TASK FORCE ON THE DRINKING DRIVER

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In 1980, the Governor originally appointed this task force to develop broad-based measures to counteract the problems associated with motor vehicle drivers who are intoxicated, or whose abilities are impaired by alcohol. The Task Force was to recommend means to improve the State's ability to identify the drinking driver, remove him from the road, attempt to rehabilitate him, and then, if rehabilitation has been successful, restore his driving privileges. Over the past four years, thirty new laws have been enacted by the General Assembly to achieve these ends.

Also in response to Task Force recommendations, the 1982 General Assembly appropriated funds to enhance rehabilitation and education programs administered by the Departments of Health and Mental Hygiene and Transportation. Oversight of these programs was assigned to the Task Force and made its principal function by the Governor in November 1982. At that time, the Governor assigned the Task Force additional responsibilities. The Task Force is to recommend to the courts which alcohol rehabilitation programs are worthy of certification. It also will continue to monitor the effects of current laws and assess the need for new legislative initiatives.

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This council was created by Executive Order in 1978 to succeed the Maryland Council on the Environment. The Council helps formulate coordinated policy for the development of natural resources, protection of the environment, and stimulus of the State's economy. It works to resolve conflicts between the interests of private industry and the protection of the State's environment. The Council also develops new programs and policies when appropriate.

The Council consists of the Governor, the Lieutenant Governor, and six Department Secretaries.

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The Advisory Committee for Educational Block Grants, originally called the Education Advisory Committee, was created by Executive Order in 1981. Pursuant to the federal Education Consolidation and Improvement Act of 1981, the Committee advises the State Department of Education on the allocation of federal funds among eligible State education programs. It also advises the Department in planning, developing, supporting, implementing, and evaluating these programs.

Committee members are appointed by the Governor for one-year terms. They represent public and private elementary and secondary schoolchildren, classroom teachers, parents of elementary and secondary schoolchildren, local boards of