

deems appropriate and appoint and fix the compensation of employees to fill the positions so established; except that the annual rate of compensation payable to any employee appointed to fill any position established by the Secretary of the Senate shall not, for any period of time, be in excess of \$1,000 less than the annual rate of compensation of the Secretary of the Senate for that period of time; and except that nothing in this section shall be construed to affect any position authorized by statute, if the compensation for such position is to be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate.

(Pub. L. 97-51, § 114, Oct. 1, 1981, 95 Stat. 963.)

#### INCREASES IN COMPENSATION

Increases in compensation for Senate officers and employees under authority of Federal Pay Comparability Act of 1970 (Pub. L. 91-656), see Salary Directives of President pro tempore of the Senate, set out as notes under section 60a-1 of this title.

#### § 61b. Compensation of Parliamentarian of Senate

The Parliamentarian of the Senate may be paid at a maximum annual rate of compensation not to exceed \$39,000.

(Aug. 5, 1955, ch. 568, 69 Stat. 499; June 27, 1956, ch. 453, 70 Stat. 356; Pub. L. 93-371, § 4, Aug. 13, 1974, 88 Stat. 429; Pub. L. 94-59, title I, § 105, July 25, 1975, 89 Stat. 275.)

#### AMENDMENTS

1975—Pub. L. 94-59 substituted “\$39,000” for “\$37,620”, effective July 1, 1975.

1974—Pub. L. 93-371 substituted provisions authorizing a maximum annual rate of compensation not to exceed \$37,620 for Parliamentarian, for provisions authorizing a gross annual compensation of \$15,500 for Parliamentarian and \$7,620 for Assistant Parliamentarian, effective July 1, 1974.

1956—Act June 27, 1956, increased compensation of Parliamentarian of Senate from \$8,820 basic annual compensation to \$15,500 gross annual compensation, and basic annual compensation of Assistant Parliamentarian of Senate from \$7,260 to \$7,620, effective July 1, 1956.

#### 1974 ADJUSTMENT IN COMPENSATION NOT TO SUPERSEDE ADJUSTMENTS IN COMPENSATION OR LIMITATIONS BY PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE OF THE SENATE

Adjustment in compensation by Pub. L. 93-371 not to supersede order of President pro tempore of the Senate authorizing higher rate of compensation or any authority of the President pro tempore to adjust rates of compensation or limitations under section 4 of the Federal Pay Comparability Act of 1970, see section 4 of Pub. L. 93-371, set out in part as a note under section 61a of this title.

#### INCREASES IN COMPENSATION

Increases in compensation for Senate officers and employees under authority of Federal Salary Act of 1967 (Pub. L. 90-206) and Federal Pay Comparability Act of 1970 (Pub. L. 91-656), see section 60a-1 of this title, and Salary Directives of President pro tempore of the Senate set out as notes under that section.

#### SECRETARY OF SENATE TO FIX COMPENSATION OF ASSISTANT PARLIAMENTARIAN

Pub. L. 86-213, Sept. 1, 1959, 73 Stat. 443, authorized Secretary of Senate to fix compensation of Assistant Parliamentarian, on and after Sept. 1, 1959, at not to exceed \$7,620 basic per annum. See section 61a-11 of this title.

#### §§ 61b-1 to 61b-2. Omitted

##### CODIFICATION

Sections were omitted in view of section 61a-11 of this title which abolished all statutory positions in Office of Secretary of Senate, with specified exceptions, effective Oct. 1, 1981, and authorized Secretary of Senate to appoint and fix the compensation of such employees as appropriate.

Section 61b-1, Pub. L. 87-730, Oct. 2, 1962, 76 Stat. 680, provided for the appointment and compensation of a second assistant parliamentarian.

Section 61b-1a, Pub. L. 92-342, July 10, 1972, 86 Stat. 433; Pub. L. 95-94, title I, Aug. 5, 1977, 91 Stat. 654, provided for the appointment and compensation of a third assistant parliamentarian.

Section 61b-2, Pub. L. 90-608, ch. VII, § 701, Oct. 21, 1968, 82 Stat. 1195, provided for the appointment and compensation of a Curator of Art and Antiquities.

#### § 61b-3. Professional archivist; Secretary's authority to obtain services from General Services Administration

For each fiscal year (beginning with the fiscal year which ends September 30, 1982), the Secretary of the Senate is authorized to expend from the contingent fund of the Senate such amount as may be necessary to enable the Secretary to obtain from the General Services Administration the services of a professional archivist. Such services shall be obtained on a reimbursable basis and shall not be obtained except with the consent of the General Services Administration and the Committee on Rules and Administration.

(Pub. L. 97-92, title I, § 125, Dec. 15, 1981, 95 Stat. 1198.)

#### REIMBURSEMENT OF ARCHIVIST OF THE UNITED STATES FOR EXPENDITURES FOR PROJECT TO PROVIDE FOR PRESERVATION OF RECORDS OF CONTINUING VALUE OF SENATE; PAYMENT, ETC., OF AMOUNTS

Pub. L. 97-257, title I, § 107, Sept. 10, 1982, 96 Stat. 850, provided that: “For the fiscal year ending September 30, 1982, and for each of the next three succeeding fiscal years, the Secretary of the Senate is authorized to pay to the General Services Administration such amounts as may be necessary to reimburse the Archivist of the United States for expenditures made to conduct a project to provide for the proper preservation of the Senate's records of continuing value, which expenditures cannot be defrayed from funds otherwise available for such purpose. The aggregate of the sums paid to the General Services Administration under this section shall not exceed \$300,000. Amounts paid under this section shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate on vouchers approved by the Secretary of the Senate.”

#### § 61c. Omitted

##### CODIFICATION

Section, Pub. L. 94-59, title I, July 25, 1975, 89 Stat. 270, which set the compensation for certain positions in office of Secretary of Senate, was omitted for lack of general applicability.

##### PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 61c, acts Aug. 5, 1955, ch. 568, § 1, 69 Stat. 499; June 27, 1956, ch. 453, 70 Stat. 356; Aug. 21, 1959, Pub. L. 86-176, 73 Stat. 398; Aug. 10, 1961, Pub. L. 87-130, 75 Stat. 320, set basic annual compensation of certain positions in office of Secretary of Senate.

**§ 61c-1. Adjustment of rate of compensation by Secretary of Senate**

Any specific rate of compensation established by law, as such rate has been increased or may hereafter be increased by or pursuant to law, for any position under the jurisdiction of the Secretary shall be considered as the maximum rate of compensation for that position, and the Secretary is authorized to adjust the rate of compensation of an individual occupying any such position to a rate not exceeding such maximum rate.

(Pub. L. 91-382, Aug. 18, 1970, 84 Stat. 808.)

INCREASES IN COMPENSATION

Increases in compensation for Senate officers and employees under authority of Federal Pay Comparability Act of 1970 (Pub. L. 91-656), see section 60a-1 of this title, and Salary Directives of President pro tempore of the Senate, set out as notes under that section.

**§ 61c-2. Compensation of Assistants to Majority and Minority in Office of Secretary of Senate**

The Assistant to the Majority of the Senate and the Assistant to the Minority of the Senate in the Office of the Secretary of the Senate may each be paid a maximum annual rate of compensation not to exceed \$36,500.

(Pub. L. 94-59, title I, §105, July 25, 1975, 89 Stat. 275.)

PRIOR PROVISIONS

Pub. L. 89-90, July 27, 1965, 79 Stat. 266, prescribed basic compensation of assistants to Majority and Minority at not more than \$8,160 per annum each effective July 1, 1965.

Act May 19, 1956, ch. 313, Ch. XII, 70 Stat. 175, provided that basic compensation of assistant to majority and assistant to minority may be fixed by majority and minority leaders, respectively, at a rate not to exceed \$8,820 per annum.

EFFECTIVE DATE

Section 105 of Pub. L. 94-59 provided that this section is effective July 1, 1975.

INCREASES IN COMPENSATION

Increases in compensation for Senate officers and employees under authority of Federal Pay Comparability Act of 1970 (Pub. L. 91-656), see Salary Directives of the President pro tempore of the Senate, set out as notes under section 60a-1 of this title.

**§ 61d. Compensation of Chaplain of Senate**

Effective with respect to pay periods beginning on or after December 22, 1987, the Chaplain of the Senate shall be compensated at a rate equal to the annual rate of basic pay for level IV of the Executive Schedule under section 5315 of title 5.

(Pub. L. 100-202, §101(i) [title I, §2(a)], Dec. 22, 1987, 101 Stat. 1329-290, 1329-294.)

CODIFICATION

Section is from the Congressional Operations Appropriations Act, 1988, which is title I of the Legislative Branch Appropriations Act, 1988.

PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 61d, Pub. L. 93-145, Nov. 1, 1973, 87 Stat. 528; Pub. L. 95-26, title I, May 4, 1977, 91 Stat. 80;

Pub. L. 96-38, title I, §103, July 25, 1979, 93 Stat. 112; Pub. L. 97-51, §121, Oct. 1, 1981, 95 Stat. 965, provided that effective October 1, 1981, the compensation of Chaplain of Senate would be \$52,750.

Another prior section 61d, acts Aug. 5, 1955, ch. 568, §1, 69 Stat. 499; July 12, 1960, Pub. L. 86-628, 74 Stat. 446; Aug. 14, 1964, Pub. L. 88-426, title II, §203(h), 78 Stat. 415; Dec. 12, 1969, Pub. L. 91-145, 83 Stat. 340; Aug. 18, 1970, Pub. L. 91-382, 84 Stat. 808, made provision for the appointment of a Secretary to Chaplain of Senate and prescribed compensation of Chaplain of Senate and Secretary to Chaplain.

INCREASES IN COMPENSATION

Increases in compensation for Senate officers and employees under authority of Federal Pay Comparability Act of 1970 (Pub. L. 91-656), see Salary Directives of President pro tempore of the Senate, set out as notes under section 60a-1 of this title.

**§ 61d-1. Compensation of employees of Chaplain of Senate**

The Chaplain of the Senate may appoint and fix the compensation of such employees as he deems appropriate, except that the amount which may be paid for any fiscal year as gross compensation for personnel in such Office for any fiscal year shall not exceed \$147,000.

(Pub. L. 91-145, Dec. 12, 1969, 83 Stat. 340; Pub. L. 100-202, §101(i) [title I, §2(b)], Dec. 22, 1987, 101 Stat. 1329-290, 1329-294; Pub. L. 101-163, title I, §10, Nov. 21, 1989, 103 Stat. 1046.)

PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 61d-1, Pub. L. 93-371, Aug. 13, 1974, 88 Stat. 424; Pub. L. 96-38, title I, §103, July 25, 1979, 93 Stat. 112, authorized Chaplain of Senate to appoint and fix compensation of a secretary at not to exceed \$20,034 per annum.

AMENDMENTS

1989—Pub. L. 101-163 substituted “such employees as he deems appropriate, except that the amount which may be paid for any fiscal year as gross compensation for personnel in such Office for any fiscal year shall not exceed \$147,000” for “a secretary”.

1987—Pub. L. 100-202 amended section generally. Prior to amendment, section read as follows: “The Chaplain may appoint and fix the compensation of a secretary at not to exceed \$8,541 per annum.”

INCREASES IN COMPENSATION

Increases in compensation for Senate officers and employees under authority of Federal Pay Comparability Act of 1970 (Pub. L. 91-655), see Salary Directives of President pro tempore of the Senate, set out as notes under section 60a-1 of this title.

**§ 61d-2. Postage allowance for Chaplain of Senate**

The Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed to procure and furnish each fiscal year (commencing with the fiscal year ending September 30, 1982) to the Chaplain of the Senate, upon the request of the Chaplain of the Senate, United States postage stamps in such amounts as may be necessary for the mailing of postal matters arising in connection with his official business.

(Pub. L. 97-51, §127(b)(1), Oct. 1, 1981, 95 Stat. 966.)

PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 61d-2, Pub. L. 94-303, title I, §114, June 1, 1976, 90 Stat. 614, authorized a postage allowance for