The Governor may grant executive elemency, reprieves, or pardons to any person who is a prisoner of the State and may remit any fine or portion thereof to any person who has paid the fine. He may extradite prisoners or persons wanted by other States upon the presentation of a writ of extradition and may issue a warrant for the arrest of any person so wanted. The Governor may also ask for the return to this State of any prisoner or person of another State wanted for the violation of the laws of Maryland (II, 20).

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The Advisory Council may be called from time to time by the Governor for the consideration of general State policies, finances, and departmental and institutional work and conditions. Membership is ex officio (Code 1957, Art. 41, sec. 44).

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The Governor is authorized to appoint at his pleasure a military staff which may consist of the Adjutant General and not more than twelve aides selected from the Commissioned Officers of the National Guard and Naval Militia (Code 1957, Art. 65, sec. 9).

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