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The Governor's Commission on Black and Minority Health was established by the Governor in March 1986 (Executive Order 01.01.1986.05). The Commission is to examine the programs and laws relating to the health status of Maryland's minority citizens. In the course of its study, the Commission will examine financing and access to health services; causes of increased youth homicide, particularly among black youth; and prevention strategies aimed at the leading causes of death among minorities.

The Commission submitted an interim report in December 1986 and will submit a final report by October 1987.

### **GOVERNOR'S COUNCIL ON THE CHESAPEAKE BAY**

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The Governor's Council on the Chesapeake Bay was created by the Governor in January 1985 (Executive Order 01.01.1985.02). The Council advises the Governor on matters related to the management of the Bay and surrounding areas. The Council also promotes interagency coordination and integration of Bay related programs.

### **GOVERNOR'S TASK FORCE ON CHILD, TEENAGE, AND YOUNG ADULT SUICIDE AND OTHER ASSOCIATED MENTAL HEALTH PROBLEMS**

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In October 1986, the Governor appointed the Governor's Task Force on Child, Teenage, and Young Adult Suicide and Other Associated Mental Health Problems (Joint Resolution nos. 1 and 6, Acts of 1986). The Task Force is to develop a comprehensive plan to combat youth suicide. Elements of the plan may include training programs for school personnel, volunteer workers, and staff of institutional and residential care facilities; a curriculum on suicide and mental health for junior and senior high schools, institutions, and residential care facilities; and the identification of mental health resources, treatment programs, and centers in local communities. The plan also may include the development of informational sources and presentations for community groups and parents.

The Task Force will report to the Governor and General Assembly by October 1987.

### **STATE DATA SECURITY COMMITTEE**

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By Executive Order, the Governor created the State Data Security Committee in 1983. The Committee regularly evaluates the security of State agency systems that contain computerized records. It also evaluates systems risks and periodically tests levels of security.

Semi-annually, the Committee reports to the Governor and to the chairpersons of appropriate legislative committees.