

women medical specialists to grades of first lieutenant, captain, major, lieutenant colonel, or colonel, prior to repeal by Pub. L. 85-155, title IV, § 401(1), Aug. 21, 1957, 71 Stat. 390.

## AMENDMENTS

2018—Pub. L. 115-232 renumbered section 6254 of this title as this section.

**Statutory Notes and Related Subsidiaries**

## 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.

**§ 8305. Commemorative or special medals: facsimiles and ribbons**

Under regulations prescribed by the Secretary of the Navy, members of the naval service may wear, in place of commemorative or special medals awarded to them, miniature facsimiles of such medals and ribbons symbolic of the awards.

(Aug. 10, 1956, ch. 1041, 70A Stat. 391, § 6255; renumbered § 8305, Pub. L. 115-232, div. A, title VIII, § 807(b)(13), Aug. 13, 2018, 132 Stat. 1836.)

## HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

<i>Revised section</i>	<i>Source (U.S. Code)</i>	<i>Source (Statutes at Large)</i>
6255 .....	34 U.S.C. 358a.	Apr. 25, 1935, ch. 82, 49 Stat. 162.

The words “members of the naval service may” are substituted for the words “That authority is hereby granted to personnel of the Navy and Marine Corps” for clarity.

**Editorial Notes**

## PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 8305, acts Aug. 10, 1956, ch. 1041, 70A Stat. 516; Aug. 21, 1957, Pub. L. 85-155, title III, § 301(14), 71 Stat. 388; Nov. 8, 1967, Pub. L. 90-130, § 1(27)(E), 81 Stat. 382, related to promotion of officers in regular grade of lieutenant colonel to grade of colonel, prior to repeal by Pub. L. 96-513, title II, § 204, Dec. 12, 1980, 94 Stat. 2880, effective Sept. 15, 1981. See section 619 et seq. of this title.

## AMENDMENTS

2018—Pub. L. 115-232 renumbered section 6255 of this title as this section.

**Statutory Notes and Related Subsidiaries**

## EFFECTIVE DATE OF 2018 AMENDMENT

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**§ 8306. Medal of honor: duplicate medal**

A person awarded a medal of honor shall, upon written application of that person, be issued, without charge, one duplicate medal of honor with ribbons and appurtenances. Such duplicate medal of honor shall be marked, in such manner as the Secretary of the Navy may determine, as a duplicate or for display purposes only.

(Added Pub. L. 107-107, div. A, title V, § 553(b)(1)(A), Dec. 28, 2001, 115 Stat. 1116, § 6256; renumbered § 8306, Pub. L. 115-232, div. A, title VIII, § 807(b)(13), Aug. 13, 2018, 132 Stat. 1836.)

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## PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 8306, act Aug. 10, 1956, ch. 1041, 70A Stat. 516, related to promotion of officers in regular grade of colonel to grade of brigadier general, prior to repeal by Pub. L. 96-513, title II, § 204, Dec. 12, 1980, 94 Stat. 2880, effective Sept. 15, 1981. See section 619 et seq. of this title.

## AMENDMENTS

2018—Pub. L. 115-232 renumbered section 6256 of this title as this section.

**Statutory Notes and Related Subsidiaries**

## EFFECTIVE DATE OF 2018 AMENDMENT

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**§ 8307. Medal of honor: presentation of Medal of Honor Flag**

The President shall provide for the presentation of the Medal of Honor Flag designated under section 903 of title 36 to each person to whom a medal of honor is awarded under section 8291 of this title. Presentation of the flag shall be made at the same time as the presentation of the medal under section 8291 or 8300 of this title. In the case of a posthumous presentation of the medal, the flag shall be presented to the person to whom the medal is presented.

(Added Pub. L. 107-248, title VIII, § 8143(c)(2)(A), Oct. 23, 2002, 116 Stat. 1570, § 6257; amended Pub. L. 107-314, div. A, title X, § 1062(a)(16), Dec. 2, 2002, 116 Stat. 2650; Pub. L. 109-364, div. A, title V, § 555(a), Oct. 17, 2006, 120 Stat. 2217; renumbered § 8307 and amended Pub. L. 115-232, div. A, title VIII, §§ 807(b)(13), 809(a), Aug. 13, 2018, 132 Stat. 1836, 1840.)

**Editorial Notes**

## PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 8307, act Aug. 10, 1956, ch. 1041, 70A Stat. 517, related to promotion of officers in regular grade of brigadier general to grade of major general, prior to repeal by Pub. L. 96-513, title II, § 204, Dec. 12, 1980, 94 Stat. 2880, effective Sept. 15, 1981. See section 619 et seq. of this title.

## AMENDMENTS

2018—Pub. L. 115-232, § 809(a), substituted “section 8291” for “section 6241” and “section 8291 or 8300” for “section 6241 or 6250”.

Pub. L. 115-232, § 807(b)(13), renumbered section 6257 of this title as this section.

2006—Pub. L. 109-364 struck out “after October 23, 2002” after “section 6241 of this title” and inserted at end “In the case of a posthumous presentation of the medal, the flag shall be presented to the person to whom the medal is presented.”

2002—Pub. L. 107-314 substituted “October 23, 2002” for “the date of the enactment of this section”.