

overseas research center that is a consortium of institutions of higher education (hereafter in this section referred to as a “center”) to enable such center to promote postgraduate research, exchanges and area studies.

**(b) Use of grants**

Grants made and contracts entered into pursuant to this section may be used to pay all or a portion of the cost of establishing or operating a center or program, including—

- (1) the cost of faculty and staff stipends and salaries;
- (2) the cost of faculty, staff, and student travel;
- (3) the cost of the operation and maintenance of overseas facilities;
- (4) the cost of teaching and research materials;
- (5) the cost of acquisition, maintenance, and preservation of library collections;
- (6) the cost of bringing visiting scholars and faculty to a center to teach or to conduct research;
- (7) the cost of organizing and managing conferences; and
- (8) the cost of publication and dissemination of material for the scholarly and general public.

**(c) Limitation**

The Secretary shall only award grants to and enter into contracts with centers under this section that—

- (1) receive more than 50 percent of their funding from public or private United States sources;
- (2) have a permanent presence in the country in which the center is located; and
- (3) are organizations described in section 501(c)(3) of title 26 which are exempt from taxation under section 501(a) of such title.

**(d) Development grants**

The Secretary is authorized to make grants for the establishment of new centers. The grants may be used to fund activities that, within 1 year, will result in the creation of a center described in subsection (c).

**(e) Application**

Each center desiring to receive a grant or contract under this section shall submit an application to the Secretary at such time, in such manner, and accompanied by such information and assurances as the Secretary may require.

(Pub. L. 89-329, title VI, § 609, as added Pub. L. 105-244, title VI, § 601, Oct. 7, 1998, 112 Stat. 1782; amended Pub. L. 110-315, title VI, § 608, Aug. 14, 2008, 122 Stat. 3338.)

**Editorial Notes**

PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 609 of Pub. L. 89-329 was classified to section 1126 of this title, prior to the general amendment of this part by Pub. L. 105-244.

Another prior section 609 of Pub. L. 89-329, title VI, Nov. 8, 1965, 79 Stat. 1266; Pub. L. 92-318, title I, § 131(d)(2)(D), June 23, 1972, 86 Stat. 260, prohibited equipment grants for sectarian instruction or religious worship and was classified to section 1129 of this title, prior to the general amendment of this subchapter by Pub. L. 96-374.

AMENDMENTS

2008—Subsec. (e). Pub. L. 110-315 added subsec. (e).

**§ 1128b. Authorization of appropriations**

There are authorized to be appropriated to carry out this part such sums as may be necessary for fiscal year 2009, and such sums as may be necessary for each of the five succeeding fiscal years.

(Pub. L. 89-329, title VI, § 610, as added Pub. L. 105-244, title VI, § 601, Oct. 7, 1998, 112 Stat. 1783; amended Pub. L. 110-315, title VI, § 609, Aug. 14, 2008, 122 Stat. 3338.)

**Editorial Notes**

PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 610 of Pub. L. 89-329 was classified to section 1127 of this title, prior to the general amendment of this part by Pub. L. 105-244.

Prior sections 1129 and 1129a were omitted in the general amendment of this subchapter by Pub. L. 96-374.

Section 1129, Pub. L. 89-329, title VI, § 609, Nov. 8, 1965, 79 Stat. 1266; Pub. L. 92-318, title I, § 131(d)(2)(D), June 23, 1972, 86 Stat. 260, prohibited equipment grants for sectarian instruction or religious worship.

Section 1129a, Pub. L. 89-329, title VI, § 610, as added Pub. L. 90-575, title II, § 243, Oct. 16, 1968, 82 Stat. 1041, provided for consultation with the National Science Foundation in regard to the purchase of laboratory equipment.

AMENDMENTS

2008—Pub. L. 110-315 substituted “such sums as may be necessary” for “\$80,000,000”, “2009” for “1999”, and “five” for “4”.

PART B—BUSINESS AND INTERNATIONAL  
EDUCATION PROGRAMS

**§ 1130. Findings and purposes**

**(a) Findings**

The Congress finds that—

(1) the future economic welfare of the United States will depend substantially on increasing international skills in the business and educational community and creating an awareness among the American public of the internationalization of our economy;

(2) concerted efforts are necessary to engage business schools, language and area study programs, professional international affairs education programs, public and private sector organizations, and United States business in a mutually productive relationship which benefits the Nation’s future economic interests;

(3) few linkages presently exist between the manpower and information needs of United States business and the international education, language training and research capacities of institutions of higher education in the United States, and public and private organizations; and

(4) organizations such as world trade councils, world trade clubs, chambers of commerce and State departments of commerce are not adequately used to link universities and business for joint venture exploration and program development.

**(b) Purposes**

It is the purpose of this part—