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Juvenile Services

STATE DEPARTMENT OF JUVENILE SERVICES

Advisory Board of Juvenile Services

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The Department

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The State Department of Juvenile Services, created by Chapter 126, Acts of 1966, is the central coordinating administrative agency for juvenile investigation, probation and after-care services, and for State juvenile diagnostic, training, detention, and rehabilitation institutions. On July 1, 1967, the Department assumed administrative responsibility for all State juvenile training schools, children's centers, and boys' forestry camps, all of which were formerly administered by the State Department of Public Welfare. On the same date, the Department incorporated into a single Statewide program the juvenile probation and after-care services provided by the counties, Baltimore City, the State Department of Public Welfare, and the State Department of Parole and Probation.

The Department is administered by a Director appointed by the Governor. There is a twelve-member Advisory Board of Juvenile Services which acts in a general consultative and advisory capacity to the Director. The Board consists of representatives of the State Department of Education, the State Department of Health, the State Department of Mental Hygiene, the State Police, and the Department of Public Welfare, as well as representatives of the judiciary of the State. Three members represent volunteer child welfare agencies, and three members are chosen from the public at large because of their experience and interest in minors and in juvenile problems. Members may serve only two consecutive terms. The Governor appoints the Chairman.

The Board has the duty of recommending to the Director policies and programs designed to improve the State's juvenile services. The Board also participates in interpreting the objectives of the Depart-