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The Governor's Task Force on Community Health Networks was established in July 1994 (Executive Order 01.01.1994.17). The Task Force studied the impact and growth of community health networks in Maryland. The Task Force was to assess the impact of networks on the delivery of health care; the quality of care; and the financial stability of the health care system in the State.

The Task Force submitted an interim report to the Governor on December 1, 1994, and its final report on December 15, 1995.

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The Commission submitted a final report to the Governor in September 1994.

TASK FORCE ON DUAL OFFICE-HOLDING BY PUBLIC EMPLOYEES

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At the request of the General Assembly, the Governor established the Task Force on Dual Office-Holding by Public Employees in November 1995 (Joint Resolution no. 7, Acts of 1995). The Task Force was to determine whether changes were needed in the Maryland Constitution (Article III, secs. 11, 17), and the Maryland Declaration of Rights (Articles 33, 35). Under their provisions certain public employees who hold an "office of profit" or an "office of trust" are prohibited from holding another public office. The legal distinction between an office of trust and an office of profit, however, is difficult to make at times and has created inconsistencies in law and practice. The Task Force submitted its final report to the Governor and General Assembly on December 15, 1995.

GOVERNOR'S ENERGY TASK FORCE

In December 1992, the Task Force submitted a final report, *Strategic Energy Plan for Maryland*. In accordance with Task Force recommendations, the General Assembly enacted and the Governor signed several bills in 1993. These included Chapters 338, 603, 269, and 270, Acts of 1993. In 1993, the General Assembly also adopted Joint Resolution no. 5 on Maryland Energy Policy.

The Governor asked members to further develop, implement and monitor Task Force recommendations. In December 1994, the Task Force concluded its work.

GOVERNOR'S COMMISSION ON ENHANCING PUBLIC SERVICES THROUGH IMPROVED INTERAGENCY COOPERATION

The Commission last met in 1994.

GOVERNOR'S EXECUTIVE ADVISORY COUNCIL

The Council concluded its work on August 1, 1995.

GOVERNOR'S COMMISSION ON GUN VIOLENCEVincent DeMarco, *Co-Chair*Darryl A. Jones, Sr., *Co-Chair*Marna McLendon, Esq., *Co-Chair*

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