

1914, ch. 675.

5A. The State Board of Health of Maryland shall divide the State outside of Baltimore city into ten sanitary districts following county lines, and upon the recommendation of its secretary, and by a majority vote thereof, it shall appoint a Deputy State Health Officer for each sanitary district.

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5B. The Deputy State Health Officers shall be trained in sanitary science and hygiene, and shall possess the same qualifications required of the State Health Officer, and shall hold their office during efficiency and good behavior, but may be removed for cause by a majority vote of the State Board of Health after having been given an opportunity to be heard in their own defense. No Deputy State Health Officer shall practice medicine or engage in any other occupation which would conflict with the performance of his official duties. Each Deputy State Health Officer shall have an office located at some accessible point designated by the State Board of Health, within his sanitary district, and he shall receive an annual salary to be fixed by the State Board of Health to be not less than twelve hundred dollars nor more than twenty-five hundred dollars *per annum* and shall also receive his expenses actually and necessarily incurred in the performance of his official duties.

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5C. Each Deputy State Health Officer, under the direction of the State Board of Health and the State Health Officer shall have jurisdiction throughout his district; and he shall have the right of entry into any workshop, factory, dairy, creamery, slaughterhouse, or other place of business or employment, or into any private house, when in pursuit of his official duties. He shall carry out the instruction of the State Board of Health and shall make such investigations and reports as said State Board of Health may require. He shall, when required by the State Board of Health, inspect and report upon the sanitary conditions of streams and sources of public water supply, sewerage facilities, schools and schoolhouses, dairies, creameries, slaughterhouses, workshops, and factories, and all places where offensive trades or industries are conducted in his district. He shall respond promptly when called upon for advice or assistance by any Board of Health or Health Officer within his jurisdiction, and it shall be his duty and he is hereby authorized to enforce any public health statute, or rule, or regulation of the State Board of Health, or of any Local Board of Health or Health Officer within his district, when such Local Board of Health or Health Officer neglects or refuses to enforce such statute, rule or regulation, after due notice by him or by the State Board of Health. He shall keep himself informed as to the work of each Local Health Officer within his district, and aid each Local Health Officer within his district in the performance of his duties, and particularly on