

lution No. 423, One Hundred Second Congress, Apr. 9, 1992. Director of Non-legislative and Financial Services replaced by Chief Administrative Officer of House of Representatives by House Resolution No. 6, One Hundred Fourth Congress, Jan. 4, 1995.

CROSS REFERENCES

Salary and traveling expenses of Resident Commissioner from Puerto Rico paid by Sergeant at Arms, see section 894 of Title 48, Territories and Insular Possessions.

Statement of disbursements, see section 84 of this title.

SECTION REFERRED TO IN OTHER SECTIONS

This section is referred to in section 84 of this title.

§ 79. Symbol of office of Sergeant at Arms

The symbol of his office shall be the mace, which shall be borne by him while enforcing order on the floor.

(Oct. 1, 1890, ch. 1256, § 2, 26 Stat. 645.)

§ 80. Disbursement of compensation of House Members by Sergeant at Arms

The moneys which have been, or may be, appropriated for the compensation and mileage of Members and Delegates shall be paid at the Treasury on requisitions drawn by the Sergeant at Arms of the House of Representatives, and shall be kept, disbursed, and accounted for by him according to law, and he shall be a disbursing officer, but he shall not be entitled to any compensation additional to the salary fixed by law.

(Oct. 1, 1890, ch. 1256, § 3, 26 Stat. 645.)

TRANSFER OF FUNCTIONS

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SECTION REFERRED TO IN OTHER SECTIONS

This section is referred to in sections 25b, 84 of this title.

§ 80a. Deductions by Sergeant at Arms in disbursement of gratuity appropriations

The Sergeant at Arms of the House is authorized, in the disbursement of gratuity appropriations, to make deductions of such amounts as may be due to or through his office or as may be due the House of Representatives.

(May 29, 1928, ch. 853, § 1, 45 Stat. 885.)

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§ 81. Repealed. Pub. L. 93-344, title V, § 505(2), July 12, 1974, 88 Stat. 322

Section, act July 2, 1954, ch. 455, title I, 68 Stat. 400, directed that the fiscal year for the adjustment of the

accounts of Sergeant at Arms of House for compensation and mileage of Members, Delegates, and Resident Commissioner extend from July 1 to June 30.

EFFECTIVE DATE OF REPEAL

Repeal effective July 12, 1974, see section 905 of Pub. L. 93-344, set out as an Effective Date note under section 621 of this title.

§ 81a. Audits and reports of fiscal records of Sergeant at Arms

In order to provide additional protection for the appropriated and trust funds of the Office of the Sergeant at Arms of the House of Representatives, the Comptroller General of the United States shall, not less frequently than once each six months, detail employees of the General Accounting Office to make an on-the-spot audit of all receipts and disbursements pertaining to the fiscal records of such Office of the Sergeant at Arms. The Comptroller General shall report to the Speaker and Sergeant at Arms of the House of Representatives the results of each such audit.

(July 26, 1949, ch. 366, 63 Stat. 482.)

CODIFICATION

Section was formerly classified to section 62b of this title.

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§ 81b. Payment from House contingent fund for restoration or adjustment of trust fund account of Sergeant at Arms

There is authorized to be paid out of the contingent fund of the House, upon vouchers authorized and approved by the Committee on House Administration and signed by the chairman thereof, such sums as may be necessary to restore or otherwise adjust the trust fund account in the office of the Sergeant at Arms by the amount of any incorrect payments made therefrom as the result of errors not the result of bad faith or lack of due care made in cashing checks or making change while carrying out the functions of such office.

(June 27, 1956, ch. 453, title I, § 103, 70 Stat. 370.)

CODIFICATION

Section is based on House Resolution No. 465, Eighty-fourth Congress, Apr. 11, 1956, which was enacted into permanent law by act June 27, 1956.

CHANGE OF NAME

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§ 81c. Insurance of office funds of Sergeant at Arms; payment of premiums

The Sergeant at Arms of the House of Representatives is authorized and directed to protect the funds of his office by purchasing insurance, in the amount necessary to protect against loss with respect to such funds. Until otherwise provided by law, premiums on such insurance shall be paid out of the contingent fund of the House on vouchers signed by the Sergeant at Arms and approved by the Committee on House Administration.

(Pub. L. 85-75, title I, § 103, July 1, 1957, 71 Stat. 256.)

CODIFICATION

Section is based on House Resolution No. 144, Eighty-fifth Congress, Feb. 7, 1957, which was enacted into permanent law by Pub. L. 85-75.

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§ 82. Repealed. Pub. L. 92-310, title II, § 220(d), (e), June 6, 1972, 86 Stat. 204

Section, acts Oct. 1, 1890, ch. 1256, §§ 4, 5, 26 Stat. 645, 646; Mar. 2, 1895, ch. 177, § 5, 28 Stat. 807, required Sergeant at Arms of House of Representatives to give a bond in sum of \$50,000.

§ 83. Tenure of office of Sergeant at Arms

Any person duly elected and qualified as Sergeant at Arms of the House of Representatives shall continue in said office until his successor is chosen and qualified subject, however, to removal by the House of Representatives.

(Oct. 1, 1890, ch. 1256, § 6, 26 Stat. 646.)

§ 84. Statement of disbursements by Sergeant at Arms

The Sergeant at Arms of the House of Representatives shall prepare and submit to the House of Representatives, at the commencement of each regular session of Congress, a statement in writing exhibiting the several sums drawn by him pursuant to sections 78 and 80 of this title, the application and disbursement of the same, and the balance, if any, remaining in his hands.

(Oct. 1, 1890, ch. 1256, § 7, 26 Stat. 646.)

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§ 84-1. Omitted

CODIFICATION

Section, Pub. L. 98-51, title I, § 110, July 14, 1983, 97 Stat. 269, fixed compensation of Postmaster of House of Representatives. Office of Postmaster abolished by section 2 of House Resolution No. 423, One Hundred Second Congress, Apr. 9, 1992.

A prior section 84-1, which was based on section 3 of House Resolution No. 393, Ninety-fifth Congress, Mar. 31, 1977, as enacted into permanent law by Pub. L. 95-94, title I, § 115, Aug. 5, 1977, 91 Stat. 668, provided that per annum gross rate of compensation of Postmaster was to equal amount for level 13, step 5, of House Employees Schedule.

Another prior section 84-1, acts Aug. 5, 1955, ch. 568, § 5, 69 Stat. 508; Dec. 16, 1967, Pub. L. 90-206, title II, § 214(b), 81 Stat. 635, set forth compensation of Postmaster.

§ 84-2. Compensation of Chaplain of House

Effective May 1, 1977, and until otherwise provided by law, the per annum gross rate of compensation of the Chaplain of the House of Representatives shall be equal to the rate in effect from time to time for HS level 8, step 4, of the House Employees Schedule.

(Pub. L. 95-391, title I, § 111, Sept. 30, 1978, 92 Stat. 777.)

REFERENCES IN TEXT

The House Employees Schedule, referred to in text, is provided for by section 293 of this title.

CODIFICATION

Section is based on section 3 of House Resolution No. 661, Ninety-fifth Congress, July 29, 1977, which was enacted into permanent law by Pub. L. 95-391.

PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 84-2, Pub. L. 88-426, title II, § 203(f), Aug. 14, 1964, 78 Stat. 415; H. Res. 313, 89th Cong., Mar. 31, 1965, as enacted by Pub. L. 89-90, § 103, July 27, 1965, 79 Stat. 281; Pub. L. 90-206, title II, § 214(b), Dec. 16, 1967, 81 Stat. 635, provided that the compensation of Chaplain of House shall be at a gross per annum rate which is equal to the gross per annum rate of compensation of Chaplain of Senate, subject to further increases.

COMPENSATION OF INDIVIDUAL HOLDING POSITION OF CHAPLAIN OF HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES ON JULY 14, 1983

House Resolution No. 7, Ninety-sixth Congress, Jan. 15, 1979, which was enacted into permanent law by Pub. L. 98-51, title I, § 111(1), July 14, 1983, 97 Stat. 269, to be effective during the period in which the position of Chaplain of the House of Representatives is held by the individual holding the position on July 14, 1983, provided that: "The compensation of the Chaplain of the House of Representatives shall be equivalent to the highest rate of basic pay as in effect from time to time of level IV of the Executive Schedule in Section 5315 of Title V [5], United States Code."

INCREASES IN COMPENSATION

Increases in compensation for House officers and employees under authority of Federal Salary Act of 1967 (Pub. L. 90-206), Federal Pay Comparability Act of 1970 (Pub. L. 91-656), and Legislative Branch Appropriations