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The Commission was originally appointed by the Governor in 1971 as the Commission on the Concerns of Spanish-Speaking People. It was renamed the Governor's Commission on Hispanic Affairs in 1978.

The Commission advises the Governor, the General Assembly, and agencies within the Execu-

tive Department on matters relating to the Hispanic peoples of Maryland. It works with the Hispanic population, community leaders, private groups, and agencies of State and local government to serve and represent the State's Hispanic population.

The Commission consists of fifteen members appointed to three-year terms by the Governor and five ex officio members.

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### **Defunct Departmental Agencies**

#### **COMMUNITY PROGRAMS ADMINISTRATION**

Reorganized in October 1982 into the Office of Community Services (Executive Order 01.01.1982.11).

#### **OFFICE OF COMMUNITY SERVICES**

Renamed the Community Services Administration by Chapter 196, Acts of 1984.

#### **EMPLOYMENT SECURITY ADMINISTRATION**

Abolished by Chapter 64, Acts of 1983.

#### **EMPLOYMENT SECURITY ADMINISTRATION BOARD OF APPEALS**

Abolished by Chapter 64, Acts of 1983.

#### **BOARD OF SOCIAL SERVICES**

Abolished by Chapter 421, Acts of 1984.