which enacted this section, by renumbering such section 1822(m) as 1822(c) and by substituting “Multiyear contracts: acquisition of services” for “Multiyear contracts for acquisition of services: authority; definitions” in section catchline.

Pub. L. 116-283, §1822(n), which had originally transferred subsecs. (a), (b), (f), and (h) of section 2306c of this title to this section, was repealed by Pub. L. 117-81, §1701(k)(3)(C).

Pub. L. 116-283, §1822(d), as added by Pub. L. 117-81, §1701(k)(3)(D), transferred text of section 2306c of this title to this section. See Codification note above.

Statutory Notes and Related Subsidiaries

EFFECTIVE DATE OF 2021 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 117-81 applicable as if included in the enactment of title XVIII of Pub. L. 116-283 as enacted, see section 1701(a)(2) of Pub. L. 117-81, set out in a note preceding section 3001 of this title and Effective Date note below.

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.

PILOT PROGRAM FOR LONGER TERM MULTIYEAR SERVICE CONTRACTS

Pub. L. 115-91, div. A, title VIII, §854, Dec. 12, 2017, 131 Stat. 1492, provided that:

“(a) ESTABLISHMENT.—The Secretary of Defense shall carry out a pilot program under which the Secretary may use the authority under subsection (a) of section 2306c of title 10, United States Code [see 10 U.S.C. 3531], to enter into up to five contracts for periods of not more than 10 years for services described in subsection (b) of such section. Each contract entered into pursuant to this subsection may be extended for up to five additional one-year terms.

“(b) STUDY.—

“(1) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 90 days after the date of the enactment of this Act [Dec. 12, 2017], the Secretary of Defense shall enter into an agreement with an independent organization with relevant expertise to study best practices and lessons learned from using services contracts for periods longer than five years by commercial companies, foreign governments, and State governments, as well as service contracts for periods longer than five years used by the Federal Government, such as energy savings performance contracts (as defined in section to section [sic] 804(3) of the National Energy Conservation Policy Act (42 U.S.C. 8287c(3)).

“(2) REPORT.—Not later than one year after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Defense shall submit to the congressional defense committees [Committees on Armed Services and Appropriations of the Senate and the House of Representatives] a report on the study conducted under paragraph (1).

“(c) COMPTROLLER GENERAL REPORT.—Not later than five years after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Comptroller General of the United States shall submit to the congressional defense committees a report on the pilot program carried out under this section.”

[[§§ 3532 to 3535. Omitted]

Editorial Notes

CODIFICATION

See Codification note set out under section 3531 of this title.

SUBCHAPTER III—OTHER AUTHORITIES RELATING TO MULTIYEAR CONTRACTS

Sec.

3551. Multiyear procurement authority: purchase of dinitrogen tetroxide, hydrazine, and hydrazine-related products.

Editorial Notes

AMENDMENTS

2021—Pub. L. 117-81, div. A, title XVII, §1701(k)(4), Dec. 27, 2021, 135 Stat. 2144, amended Pub. L. 116-283, div. A, title XVIII, §1822(e)(1), formerly §1822(t)(1), Jan. 1, 2021, 134 Stat. 4204, which added this analysis, by renumbering such section 1822(t)(1) as 1822(e)(1).

§3551. Multiyear procurement authority: purchase of dinitrogen tetroxide, hydrazine, and hydrazine-related products

(a) TEN-YEAR CONTRACT PERIOD.—The Secretary of Defense may enter into a contract for a period of up to 10 years for the purchase of dinitrogen tetroxide, hydrazine, and hydrazine-related products for the support of a United States national security program or a United States space program.

(b) EXTENSIONS.—A contract entered into for more than one year under the authority of subsection (a) may be extended for a total of not more than 10 years pursuant to any option or options set forth in the contract.

(Added Pub. L. 107-314, div. A, title VIII, §826(a), Dec. 2, 2002, 116 Stat. 2617, §2410o; renumbered §3551, Pub. L. 116-283, div. A, title XVIII, §1822(e)(2), formerly §1822(t)(2), Jan. 1, 2021, 134 Stat. 4205, renumbered Pub. L. 117-81, div. A, title XVII, §1701(k)(4), Dec. 27, 2021, 135 Stat. 2144.)

Editorial Notes

AMENDMENTS

2021—Pub. L. 116-283 renumbered section 2410o of this title as this section.

Statutory Notes and Related Subsidiaries

EFFECTIVE DATE OF 2021 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 117-81 applicable as if included in the enactment of title XVIII of Pub. L. 116-283 as enacted, see section 1701(a)(2) of Pub. L. 117-81, set out in a note preceding section 3001 of this title and note below.

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 a note preceding section 3001 of this title.

## CHAPTER 251—SIMPLIFIED ACQUISITION PROCEDURES

Sec.	
3571.	Simplified acquisition threshold.
3572.	Implementation of simplified acquisition procedures.
3573.	Micro-purchase threshold.

### Editorial Notes

#### PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior chapter 251 “SIMPLIFIED ACQUISITION PROCEDURES”, consisting of reserved section 3551, was repealed by Pub. L. 116-283, div. A, title XVIII, §1823(a), Jan. 1, 2021, 134 Stat. 4205.

### § 3571. Simplified acquisition threshold

(a) SIMPLIFIED ACQUISITION THRESHOLD.—For purposes of acquisitions by agencies named in section 3063 of this title, the simplified acquisition threshold is as specified in section 134 of title 41.

(b) INAPPLICABLE LAWS.—No law properly listed in the Federal Acquisition Regulation pursuant to section 1905 of title 41 shall apply to or with respect to a contract or subcontract that is not greater than the simplified acquisition threshold.

(Added and amended Pub. L. 103-355, title IV, §§4002(a), 4102(a), Oct. 13, 1994, 108 Stat. 3338, 3340, §2302a; Pub. L. 111-350, §5(b)(9), Jan. 4, 2011, 124 Stat. 3843; renumbered §3571 and amended Pub. L. 116-283, div. A, title XVIII, §1823(b), (c)(1), Jan. 1, 2021, 134 Stat. 4205.)

### Editorial Notes

#### PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 3571, act Aug. 10, 1956, ch. 1041, 70A Stat. 204; Pub. L. 85-861, §1(85), Sept. 2, 1958, 72 Stat. 1481; Pub. L. 86-559, §1(21), June 30, 1960, 74 Stat. 271, provided that commissioned officers of the Army on active duty in the same grade rank among themselves according to date of rank and specified procedures for determining date of rank, prior to repeal by Pub. L. 96-513, title II, §211, title VII, §701, Dec. 12, 1980, 94 Stat. 2885, 2955, effective Sept. 15, 1981. See section 741 of this title.

#### AMENDMENTS

2021—Pub. L. 116-283, §1823(b), renumbered section 2302a of this title as this section.

Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 116-283, §1823(c)(1), substituted “section 3063” for “section 2303”.

2011—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 111-350, §5(b)(9)(A), substituted “section 134 of title 41” for “section 4(11) of the Office of Federal Procurement Policy Act”.

Subsec. (b). Pub. L. 111-350, §5(b)(9)(B), substituted “section 1905 of title 41” for “section 33 of the Office of Federal Procurement Policy Act”.

1994—Subsec. (b). Pub. L. 103-355, §4102(a), added subsec. (b).

### Statutory Notes and Related Subsidiaries

#### EFFECTIVE DATE OF 2021 AMENDMENT

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 a note preceding section 3001 of this title.

#### EFFECTIVE DATE

For effective date and applicability of section, see section 10001 of Pub. L. 103-355, set out as an Effective Date of 1994 Amendment note under section 8752 of this title.

### § 3572. Implementation of simplified acquisition procedures

The simplified acquisition procedures contained in the Federal Acquisition Regulation pursuant to section 1901 of title 41 shall apply as provided in such section to the agencies named in section 3063 of this title.

(Added Pub. L. 103-355, title IV, §4203(a)(1), Oct. 13, 1994, 108 Stat. 3345, §2302b; amended Pub. L. 111-350, §5(b)(10), Jan. 4, 2011, 124 Stat. 3843; renumbered §3572 and amended Pub. L. 116-283, div. A, title XVIII, §1823(b), (c)(2), Jan. 1, 2021, 134 Stat. 4205.)

### Editorial Notes

#### PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 3572 was renumbered section 7222 of this title.

#### AMENDMENTS

2021—Pub. L. 116-283 renumbered section 2302b of this title as this section and substituted “section 3063” for “section 2303(a)”.

2011—Pub. L. 111-350 substituted “section 1901 of title 41” for “section 31 of the Office of Federal Procurement Policy Act”.

### Statutory Notes and Related Subsidiaries

#### EFFECTIVE DATE OF 2021 AMENDMENT

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 a note preceding section 3001 of this title.

#### EFFECTIVE DATE

For effective date and applicability of section, see section 10001 of Pub. L. 103-355, set out as an Effective Date of 1994 Amendment note under section 8752 of this title.

### § 3573. Micro-purchase threshold

The micro-purchase threshold for the Department of Defense is \$10,000.

(Added Pub. L. 114-328, div. A, title VIII, §821(a), Dec. 23, 2016, 130 Stat. 2276, §2338; amended Pub. L. 115-232, div. A, title VIII, §821(a), Aug. 13, 2018, 132 Stat. 1853; renumbered §3573, Pub. L. 116-283, div. A, title XVIII, §1823(b), Jan. 1, 2021, 134 Stat. 4205.)

### Editorial Notes

#### PRIOR PROVISIONS

Prior sections 3573 and 3574 were repealed by Pub. L. 96-513, title II, §211, title VII, §701, Dec. 12, 1980, 94 Stat. 2885, 2955, effective Sept. 15, 1981.

Section 3573, act Aug. 10, 1956, ch. 1041, 70A Stat. 204, specified the date of rank of an officer whose regular grade is brigadier general and the date of rank of an officer whose regular grade is major general and provided