

The Division of Correction operates seven minimum security pre-release facilities, formerly known as correctional camps, which provide work and other rehabilitative opportunities for men and women transferred to these installations. For the most part, these facilities house inmates who are participating in the Work Release Program. The Central Laundry Pre-Release Unit was established in July 1960 to serve the laundry needs of institutions under the jurisdiction of the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene. Before assignment to one of the pre-release units, inmates are carefully screened either at the Reception Center or at the institutions to which they are assigned.

The minimum security pre-release units were originally established as work camps by Chapter 266, Acts of 1955 (Code 1957, Art. 27, sec. 689f), and subsequently were known as correctional camps. The Sandy Point Correctional Camp was relocated in Jessup and its name changed to the Maryland Correctional Camp Center by Chapter 385, Acts of 1966. Effective July 1978, the two Pre-Release Units established under the Community Adult Rehabilitation Centers (CARC) legislation (Art. 27, secs. 706-710E)—the Community Corrections Center for Women in Baltimore and the CARC Center on Greenmount Avenue in Baltimore City—were placed under the jurisdiction of the new correctional pre-release system.

On August 16, 1978, the Board of Public Works approved the request of the Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services to rename the correctional camps as "pre-release units." This change was effected divisionwide September 1, 1978. In 1979, the camp known as the Maryland Correctional Camp Center was converted to a medium security facility. This facility, however, continues to be operated by the Maryland Correctional Pre-Release System. For the purpose of identification, this facility is titled the Brockbridge Correctional Facility. The administrative offices of the pre-release system are located in Jessup.

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The State Use Industries Advisory Committee was created in 1981 (Chapter 661, Acts of 1981). The Committee is responsible for recommending the establishment and maintenance of industrial plants and service centers within the Division of Correction. These plants and centers are used for implementing the State Use Industries programs developed by the Commissioner of Correction and the general manager of State Use Industries. The sites are operated primarily with inmates in a manner beneficial to the State and to the training of inmates. State Use Industries provides services and produces goods needed and used by 1) State institutions or agencies; 2) political subdivisions of the State; 3) any federal institution or agency; 4) any institution, agency, or political subdivision of another state; and 5) any charitable, civic, educational, fraternal, or religious association, institution, or agency for its own use and not for resale to others within one year of purchase.

Members of the Advisory Committee are the Commissioner of Correction, *ex officio*; Comptroller of the Treasury; Secretaries of the Departments of Agriculture, Budget and Fiscal Planning, Economic and Community Development, General Services, and Human Resources; two General Assembly members, one chosen by the President of the Senate and one by the Speaker of the House; Executive Director, State Board for Community Colleges; and State Superintendent of Schools. Four members of private industry are also Advisory Committee members. They are appointed by the Governor to three-year terms. The General Manager of State Use Industries serves as Executive Secretary. Annually the Committee elects a chairperson.

Members of the Advisory Committee receive no compensation for their services, but may be reimbursed for their necessary expenses while serving as members of the Committee (Code 1957, Article 27, sec. 681A).

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