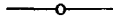


conferring and formulating proposals concerning effective means to secure intergovernmental harmony and is required by the creating act to report to the Governor and to the Legislature within fifteen days after the convening of each regular session and at other times deemed appropriate (Code 1951, Art. 40, secs. 15-22).



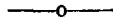
SOUTHERN REGIONAL COUNCIL FOR EDUCATION

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The Southern Regional Council for Education was established by a compact of fourteen Southern states. Its purpose is to pool the educational resources of the several Southern states to the end that regional institutions of a high caliber will be developed in the various states. Maryland students, unable to secure training in the desired field, are educated in an institution of one of the participating states which offers such courses. The administrative work of the Council in Maryland is carried on by the University of Maryland (Acts 1949, ch. 282).

Appropriation	1953	1954
General Fund	\$71,500	\$74,500



ATLANTIC STATES MARINE FISHERIES COMMISSION

Commissioners from the State of Maryland: Arthur H. Brice, Chairman, Commission of Tidewater Fisheries; Louis L. Goldstein, Member of the State Senate; Appointed by the Governor: Harold D. Kennerley, Jr., 1956.

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The Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission is an outgrowth of the "Eastern Conservation Conferences" begun in 1937. A compact was drawn up and ratified by seven states, including Maryland, in 1941. This compact which was approved by the United States Congress and signed by the President in 1942 is the legal basis of the Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission which today has a membership of fifteen Eastern Seaboard States.

Each State is represented by three Commissioners, one of whom must be the chairman or director of the fisheries management agency, one a legislator and a member of the Interstate Cooperation Committee; and the third selected by the Governor for a term of three years. The Commission acts in an advisory capacity only, aiding in the development of joint programs dealing with a single species or a body of water common to two or more states. These may result in uniform laws or varying but coordinated measures as the circumstances require. To accomplish these ends, the Commission usually meets in committees for the consideration of a particular species of fish or group of species; or in four regional groups as follows: (1) the North Atlantic States, (2) the Middle Atlantic States, (3)