- (4) McGovern-Dole Food for Education Program (7 U.S.C. 17360-1).
- (5) Local and Regional Procurement Program (7 U.S.C. 1726c).
- (6) Bill Emerson Humanitarian Trust Act (7 U.S.C. 1736f-1).
- (7) Any other food and nutrition security and emergency and non-emergency food assistance program of the Department of Agriculture.

(Pub. L. 114-195, §9, July 20, 2016, 130 Stat. 684.)

## **Editorial Notes**

#### References in Text

The amendments made by this Act, referred to in subsec. (a), are the amendments made by Pub. L. 114–195, section 7(c) of which amended sections 2292 and 2292a of this title.

The Food for Peace Act, referred to in subsec. (b)(1), is act July 10, 1954, ch. 469, 68 Stat. 454, which is classified generally to chapter 41 (§1691 et seq.) of Title 7, Agriculture. For complete classification of this Act to the Code, see Short Title note set out under section 1691 of Title 7 and Tables.

The Food for Progress Act of 1985, referred to in subsec. (b)(2), is Pub. L. 99–198, title XI, §1110, Dec. 23, 1985, 99 Stat. 1472, which is classified to section 1736o of Title 7. Agriculture.

The Bill Emerson Humanitarian Trust Act, referred to in subsec. (b)(6), is title III of Pub. L. 96–494, as added by Pub. L. 104–127, title II, §225(a), Apr. 4, 1996, 110 Stat. 959, which is classified to section 1736f–1 of Title 7, Agriculture

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## § 9401. Definitions

In this chapter:

# (1) Act of international terrorism

terrorist activities.

The term "act of international terrorism" has the meaning given that term in section 14 of the Iran Sanctions Act of 1996 (Public Law 104–172; 50 U.S.C. 1701 note).

# (2) Appropriate congressional committees

The term "appropriate congressional committees" has the meaning given that term in

section 14 of the Iran Sanctions Act of 1996 (Public Law 104–172; 50 U.S.C. 1701 note).

#### (3) Foreign person

The term "foreign person" means a person that is not a United States person.

## (4) Iranian person

The term "Iranian person" means—

- (A) an individual who is a citizen or national of Iran; or
- (B) an entity organized under the laws of Iran or otherwise subject to the jurisdiction of the Government of Iran.

#### (5) IRGC

The term "IRGC" means Iran's Islamic Revolutionary Guard Corps.

## (6) Knowingly

The term "knowingly" has the meaning given that term in section 14 of the Iran Sanctions Act of 1996 (Public Law 104–172; 50 U.S.C. 1701 note).

# (7) United States person

The term "United States person" means—

- (A) a United States citizen or an alien lawfully admitted for permanent residence to the United States; or
- (B) an entity organized under the laws of the United States or of any jurisdiction within the United States, including a foreign branch of such an entity.

(Pub. L. 115-44, title I, §102, Aug. 2, 2017, 131 Stat. 888.)

## Statutory Notes and Related Subsidiaries

# SHORT TITLE

Pub. L. 115–44, §1(a), Aug. 2, 2017, 131 Stat. 886, provided that: "This Act [enacting this chapter, chapter 102 of this title, sections 8909, 8910, 9221a, 9225, 9241a, and 9241b of this title, and section 1232c of Title 33, Navigation and Navigable Waters, amending sections 2708, 8901, 8907, 8908, 8923, 8924, 9202, 9214, 9223, 9228, and 9241 of this title, section 5326 of Title 31, Money and Finance, sections 1223 and 1232 of Title 33, and section 3021 of Title 50, War and National Defense, repealing section 9225 of this title, and enacting provisions set out as notes under this section, sections 9201, 9202, 9214, 9241, and 9501 of this title, and section 3021 of Title 50] may be cited as the 'Countering America's Adversaries Through Sanctions Act'."

Pub. L. 115-44, title I, §101, Aug. 2, 2017, 131 Stat. 888, provided that: "This title [enacting this chapter] may be cited as the 'Countering Iran's Destabilizing Activities Act of 2017'."

## §9402. Regional strategy for countering conventional and asymmetric Iranian threats in the Middle East and North Africa

## (a) In general

Not later than 180 days after August 2, 2017, and every 2 years thereafter, the Secretary of State, the Secretary of Defense, the Secretary of the Treasury, and the Director of National Intelligence shall jointly develop and submit to the appropriate congressional committees and leadership a strategy for deterring conventional and asymmetric Iranian activities and threats that directly threaten the United States and key allies in the Middle East, North Africa, and beyond