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The Governor's Youth Advisory Council was created within the Department of Human Resources by Executive Order in 1971.

The Governor's Youth Advisory Council is charged with communicating to the Governor, the Legislature and the citizenry of the State, the concerns of Maryland youth on matters involving State programs, policies and legislation which affect the young people of the State.

The Delegates to the Council comprise one-hundred and fifteen members between the ages of thirteen and twenty-two, all chosen from diverse backgrounds. One hundred were chosen at random by utilizing a formula which insures equitable distribution by age, race, sex and geography. Fifteen were selected by direct appointment of the Governor.

Staff: 2.

STATE MANPOWER PLANNING OFFICE

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The State Manpower Planning Office was created by Executive Order on July 1, 1976, as an agency of the State Department of Human Resources to administer appropriate sections of the Comprehensive Employment and Training Act of 1973 (CETA), Public Law 93-203, Federal legislation which replaced in principle the expired Manpower Development and Training Act (MDTA), the Economic Opportunity Act (EOA), the Emergency Employment Act (EEA), and the Cooperative Area Manpower Planning System (CAMPS).

The Comprehensive Employment and Training Act provides funds directly to eligible units of government to implement manpower programs. An eligible unit of government under CETA is known as a prime sponsor. The Comprehensive Employment and Training Act was created to serve the unemployed, underemployed, and economically disadvantaged segment of the general workforce. Manpower plans consist of the following programs: adult and youth work experience, vocational classroom training in demand occupational areas, public service employment, summer youth employment, on-the-job training in the private and public sectors and supportive client services, e.g. outreach and intake, client assessment and job counseling, job development and job matching. State government is the prime sponsor for the counties of the Eastern Shore and Southern Maryland. All other areas of the State fall under the jurisdiction of local county or city governments. The State Manpower Planning Office has the responsibility for meeting all Federal grant application requirements for CETA and for implementing all plans at the local level. As part of the Federal grant requirements, the State Manpower Planning Office provides staff support for the State Manpower Planning Council, appointed by the Governor and convened to review and make recommendations on manpower plans developed with CETA funds for the Eastern Shore and Southern Maryland counties. The Chairman of the State Manpower Planning Council has been appointed by the Governor and acts on his behalf in all matters relevant to State prime sponsorship.