

EXECUTIVE ORDERS

WHEREAS, In the interest of governmental efficiency, it is desirable to eliminate agencies which perform overlapping functions:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MARVIN MANDEL, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND, BY VIRTUE OF THE AUTHORITY VESTED IN ME BY ARTICLE 2, SECTION 24, OF THE CONSTITUTION OF MARYLAND, HEREBY PROMULGATE THE FOLLOWING EXECUTIVE ORDER:

1. The Maryland State Advisory Council on Vocational and Technical Education, established in 1965 and reconstituted by Governor Agnew in 1969, is hereby abolished, effective July 1, 1971.
2. All books, papers, files, records, furniture, fixtures, and all other personal property owned by or in the custody, as of June 30, 1971, of the Maryland State Advisory Council on Vocational and Technical Education shall be transferred to and be in the ownership or custody of the Maryland State Advisory Council on Vocational-Technical Education, which was established by Chapter 646 of the Acts of 1971.
3. All prior Executive Orders, directives or actions by any Governor or by any agency of the Executive Branch of the State Government, which are inconsistent with the provisions of this Executive Order, are hereby revoked to the extent of any such inconsistency.

EXECUTIVE ORDER OF JUNE 15, 1971

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

WHEREAS, On January 20, 1969, an Executive Order was promulgated requiring that all State departments which plan to enter into or renew any contracts with consulting firms or consultants must receive prior approval from the Department of Budget and Procurement (now the Department of Budget and Fiscal Planning); and

WHEREAS, Article 41, Section 207(f) of the Annotated Code of Maryland, requires prior approval of Department of Transportation consulting contracts by the Board of Public Works; and

WHEREAS, To require that the Department of Transportation seek two approvals of its consulting contracts would be a burdensome procedure administratively and would cause delay in any final approval of such contracts;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MARVIN MANDEL, BY VIRTUE OF THE AUTHORITY VESTED IN ME AS GOVERNOR OF MARYLAND, HEREBY PROMULGATE THE FOLLOWING ORDER EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY:

The Executive Order dated January 20, 1969, relating to approval of all State consulting contracts by the Department of Budget and Procurement (now the Department of Budget and Fiscal Planning) shall not be applicable to the Department of Transportation. However, the Department of Transportation, before it enters into any consulting contract, shall submit said contract to the Department of Budget and Fiscal Planning, and the Department of Budget and