

nating Council, the Secretary of Public Safety and Correctional Services, and the Attorney General of Maryland. The Governor designates the chairperson (Code 1957, Art. 27, secs. 742-755).

MARYLAND SCHOOLS FOR THE DEAF

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The Maryland School for the Deaf was established in 1868 as a free public residential school for deaf and hard-of-hearing children who reside in the State. The Governor appoints the thirty members of the Board of Visitors for indefinite terms (Chap. 247, Acts of 1867; Chap. 409, Acts of 1868; Chap. 19, Acts of 1880; Chap. 76, Acts of 1916; Chap. 148 as amended, Acts of 1957).

Chapter 462, Acts of 1968, established a branch of the Maryland School for the Deaf to be located near the population center of the State and to be administered and operated as part of and subject to the Maryland School for the Deaf.

The first phase of this branch school, which is called *Columbia Campus Maryland School for*

the Deaf, opened in September 1973 (Code Education Article, sec. 8-304).

The school offers an academic education similar to that of public schools and in addition provides thorough instruction in communication skills, including speech and speech reading, signs and fingerspelling, auditory training, and use of individual hearing aids. In addition to the academic program, courses of study in vocational education are also offered to both male and female students. The vocational training includes industrial arts, homemaking, woodworking, auto-body shop, and electro-mechanics. The school offers a broad athletic and physical education program, including such major sports as football, baseball, track, gymnastics, wrestling, and swimming, as well as a wide range of social and recreational activities. Vocational rehabilitation services are available to all graduating students to assist them in seeking employment, vocational or technical training, or higher education.

Information pertaining to the program is available upon request.

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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 makes policy for the public school system and passes the bylaws and regula-