

official or agency of this State, must at the same time furnish a copy of the program, plan, or proposal to the Council for such recommendation as may be appropriate.

The Council also submits an annual report to the Governor and the General Assembly which includes a report of its activities, together with the results of any studies it has undertaken or completed, together with such plans or recommendations respecting higher education (Code 1957, 1969 Repl. Vol., Art. 77, secs. 325-328).

Appropriations	1973	1974
General Funds	\$351,653	\$386,753
Staff: 1973, 15; Staff: 1974, 17.		

STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

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A centralized administration of the Maryland public schools was attempted in 1865, but the General Assembly did not establish the State Board of Education until 1870 (Ch. 311, Acts of 1870). The Board, composed of seven members appointed by the Governor for staggered seven-year terms, makes policy for the public school system and passes the by-laws and regulations that govern it (Code 1957, 1969 Repl. Vol., Art. 77, Secs. 2-22).

The State Board of Education appoints the State Superintendent of Schools for a four-year term. He directs the State Department of Education and executes the policy and enforces the regulations adopted by the Board (Code 1957, 1969 Repl. Vol., Art. 77, secs. 23-33). The State Department of Education consists of the State