

By computer links to the National Library of Medicine and other sources, the Centers under the Assistant Secretary secure scientific reference information. They also disseminate information through chemical data fact sheets, alerts, and toxic substances incident reporting.

The Centers conduct special studies, including epidemiological studies, cancer cluster investigations, health effects surveys, and special toxic substance surveys. The source and fate of toxic pollutants also are evaluated. Special projects include competitive funding requests to support studies and projects; technical oversight of the State Asbestos Survey; and asbestos medical monitoring and training of State employees.

**CONTROLLED HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE
ADVISORY COUNCIL**

Chairperson: Nancy H. Hill, 1993

Appointed by Governor: David T. Lewis, 1990; Gary L. Smith, 1991; Richard G. LaBrocco, 1992; George G. Perdikakis, 1992; Sanford M. Shapiro, 1992; Dennis J. Brady, 1993; Paul R. Gartelmann, 1993; Stephen L. Pattison, 1993; David H. Rosenblatt, Ph.D., 1993; Byron S. Tepper, Ph.D., 1993; Jeffrey L. Tryens, 1993.

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The Controlled Hazardous Substance Advisory Council was created in 1976 (Chapter 618, Acts of 1976). Formerly under the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, the Council was placed within the Department of the Environment in 1987 (Chapter 306, Acts of 1987).

The Council advises the Department and assists in identifying any hazardous substance as a controlled hazardous substance. The Council also helps develop rules and regulations relating to the management and disposal of controlled hazardous substances and low-level nuclear waste.

Appointed by the Governor, the Council consists of thirteen members who serve six-year terms. Ten members are appointed with the advice of the Secretary of the Environment, and three public members are selected with Senate advice and consent. Serving on the Council are the pesticides coordinator for the Cooperative Extension Service, the State Fire Marshal or designee, and a person in the resource recovery business. Members also include one representative each from the Department of Agriculture; Division of Labor and Industry in the Department of Licensing and Regulation; Department of Natural Resources; an industry that generates hazardous substances; the hazardous substance disposal and management industry; an

industry that generates low-level nuclear waste; and the low-level nuclear waste management industry (Code Environment Article, secs. 7-211 through 7-215).

ADVISORY COUNCIL ON LEAD POISONING

Chairperson: Peter S. Fanning, Ed.D.

Appointed by Governor: Andrew Alcarese; E. Clinton Bamberger, Jr.; Susan Brown; John B. Candler; J. Julian Chisolm, Jr., M.D.; Maxie T. Collier, M.D.; Peter J. Connell; Monica E. Gill; Lucille Gorham; Zelic A. Gresser; Father Damien Nalepa; Wendy Gail Perlberg; T. Michael Scales; Gary W. Waicker; Timothy T. Williams. *Terms expire 1989.*

Ex officio: Vacancy, *designee of Senate President*; Donna Felling, *designee of House Speaker*.

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The Advisory Council on Lead Poisoning was established in 1986 (Chapter 404, Acts of 1986). The Council reviews rules and regulations relating to poison prevention and develops educational programs to eliminate lead poisoning.

The Council comprises nineteen members. Seventeen are appointed by the Governor to serve three-year terms. Two serve as nonvoting ex officio members (Code Environment Article, secs. 6-601 through 6-608).

RADIATION CONTROL ADVISORY BOARD

Chairperson: James A. Deye, Ph.D., 1989

Appointed by Secretary of the Environment: Elliot S. Hardesty, 1988; Jon K. Park, D.D.S., 1989; Edwin O. Tremper, 1989; Sandra L. Warner, 1989; Harry L. Berman, 1990; Robert Gayloer, M.D., 1990; Nancy Ludwig, 1990; Ronald H. Sanders, 1990; Gerald Johnston, M.D., 1991; Vandy Miller, 1991; *one vacancy.*

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The Radiation Control Advisory Board originated in 1960 (Chapter 88, Acts of 1960). Formerly under the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, the Board was transferred to the Department of the Environment in 1987 (Chapter 306, Acts of 1987). The Board advises and consults with the Secretary of the Environment on problems, procedures, and questions relating to radiation.

The Board's twelve members are appointed by the Secretary of the Environment for four-year terms. Two members represent the community at