

1 (d) *LIMITATION ON SIZE OF MILITARY DEPARTMENT*
2 *STAFF.*—*The total number of persons assigned or detailed to*
3 *the department staff or staffs of a military department may*
4 *not exceed 85 percent of the total number of persons on the*
5 *service secretariat and headquarters staff or staffs of that*
6 *military department before the reorganization of that depart-*
7 *ment under this Act. The Secretary of Defense shall ensure*
8 *that the reduction of the number of persons on staffs of mili-*
9 *tary headquarters results in a reduction in the number of*
10 *persons that are assigned to duty in the Washington, D.C.,*
11 *area.*

12 **SEC. 403. LIMITATION OF DEPARTMENT STAFF FUNCTIONS.**

13 (a) *JOINT STAFF.*—*The Secretary of Defense, in carry-*
14 *ing out the reorganization required by this title, shall provide*
15 *that operation and planning responsibilities that are dupli-*
16 *cated by the staff of the Joint Chiefs of Staff shall be shifted*
17 *to that staff.*

18 (b) *DECENTRALIZATION OF NON-HEADQUARTERS*
19 *FUNCTIONS.*—*The Secretary of Defense, in carrying out the*
20 *reorganization required by this title, and the Secretaries of*
21 *the military departments shall provide that functions that*
22 *may be performed by subordinate commands outside of the*
23 *Washington, D.C., area shall be reassigned to those*
24 *commands.*