PROGRAM MONITORING Judith A. Mayer, Administrator (410) 333-6868

Program Monitoring began as separate units for residential and nonresidential monitoring. These units were combined as Residential and Nonresidential Monitoring in 1993. Later, in July of 1993, the unit was renamed Program Monitoring.

To ensure compliance with licensing regulations, Program Monitoring oversees those private firms licensed by the Department of Juvenile Services to provide residential services for troubled youth. Those providers also under contract with the Department are monitored for contract compliance. Every fiscal year, a formal licensing or program audit is conducted for each licensed facility.

In addition to the annual audit, Program Monitoring develops a plan to monitor the unique characteristics and needs of each licensed program. Program Monitoring visits each site to check physical plants; conduct investigations; follow up on corrective action for compliance; interview staff and students; and observe programs.

CHARLES H. HICKEY, JR., SCHOOL Richard Singleton, Superintendent

2400 Cub Hill Road Baltimore, MD 21234

(410) 668-3300

The Charles H. Hickey, Jr., School originated in 1850 as the House of Refuge on Frederick Avenue in Baltimore City (Chapter 374, Acts of 1849). In 1910, renamed as Maryland School for Boys, the School moved to its present site near Loch Raven in northern Baltimore County. In 1918, it became Maryland Training School for Boys (Chapter 300, Acts of 1918). The School's present name, adopted in 1985, honors a former Baltimore County sheriff (Chapter 245, Acts of 1985).

The School serves as a detention center for youth awaiting trial and as a training school for young people committed by the court. The School cares for and treats delinquent youth between the ages of 15 and 17 (Code 1957, Art. 83C, sec. 2-117). Since September 1991, the School has been run by private firms under contract with the Department of Juvenile Services.

VICTOR CULLEN ACADEMY David Morrison, Superintendent

6000 Cullen Drive Sabillasville, MD 21780

(301) 241-4189

Opened in September 1992, Victor Cullen Academy is a secure commitment facility for delinquent boys in northwest Frederick County. The Academy, a State facility, is operated by a private firm under contract with the Department of Juvenile Services.

The Academy's origins date to 1908 when the State Sanatorium for tuberculosis patients was es-

tablished on the site. Placed under the Department of Health, the Sanatorium was renamed in 1949 as Victor Cullen State Hospital after Victor F. Cullen, M.D., a former member of the State Board of Health. The Hospital was reorganized in 1965 as the Victor Cullen School, a training or reform school for boys under the State Department of Public Welfare (Chapter 818, Acts of 1965). The School was transferred in 1967 to the Juvenile Services Administration, and in 1974, as the Victor Cullen Center, to what became the Developmental Disabilities Administration of the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene. The Center closed in 1991 and reopened as the Victor Cullen Academy in 1992 under the Department of Juvenile Services.

O'FARRELL YOUTH CENTER John Yates, Administrator

7960 Henryton Road Marriottsville, MD 21103

(410) 549-6330

Since it opened in 1986, O'Farrell Youth Center has been operated by private firms under contract with the Department of Juvenile Services. The Center is located in Howard County.

DONCASTER YOUTH CENTER Vacancy, Administrator

Route 1, Box 423 Indian Head, MD 20640

(301) 246-4041

Opened in 1986, Doncaster Youth Center has been operated since then by private firms under contract with the Department of Juvenile Services. The Center is located in Charles County.

SUBSTANCE ABUSE PROGRAM SERVICES Ruth A. Phillips, Administrator (410) 333-4571

Substance Abuse Program Services oversees drug screening, referral, assessment, counseling, and treatment services for juvenile offenders.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES Vacancy, Director (410) 222 677

(410) 333-6777

For the Department of Juvenile Services, Administrative Services oversees centralized support functions, including budgets and finance, maintenance, personnel management, procurement, and information services.