

(1) a description of the findings of the investigation and analysis, including the methodology employed;

(2) a description of methods for optimizing Bureau of Reclamation project operations to ameliorate adverse impacts on groundwater,<sup>1</sup> and

(3) the Secretary's recommendations, along with the recommendations of the Governors of the affected States, concerning the establishment of a groundwater management and technical assistance program in the Department of the Interior in order to assist Federal and non-Federal entity development and implementation of groundwater management plans and activities.

**(b) Consultation with Governors**

In conducting the investigation and analysis, and in preparation of the report referred to in this section, the Secretary shall consult with the Governors of the affected States.

**(c) Report**

The report shall be submitted to the Committees on Appropriations and Natural Resources of the House of Representatives and the Committees on Appropriations and Energy and Natural Resources of the Senate within three years of the appropriation of funds authorized by section 390h-15 of this title.

(Pub. L. 102-575, title XVI, § 1632, formerly § 1616, Oct. 30, 1992, 106 Stat. 4668; Pub. L. 103-437, § 16(a)(2), Nov. 2, 1994, 108 Stat. 4594; renumbered § 1632 and amended Pub. L. 104-266, § 2(a)(1), (b)(2), Oct. 9, 1996, 110 Stat. 3290, 3294.)

**Editorial Notes**

REFERENCES IN TEXT

The High Plains Groundwater Demonstration Program Act of 1983, referred to in subsec. (a), is Pub. L. 98-434, Sept. 28, 1984, 98 Stat. 1675, which is classified generally to sections 390g to 390g-8 of this title. For complete classification of this Act to the Code, see Short Title note set out under section 390g of this title and Tables.

AMENDMENTS

1996—Subsec. (c). Pub. L. 104-266, § 2(b)(2), made technical amendment to reference in original act which appears in text as reference to section 390h-15 of this title.

1994—Subsec. (c). Pub. L. 103-437 substituted "Natural Resources" for "Interior and Insular Affairs" before "of the House".

**Statutory Notes and Related Subsidiaries**

CHANGE OF NAME

Geological Survey redesignated United States Geological Survey by provision of title I of Pub. L. 102-154, Nov. 13, 1991, 105 Stat. 1000, set out as a note under section 31 of this title.

**§ 390h-15. Authorization of appropriations**

There is authorized to be appropriated for fiscal years beginning after September 30, 1992, \$4,000,000 to carry out the study authorized by section 390h-14 of this title.

(Pub. L. 102-575, title XVI, § 1633, formerly § 1617, Oct. 30, 1992, 106 Stat. 4669; renumbered § 1633 and

amended Pub. L. 104-266, § 2(a)(1), (b)(3), Oct. 9, 1996, 110 Stat. 3290, 3294.)

**Editorial Notes**

AMENDMENTS

1996—Pub. L. 104-266, § 2(b)(3), made technical amendment to reference in original act which appears in text as reference to section 390h-14 of this title.

**§ 390h-16. Willow Lake Natural Treatment System Project**

**(a) Authorization**

The Secretary, in cooperation with the city of Salem, Oregon, is authorized to participate in the design, planning, and construction of the Willow Lake Natural Treatment System Project to reclaim and reuse wastewater within and without the service area of the city of Salem.

**(b) Cost share**

The Federal share of the cost of the project authorized by this section shall not exceed 25 percent of the total cost of the project.

**(c) Limitation**

The Secretary shall not provide funds for the operation and maintenance of the project authorized by this section.

(Pub. L. 102-575, title XVI, § 1634, as added Pub. L. 105-321, § 6(a), Oct. 30, 1998, 112 Stat. 3025.)

**§ 390h-17. Lakehaven, Washington, Water Reclamation and Reuse Project**

**(a) Authorization**

The Secretary, in cooperation with the Lakehaven Utility District, Washington, is authorized to participate in the design, planning, and construction of, and land acquisition for, a project to reclaim and reuse wastewater, including degraded groundwaters, within and outside of the service area of the Lakehaven Utility District.

**(b) Cost share**

The Federal share of the cost of the project authorized by this section shall not exceed 25 percent of the total cost of the project.

**(c) Limitation**

The Secretary shall not provide funds for the operation and maintenance of the project authorized by this section.

(Pub. L. 102-575, title XVI, § 1635, as added Pub. L. 107-344, § 1, Dec. 17, 2002, 116 Stat. 2893.)

**§ 390h-17a. Transferred**

**Editorial Notes**

CODIFICATION

Section, Pub. L. 102-575, title XVI, § 1636, as added Pub. L. 108-316, § 1(b), Oct. 5, 2004, 118 Stat. 1202, which related to the Williamson County, Texas, water recycling and reuse project, was renumbered section 1637 of Pub. L. 102-575 by Pub. L. 109-70, § 2(a)(1), Sept. 21, 2005, 119 Stat. 2009, and transferred to section 390h-19 of this title.

**§ 390h-18. Irvine basin groundwater and surface water improvement projects**

**(a) Authorization**

The Secretary, in cooperation with the Irvine Ranch Water District, California, is authorized

<sup>1</sup> So in original. The comma probably should be a semicolon.