making the substitution for text which included the word "preference" rather than "preferences" to reflect the probable intent of Congress.

1992—Subsec. (b)(2). Pub. L. 102–550, §309(1), inserted "and limitation on conditions of approval" in heading and inserted at end of text "The Secretary may not require the prepayment of the mortgage on eligible low-income housing for the approval of a plan of action involving a homeownership program for the housing."

Subsec. (b)(3)(E). Pub. L. 102-550, §309(2), added subpar. (E).

Subsec. (b)(8). Pub. L. 102-550, §309(3), substituted "Except in the case of limited equity cooperatives, resident" for "Resident".

Subsec. (b)(10). Pub. L. 102–550, §309(4), struck out ", as determined by the Secretary," after "entity that assumes", substituted "4112(c)" for "4112(d)", and struck out at end "This requirement shall only apply to an entity, such as a cooperative association, that, as determined by the Secretary, intends to own the housing on a permanent basis."

# § 4117. Delegated responsibility to State agencies (a) In general

In addition to any responsibilities delegated under section 4103(c) of this title, the Secretary shall delegate some or all responsibility for implementing this subchapter to a State housing agency if such agency submits a preservation plan acceptable to the Secretary.

### (b) Approval

State preservation plans shall be submitted in such form and in accordance with such procedures as the Secretary shall establish. The Secretary may approve plans that contain—

- (1) an inventory of low-income housing located within the State that is or will be eligible low-income housing under this subchapter within 5 years;
- (2) a description of the agency's experience in the area of multifamily financing and restructuring;
- (3) a description of the administrative resources that the agency will commit to the processing of plans of action in accordance with this subchapter;
- (4) a description of the administrative resources that the agency will commit to the monitoring of approved plans of action in accordance with this subchapter;
- (5) an independent analysis of the performance of the multifamily housing inventory financed or otherwise monitored by the agency;
- (6) a certification by the public official responsible for submitting the comprehensive housing affordability strategy under section 12705 of title 42 that the proposed activities are consistent with the approved housing strategy of the State within which the eligible low-income housing is located; and
- (7) such other certifications or information that the Secretary determines to be necessary or appropriate to achieve the purposes of this subchapter.

## (c) Implementation agreements

The Secretary may enter into any agreements necessary to implement an approved State preservation plan, which may include incentives that are authorized under other provisions of this subchapter.

(Pub. L. 100–242, title II, §227, as added Pub. L. 101–625, title VI, §601(a), Nov. 28, 1990, 104 Stat. 4270.)

## Statutory Notes and Related Subsidiaries

#### REGULATIONS

Pub. L. 102–550, title III,  $\S315$ , Oct. 28, 1992, 106 Stat. 3770, provided that: "The Secretary of Housing and Urban Development shall issue interim regulations implementing section 227 of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1987 (as amended by section 601(a) of the Cranston-Gonzalez National Affordable Housing Act) [12 U.S.C. 4117] not later than the expiration of the 30-day period beginning on the date of the enactment of this Act [Oct. 28, 1992], which shall take effect upon issuance. The Secretary shall issue final regulations implementing such section 227 after notice and opportunity for public comment regarding the interim regulations, pursuant to the provisions of section 553 of title 5, United States Code (notwithstanding subsections (a)(2), (b)(B), and (d)(3) of such section). The duration of the period for public comment shall not be less than 60 days, and the final regulations shall be issued not later than the expiration of the 60-day period beginning upon the conclusion of the comment period and shall take effect upon issuance.

## § 4118. Consultations with other interested parties

The Secretary shall confer with any appropriate State or local government agency to confirm any State or local assistance that is available to achieve the purposes of this title <sup>1</sup> and shall give consideration to the views of any such agency when making determinations under this subchapter. The Secretary shall also confer with appropriate interested parties that the Secretary believes could assist in the development of a plan of action that best achieves the purposes of this subchapter.

(Pub. L. 100–242, title II,  $\S228$ , as added Pub. L. 101–625, title VI,  $\S601(a)$ , Nov. 28, 1990, 104 Stat. 4271.)

# **Editorial Notes**

## REFERENCES IN TEXT

This title, referred to in text, means title II of Pub. L. 100-242, as amended by Pub. L. 101-625, title VI, §601(a), Nov. 28, 1990, 104 Stat. 4249, known as the Low-Income Housing Preservation and Resident Homeownership Act of 1990, which is classified principally to this chapter. For complete classification of this Act to the Code, see Short Title note set out under section 4101 of this title and Tables.

## § 4119. Definitions

For purposes of this subchapter:

(1) The term "eligible low-income housing" means any housing financed by a loan or mortgage—

(A) that is-

- (i) insured or held by the Secretary under section 1715l(d)(3) of this title and receiving loan management assistance under section 1437f of title 42 due to a conversion from section 1701s of this title;
- (ii) insured or held by the Secretary and bears interest at a rate determined under the proviso of section 1715l(d)(5) of this title:
- (iii) insured, assisted, or held by the Secretary or a State or State agency under section 1715z-1 of this title; or

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See References in Text note below.