

(4) Nothing contained in this Act [sections 501 to 593 of this Appendix] shall prevent a waiver in writing of the benefits afforded by subsections (1) and (2) of this section by any surety, guarantor, endorser, accommodation maker, or other person whether primarily or secondarily liable upon the obligation or liability, except that no such waiver shall be valid unless it is executed as an instrument separate from the obligation or liability in respect of which it applies, and no such waiver shall be valid after the beginning of the period of military service if executed by an individual who subsequent to the execution of such waiver becomes a person in military service, or if executed by a dependent of such individual, unless executed by such individual or dependent during the period specified in section 106 [section 516 of this Appendix].

(Oct. 17, 1940, ch. 888, art. I, §103, 54 Stat. 1179; Oct. 6, 1942, ch. 581, §§2, 3, 56 Stat. 769; Mar. 18, 1991, Pub. L. 102-12, §9(3), 105 Stat. 39.)

AMENDMENTS

1991—Par. (4). Pub. L. 102-12, which directed that “after the date of the enactment of the Soldiers’ and Sailors’ Civil Relief Act Amendments of 1942” be struck out, was executed by striking out “after the date of enactment of the Soldiers’ and Sailors’ Civil Relief Act Amendments of 1942” before “no such waiver” to reflect the probable intent of Congress.

1942—Subsec. (1). Act Oct. 6, 1942, §2(a), substituted “accommodation makers, and others, whether primarily or secondarily” for “and others”.

Subsec. (2). Act Oct. 6, 1942, §2(b), substituted “accommodation maker, or other person whether primarily or secondarily” for “or other person”.

Subsecs. (3), (4). Act Oct. 6, 1942, §3, added subsecs. (3) and (4).

§ 514. Extension of benefits to citizens serving with forces of war allies

Persons who serve with the forces of any nation with which the United States may be allied in the prosecution of any war in which the United States engages while this Act [sections 501 to 593 of this Appendix] remains in force and who immediately prior to such service were citizens of the United States shall, except in those cases provided for in section 512 [section 572 of this Appendix], be entitled to the relief and benefits afforded by this Act [said sections] if such service is similar to military service as defined in this Act [said sections], unless they are dishonorably discharged therefrom, or it appears that they do not intend to resume United States citizenship.

(Oct. 17, 1940, ch. 888, art. I, §104, as added Oct. 6, 1942, ch. 581, §4, 56 Stat. 770.)

SECTION REFERRED TO IN OTHER SECTIONS

This section is referred to in title 5 section 5569.

§ 515. Notice of benefits to persons in and persons entering military service

The Secretary of Defense and the Secretary of Transportation, with respect to the Coast Guard when it is not operating as a service in the Navy, shall ensure the giving of notice of the benefits accorded by this Act [sections 501 to 593 of this Appendix] to persons in and to persons entering military service. The Director of Selec-

tive Service shall cooperate with the Secretary of Defense and the Secretary of Transportation in carrying out the provisions of this section.

(Oct. 17, 1940, ch. 888, art. I, §105, as added Oct. 6, 1942, ch. 581, §4, 56 Stat. 770; amended Mar. 18, 1991, Pub. L. 102-12, §9(4), 105 Stat. 39.)

AMENDMENTS

1991—Pub. L. 102-12 substituted “The Secretary of Defense and the Secretary of Transportation, with respect to the Coast Guard when it is not operating as a service in the Navy, shall ensure” for “The Secretary of War and the Secretary of the Navy shall make provision, in such manner as each may deem appropriate for his respective Department, to insure” in first sentence and “the Secretary of Defense and the Secretary of Transportation” for “the Secretary of War and the Secretary of the Navy” in second sentence.

SECTION REFERRED TO IN OTHER SECTIONS

This section is referred to in title 5 section 5569.

§ 516. Extension of benefits to persons ordered to report for induction or military service

Any person who has been ordered to report for induction under the Military Selective Service Act (50 U.S.C. App. 451 et seq.) shall be entitled to the relief and benefits accorded persons in military service under articles I, II, and III of this Act [sections 510 to 518, 520 to 527, and 530 to 536 of this Appendix] during the period beginning on the date of receipt of such order and ending on the date upon which such person reports for induction; and any member of a reserve component of the Armed Forces who is ordered to report for military service shall be entitled to such relief and benefits during the period beginning on the date of receipt of such order and ending on the date upon which such member reports for military service or the date on which the order is revoked, whichever is earlier.

(Oct. 17, 1940, ch. 888, art. I, §106, as added Oct. 6, 1942, ch. 581, §4, 56 Stat. 770; amended Mar. 18, 1991, Pub. L. 102-12, §9(5), 105 Stat. 39.)

REFERENCES IN TEXT

The Military Selective Service Act, referred to in text, is act June 24, 1948, ch. 625, 62 Stat. 604, as amended, which is classified principally to section 451 et seq. of this Appendix. For complete classification of this Act to the Code, see note set out under section 451 of this Appendix and Tables.

AMENDMENTS

1991—Pub. L. 102-12 substituted “Military Selective Service Act (50 U.S.C. App. 451 et seq.)” for “Selective Training and Service Act of 1940, as amended,” “a reserve component of the Armed Forces” for “the Enlisted Reserve Corps,” and “such member reports for military service or the date on which the order is revoked, whichever is earlier” for “he reports for such service”.

SECTION REFERRED TO IN OTHER SECTIONS

This section is referred to in sections 513, 517 of this Appendix; title 5 section 5569.

§ 517. Effect on rights, remedies, etc., pursuant to written agreements entered after commencement of military service

Nothing contained in this Act [sections 501 to 593 of this Appendix] shall prevent—