- (4) any savings bank as defined in section 1813 of this title;
- (5) any insured institution as defined in section  $1724^{\, \mathrm{l}}$  of this title; and
- (6) any building and loan association or savings and loan association organized and operated according to the laws of the State in which it is chartered or organized; and, for purposes of this paragraph, the term "State" means any State of the United States, the District of Columbia, any territory of the United States, Puerto Rico, Guam, American Samoa, or the Virgin Islands.

#### (c) Fine

Any depository institution which violates this section shall be fined \$1,000 for each violation.

(Pub. L. 93–100, §2, Aug. 16, 1973, 87 Stat. 342; Pub. L. 94–222, §2, Feb. 27, 1976, 90 Stat. 197; Pub. L. 95–630, title XIII, §1301, Nov. 10, 1978, 92 Stat. 3712; Pub. L. 96–161, title I, §106, Dec. 28, 1979, 93 Stat. 1235; Pub. L. 96–221, title III, §303, Mar. 31, 1980, 94 Stat. 146; Pub. L. 97–320, title VII, §706(a), Oct. 15, 1982, 96 Stat. 1540; Pub. L. 100–86, title I, §109, Aug. 10, 1987, 101 Stat. 579.)

#### **Editorial Notes**

#### References in Text

Section 1724 of this title, referred to in subsec. (b)(5), was repealed by Pub. L. 101-73, title IV, §407, Aug. 9, 1989, 103 Stat. 363.

#### CODIFICATION

Section was not enacted as part of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act which comprises this chapter.

#### AMENDMENTS

1987—Subsec. (a)(2). Pub. L. 100–86 inserted "political," after "educational,".

1982—Subsec. (a)(2). Pub. L. 97–320 inserted provisions relating to deposits of public funds.

1980—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 96–221 designated existing provisions as par. (1) inserted provisions expanding authorization for withdrawals from selected States to the entire United States, and added par. (2).

1979—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 96-161 inserted "New Jersey," after "New York,".

1978—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 95-630 inserted "New York," after "Vermont,".

1976—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 94–222 authorized withdrawals by negotiable or transferable instruments in the States of Connecticut, Rhode Island, Maine, and Vermont.

## Statutory Notes and Related Subsidiaries

## EFFECTIVE DATE OF 1980 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 96–221 effective Dec. 31, 1980, see section 306 of Pub. L. 96–221, set out as a note under section 1464 of this title.

# EFFECTIVE DATE OF 1978 AMENDMENT

Pub. L. 95-630, title XIII, §1302, Nov. 10, 1978, 92 Stat. 3712, provided that: "This title [amending this section] shall take effect upon enactment [Nov. 10, 1978]."

#### EFFECTIVE DATE

Section effective on thirtieth day after Aug. 16, 1973, see section 8 of Pub. L. 93–100, set out as a note under section 1469 of this title.

## §1833. Repealed. Pub. L. 104-208, div. A, title II, §2224(b), Sept. 30, 1996, 110 Stat. 3009-415

Section, Pub. L. 101-73, title IX, §918, Aug. 9, 1989, 103 Stat. 487, required certain agencies to annually report to Congress detailing civil and criminal actions and investigations undertaken during preceding 12-month period.

#### § 1833a. Civil penalties

#### (a) In general

Whoever violates any provision of law to which this section is made applicable by subsection (c) shall be subject to a civil penalty in an amount assessed by the court in a civil action under this section.

## (b) Maximum amount of penalty

# (1) Generally

The amount of the civil penalty shall not exceed \$1,000,000.

#### (2) Special rule for continuing violations

In the case of a continuing violation, the amount of the civil penalty may exceed the amount described in paragraph (1) but may not exceed the lesser of \$1,000,000 per day or \$5,000,000.

# (3) Special rule for violations creating gain or loss

- (A) If any person derives pecuniary gain from the violation, or if the violation results in pecuniary loss to a person other than the violator, the amount of the civil penalty may exceed the amounts described in paragraphs (1) and (2) but may not exceed the amount of such gain or loss.
- (B) As used in this paragraph, the term "person" includes the Bank Insurance Fund, the Savings Association Insurance Fund, and after the merger of such funds, the Deposit Insurance Fund, and the National Credit Union Share Insurance Fund.

## (c) Violations to which penalty is applicable

This section applies to a violation of, or a conspiracy to violate—

- (1) section 215, 656, 657, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1014, or 1344 of title 18;
- (2) section 287, 1001, 1032, 1341 or 1343 of title 18 affecting a federally insured financial institution; or
  - (3) section 645(a) of title 15.

# (d) Effective date

This section shall apply to violations occurring on or after August 10, 1984.

# (e) Attorney General to bring action

A civil action to recover a civil penalty under this section shall be commenced by the Attorney General.

## (f) Burden of proof

In a civil action to recover a civil penalty under this section, the Attorney General must establish the right to recovery by a preponderance of the evidence.

# (g) Administrative subpoenas

#### (1) In general

For the purpose of conducting a civil investigation in contemplation of a civil proceeding

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See References in Text note below.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See 1990 Amendment note below.