title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 [20 U.S.C. 1681 et seq.], section 794 of title 29, or the Age Discrimination Act of 1975 [42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.].

(b) The Secretary may use any funds withheld under subsection (a)—

(1) to increase the allotments or reallotments of local educational agencies within the State that are not described in subsection (a), or the allotments or reallotment of all States, in accordance with the Federal law governing the program; or

(2) for grants to local educational agencies of that State in accordance with section 405 of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 [42 U.S.C. 2000c–4], or for any other program administered by the Department that is designed to enhance equity in education or redress discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, or disability.

(Pub. L. 90–247, title IV, §435, formerly §416, as added Pub. L. 91–230, title IV, §401(a)(10), Apr. 13, 1970, 84 Stat. 168; renumbered §426, Pub. L. 92–318, title III, §301(a)(1), June 23, 1972, 86 Stat. 326; renumbered §428, Pub. L. 93–380, title V, §508(a), Aug. 21, 1974, 88 Stat. 565; renumbered §435 and amended Pub. L. 103–382, title II, §§212(b)(1), 245, Oct. 20, 1994, 108 Stat. 3913, 3922.)

#### **Editorial Notes**

#### REFERENCES IN TEXT

The Civil Rights Act of 1964, referred to in subsec. (a), is Pub. L. 88–352, July 2, 1964, 78 Stat. 241. Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 is classified generally to subchapter V (§2000d et seq.) of chapter 21 of Title 42, The Public Health and Welfare. For complete classification of this Act to the Code, see Short Title note set out under section 2000a of Title 42 and Tables.

The Education Amendments of 1972, referred to in subsec. (a), is Pub. L. 92–318, June 23, 1972, 86 Stat. 235. Title IX of the Act, known as the Patsy Takemoto Mink Equal Opportunity in Education Act, is classified principally to chapter 38 (§1681 et seq.) of this title. For complete classification of title IX to the Code, see Short Title note set out under section 1681 of this title and Tables.

The Age Discrimination Act of 1975, referred to in subsec. (a), is title III of Pub. L. 94–135, Nov. 28, 1975, 89 Stat. 728, which is classified generally to chapter 76 (§6101 et seq.) of Title 42, The Public Health and Welfare. For complete classification of this Act to the Code, see Short Title note set out under section 6101 of Title 42 and Tables.

# PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 435 of Pub. L. 90-247 was renumbered section 441, and is classified to section 1232d of this

Another prior section 435 of Pub. L. 90-247 was renumbered section 423, and is classified to section 1226a-1 of this title.

Another prior section 435 of Pub. L. 90–247 was renumbered section 445, and is classified to section 1233d of this title prior to repeal by Pub. L. 103–382.

#### AMENDMENTS

1994—Pub. L. 103–382, §245, amended section generally. Prior to amendment, section consisted of single par. relating to use of funds withheld for failure to comply with title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.

### § 1231f. Repealed. Pub. L. 103–382, title II, § 212(a)(1), Oct. 20, 1994, 108 Stat. 3913

Section, Pub. L. 90–247, title IV, \$429, formerly \$417, as added Pub. L. 91–230, title IV \$401(a)(10), Apr. 13, 1970,

84 Stat. 168; renumbered \$427, Pub. L. 92–318, title III, \$301(a)(1), June 23, 1972, 86 Stat. 326; renumbered \$429 and amended Pub. L. 93–380, title V, \$\$501(b)(2), 508(a), Aug. 21, 1974, 88 Stat. 558, 565; Pub. L. 96–88, title III, \$301(a)(1), (b)(2), title V, \$507, Oct. 17, 1979, 93 Stat. 677, 678, 692, authorized transfer of information.

# PART 2—ADMINISTRATION: REQUIREMENTS AND LIMITATIONS

## § 1231g. Applications

## (a) Submission and amendments of applications

Notwithstanding any other provision of law, unless expressly in limitation of the provisions of this section, the Secretary is authorized to provide for the submission of applications for assistance effective for more than one fiscal year under any applicable program with whatever amendments to such applications being required as the Secretary determines essential.

#### (b) Uniform dates

The Secretary shall, insofar as is practicable, establish uniform dates during the year for the submission of applications under all applicable programs and for the approval of such applications.

# (c) Development of common applications

The Secretary shall, insofar as is practicable, develop and require the use of—

- (1) a common application for grants to local educational agencies in applicable programs administered by State educational agencies in which the funds are distributed to such local agencies pursuant to some objective formula, and such application shall be used as the single application for as many of these programs as is practicable;
- (2) a common application for grants to local educational agencies in applicable programs administered by State educational agencies in which the funds are distributed to such local agencies on a competitive or discretionary basis, and such application shall be used as the single application for as many of such programs as is practicable; and
- (3) a common application for grants to local educational agencies in applicable programs which are directly administered by the Secretary, and such application shall be used as the single application for as many of these programs as is practicable.

(Pub. L. 90–247, title IV, §436, formerly §430, as added Pub. L. 95–561, title XII, §1213, Nov. 1, 1978, 92 Stat. 2342; renumbered §436 and amended Pub. L. 103–382, title II, §§212(b)(1), 246, Oct. 20, 1994, 108 Stat. 3913, 3923.)

#### **Editorial Notes**

#### PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 436 of Pub. L. 90-247 was renumbered section 442, and is classified to section 1232e of this title.

Another prior section 436 of Pub. L. 90–247 was classified to section 1232e of this title prior to repeal by Pub. L. 95–561.

Another prior section 436 of Pub. L. 90–247 was renumbered section 446, and was classified to section 1233e of this title prior to repeal by Pub. L. 103–382.

#### AMENDMENTS

1994—Pub. L. 103–382, §246(2), substituted "Secretary" for "Commissioner" wherever appearing.

Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 103–382, §246(1), substituted "for more than one fiscal year" for "for three fiscal years".

#### Statutory Notes and Related Subsidiaries

#### EFFECTIVE DATE

Section effective Oct. 1, 1978, see section 1530(a) of Pub. L. 95-561, set out as an Effective Date of 1978 Amendment note under section 1221e-3 of this title.

## § 1232. Regulations

#### (a) "Regulation" defined

For the purpose of this section, the term "regulation" means any generally applicable rule, regulation, guideline, interpretation, or other requirement that—

- (1) is prescribed by the Secretary or the Department; and
- (2) has legally binding effect in connection with, or affecting, the provision of financial assistance under any applicable program.

#### (b) Citation of authority

Regulations shall contain, immediately following each substantive provision of such regulations, citations to the particular section or sections of statutory law or other legal authority on which such provision is based.

#### (c) Uniform application

All regulations shall be uniformly applied and enforced throughout the 50 States.

#### (d) Application of exemption

The exemption for public property, loans, grants and benefits in section 553(a)(2) of title 5 shall apply only to regulations—

- (1) that govern the first grant competition under a new or substantially revised program authority as determined by the Secretary; or
- (2) where the Secretary determines that the requirements of this subsection will cause extreme hardship to the intended beneficiaries of the program affected by such regulations.

## (e) Schedule for promulgation of final regulations

Not later than 60 days after the date of enactment of any Act, or any portion of any Act, affecting the administration of any applicable program, the Secretary shall submit to the Committee on Education and Labor of the House of Representatives and the Committee on Labor and Human Resources of the Senate a schedule in accordance with which the Secretary plans to promulgate final regulations that the Secretary determines are necessary to implement such Act or portion of such Act. Such schedule shall promulgated within 360 days after the date of enactment of such Act or portion of such Act.

# (f) Transmittal of final regulations

Concurrently with the publication of any final regulations, the Secretary shall transmit a copy of such final regulations to the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President protempore of the Senate.

(Pub. L. 90–247, title IV, §437, formerly §421, as added Pub. L. 91–230, title IV, §401(a)(10), Apr. 13, 1970, 84 Stat. 169; renumbered §431, Pub. L. 92–318, title III, §301(a)(1), June 23, 1972, 86 Stat.

326; amended Pub. L. 93–380, title V, \$509(a), Aug. 21, 1974, 88 Stat. 566; Pub. L. 94–142, \$7, Nov. 29, 1975, 89 Stat. 796; Pub. L. 94–482, title IV, \$405, Oct. 12, 1976, 90 Stat. 2231; Pub. L. 96–374, title XIII, \$1302, Oct. 3, 1980, 94 Stat. 1497; Pub. L. 97–35, title V, \$533(a)(3), Aug. 13, 1981, 95 Stat. 453; renumbered \$437 and amended Pub. L. 103–382, title II, \$\$212(b)(1), 247, Oct. 20, 1994, 108 Stat. 3913, 3923; Pub. L. 103–437, \$7(a)(1), Nov. 2, 1994, 108 Stat. 4587.)

#### **Editorial Notes**

#### PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 437 of Pub. L. 90-247 was renumbered section 443, and is classified to section 1232f of this title.

Another prior section 437 of Pub. L. 90–247 was renumbered section 406A, and was classified to section 1221e-1a of this title prior to repeal by Pub. L. 103–382.

Another prior section 437 of Pub. L. 90–247 was renumbered section 447, and was classified to section 1233f of this title prior to repeal by Pub. L. 103–382.

#### AMENDMENTS

1994—Pub. L. 103–437, which directed that section 431(b)(2)(B), (d)(2), and (g) of Pub. L. 90–247 be amended by substituting "Labor and Human Resources" for "Labor and Public Welfare", could not be executed because this section, which was section 431 of Pub. L. 90–247, was renumbered section 437 and amended generally by Pub. L. 103–382.

Pub. L. 103–382, §247, amended section generally. Prior to amendment, section consisted of subsecs. (a) to (g) relating to promulgation of regulations by Secretary, and their publication, application, disapproval by Congress, and modification subsequent to disapproval.

1981—Subsec. (d)(1). Pub. L. 97–35 substituted "final regulation (except expected family contribution schedules and any amendments thereto promulgated pursuant to sections 1078(a)(2)(D) and (E) and 1089(a)(1) of this title) as required" for "final regulation as required".

1980—Subsec. (d)(1). Pub. L. 96-374 inserted ", in whole or in part" after "disapprove such final regulation".

1976—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 94-482, §405(a), added par. (1), designated existing provisions which constituted entire subsec. (a) as par. (2) and, as so redesignated, struck out applicability to rules, guidelines, interpretations, or orders.

Subsec. (b)(1). Pub. L. 94-482, \$405(b)(1), substituted "proposed regulation" for "standard, rule, regulation, or requirement of general applicability".

Subsec. (b)(2)(A). Pub. L. 94-482, §405(b)(2), substituted "regulation" for "standard, rule, regulation, or general requirement" in two places.

Subsec. (c). Pub. L. 94-482, \$405(c), struck out applicability to rules, guidelines, interpretations, or orders.

Subsec. (d)(1). Pub. L. 94-482,  $\S405(d)(1)$ , (2), struck out applicability to standards, rules, requirements, or requirements of general applicability.

Subsec. (d)(2). Pub. L. 94-482, §405(d)(3), substituted "regulation" for "standard, rule, regulation, or requirement" wherever appearing.

Subsec. (e). Pub. L. 94-482, §405(e), substituted "regulation" for "standard, rule, regulation, or requirement" wherever appearing and "final regulation" for "proposed standard, rule, regulation, or requirement of general applicability".

Subsec. (g). Pub. L. 94-482, §405(f), substituted "final regulations" for "rules, regulations, and guidelines" wherever appearing.

1975—Subsec. (d)(1). Pub. L. 94–142, §7(a)(1), (b), inserted "final" before "standard" wherever appearing in existing provisions and inserted provisions covering the effect of the failure of Congress to adopt the concurrent