

GOVERNOR'S HIGH TECHNOLOGY ROUNDTABLE

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The Governor's High Technology Roundtable submitted its final report in December 1986.

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The Task Force report of September 1982 noted significant accomplishments, including the passage of legislation to recognize the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Hospital Certification for State licensure purposes in hospitals. In December 1983, the Task Force submitted its final report. The Task Force concluded its work in 1984.

TASK FORCE ON THE ADMINISTRATION OF HUMAN SERVICES

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The Governor created the Task Force on the Administration of Human Services in June 1985. The Task Force reviewed and made recommendations on issues related to the administration of local departments of social services and the funds they expend.

The Task Force submitted its report in October 1985.

HUMANE PRACTICES COMMISSION

Chairperson: Vacancy

The Commission has been inactive since May 1985.

TASK FORCE TO STUDY INDEPENDENT SALARY-SETTING AUTHORITIES

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The Governor appointed the Task Force to Study Independent Salary-Setting Authorities in September 1985. The Task Force study focused on those State agencies, commissions, administrations and authorities which, over time, have been granted independent authority to establish salaries for their employees. The Task Force reviewed the reasons for having such independent authorities, studied their salary-setting practices, and reported its recommendations to the Governor in February 1986.

The Task Force concluded that while independent authority may permit more efficient personnel operations, it does not guarantee that reasonable efforts will be made to evaluate the effect on all State positions. The Task Force recommended that sec. 27 of Article 64A of the *Annotated Code*