

special rule for certain redesignations, see section 800 of Pub. L. 115-232, set out as a note preceding section 3001 of this title.

**§ 7024. Director of Small Business Programs**

(a) DIRECTOR.—There is a Director of Small Business Programs in the Department of the Army. The Director is appointed by the Secretary of the Army.

(b) OFFICE OF SMALL BUSINESS PROGRAMS.—The Office of Small Business Programs of the Department of the Army is the office that is established within the Department of the Army under section 15(k) of the Small Business Act (15 U.S.C. 644(k)). The Director of Small Business Programs is the head of such office.

(c) DUTIES AND POWERS.—(1) The Director of Small Business Programs shall, subject to paragraph (2), perform such duties regarding small business programs of the Department of the Army, and shall exercise such powers regarding those programs, as the Secretary of the Army may prescribe.

(2) Section 15(k) of the Small Business Act (15 U.S.C. 644(k)), except for the designations of the Director and the Office, applies to the Director of Small Business Programs.

(Added Pub. L. 109-163, div. A, title IX, §904(c)(1), Jan. 6, 2006, 119 Stat. 3400, §3024; renumbered §7024, Pub. L. 115-232, div. A, title VIII, §808(a), Aug. 13, 2018, 132 Stat. 1838.)

**Editorial Notes**

AMENDMENTS

2018—Pub. L. 115-232 renumbered section 3024 of this title as this section.

**Statutory Notes and Related Subsidiaries**

CHANGE OF NAME

The Director of Small and Disadvantaged Business Utilization of the Department of the Army and the Office of Small and Disadvantaged Business Utilization of the Department of the Army were redesignated the Director of Small Business Programs of the Department of the Army and the Office of Small Business Programs of the Department of the Army, respectively, by Pub. L. 109-163, which also provided that references to the former were deemed to refer to the latter. See section 904(a) of Pub. L. 109-163, set out as a note under section 144 of this title.

EFFECTIVE DATE OF 2018 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 115-232 effective Feb. 1, 2019, with provision for the coordination of amendments and special rule for certain redesignations, see section 800 of Pub. L. 115-232, set out as a note preceding section 3001 of this title.

**CHAPTER 705—THE ARMY STAFF**

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**Editorial Notes**

AMENDMENTS

2018—Pub. L. 115-232, div. A, title VIII, §808(e)(1), (f)(1), Aug. 13, 2018, 132 Stat. 1839, redesignated chapter 305 of this title as this chapter and items 3031 to 3038 as 7031 to 7038, respectively.

2016—Pub. L. 114-328, div. A, title V, §502(n)(2), Dec. 23, 2016, 130 Stat. 2103, struck out item 3039 “Deputy and assistant chiefs of branches”.

2008—Pub. L. 110-181, div. A, title V, §543(a)(3)(B), Jan. 28, 2008, 122 Stat. 115, substituted “Deputy” for “Assistant” in item 3037.

1994—Pub. L. 103-337, div. A, title IX, §904(b)(2), Oct. 5, 1994, 108 Stat. 2827, struck out item 3040 “Chief of National Guard Bureau: appointment; acting chief”.

1986—Pub. L. 99-433, title V, §502(g)(2), Oct. 1, 1986, 100 Stat. 1042, amended analysis generally, substituting items 3031 to 3040 for former items 3031 to 3040.

1980—Pub. L. 96-513, title V, §512(2), Dec. 12, 1980, 94 Stat. 2929, substituted “Deputy Chiefs” for “Deputy Chief” in item 2035, and substituted “appointment” for “appointments” in item 3036.

1966—Pub. L. 89-718, §25(b), Nov. 2, 1966, 80 Stat. 1119, struck out item 3038 “Chief of Engineers: additional duties”.

**§ 7031. The Army Staff: function; composition**

(a) There is in the executive part of the Department of the Army an Army Staff. The function of the Army Staff is to assist the Secretary of the Army in carrying out his responsibilities.

(b) The Army Staff is composed of the following:

- (1) The Chief of Staff.
- (2) The Vice Chief of Staff.
- (3) The Deputy Chiefs of Staff.
- (4) The Assistant Chiefs of Staff.
- (5) The Chief of Engineers.
- (6) The Surgeon General of the Army.
- (7) The Judge Advocate General of the Army.
- (8) The Chief of Chaplains of the Army.
- (9) The Chief of Army Reserve.
- (10) Other members of the Army assigned or detailed to the Army Staff.

(11) Civilian employees of the Department of the Army assigned or detailed to the Army Staff.

(c) Except as otherwise specifically prescribed by law, the Army Staff shall be organized in such manner, and its members shall perform such duties and have such titles, as the Secretary may prescribe.

(Aug. 10, 1956, ch. 1041, 70A Stat. 150, §3031; Pub. L. 93-547, Dec. 26, 1974, 88 Stat. 1742; Pub. L. 93-608, §1(6), Jan. 2, 1975, 88 Stat. 1968; Pub. L. 98-525, title V, §515, Oct. 19, 1984, 98 Stat. 2522; Pub. L. 99-433, title V, §502(a), Oct. 1, 1986, 100 Stat. 1039; renumbered §7031, Pub. L. 115-232, div. A, title VIII, §808(a), Aug. 13, 2018, 132 Stat. 1838.)

HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

Revised section	Source (U.S. Code)	Source (Statutes at Large)
3031(a) .....	10:21a(a).	June 28, 1950, ch. 383, §201, 64 Stat. 265.
3031(b) .....	10:21a(b).	
3031(c) .....	10:21a(c).	
3031(d) .....	10:21a(d).	

In subsection (a), the words “an Army Staff consisting of—” are substituted for the words “a staff,