

~~(B) The Interagency Advisory Committee for Early Childhood Development and Education shall:~~

- ~~(1) promote and encourage early childhood education in the State;~~
- ~~(2) ensure that existing private and public child care delivery systems are taken into account in the development of public preschool programs;~~
- ~~(3) develop methods to evaluate and monitor preschool programs in order to ensure that preschool programs conform to developmentally appropriate early childhood education standards;~~
- ~~(4) recommend criteria and procedures for the distribution of early childhood development funds to the 24 local subdivisions;~~
- ~~(5) publish annual reports of data on education and child care programs and services collated from data collected by other private and public agencies;~~
- ~~(6) support the appointment by urge the chief executive officer of each local jurisdiction of in the State to appoint a new panel or designation of designate an existing committee as the Local Interagency Advisory Council;~~
- ~~(7) encourage planning for comprehensive services for children by each Local Interagency Advisory Council;~~
- ~~(8) provide technical assistance and support to local councils for comprehensive planning; and~~
- ~~(9) maintain communications with Maryland's Special Secretary for Children, Youth, and Families and with other child related committees.~~

~~SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Interagency~~

~~(C) The Interagency Advisory Committee for Early Childhood Development and Education be is composed of:~~

- ~~(1) a member of the House of Delegates, appointed by the Speaker of the House, and a member of the Senate of Maryland, appointed by the President of the Senate;~~
- ~~(2) a representative of the Department of Education, appointed by the State Superintendent of Schools;~~
- ~~(3) a representative of the Office for Children, Youth, and Families, appointed by the Special Secretary for Children, Youth, and Families;~~
- ~~(4) a representative of the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, appointed by the Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene;~~
- ~~(5) a representative of the Department of Human Resources, appointed by the Secretary of Human Resources;~~
- ~~(6) 2 parents, one of whom shall be employed outside the home; and~~