1 "(1) the Vice Chief of Staff shall perform the
2 duties of the Chief of Staff until a successor is appoint-
3 ed or the absence or disability ceases; or
4 "(2) if there is a vacancy in the office of the Vice
5 Chief of Staff or the Vice Chief of Staff is absent or
6 disabled, unless the President directs otherwise, the
7 most senior officer of the Air Force in the Air Staff
8 who is not absent or disabled and who is not restricted
9 in performance of duty shall perform the duties of the
10 Chief of Staff until a successor to the Chief of Staff or
11 the Vice Chief of Staff is appointed or until the ab-
12 sence or disability of the Chief of Staff or Vice Chief of
13 Staff ceases, whichever occurs first."; and
14 (5) striking out the section heading and inserting
15 in lieu thereof the following new heading:
16 **"§ 8034. Vice Chief of Staff: appointment; powers and**
17 **duties; succession to duties of Chief of Staff".**
18 (e) DEPUTY CHIEFS OF STAFF.—Chapter 805 is fur-
19 ther amended by inserting after section 8034 the following
20 new section:
21 **"§ 8035. Deputy Chiefs of Staff and Assistant Chiefs of**
22 **Staff: detail**
23 "The Deputy Chiefs of Staff and the Assistant Chiefs of
24 Staff shall be general officers detailed to those positions.".