

tution shall be authorized to expend any appropriation or part of an appropriation which the Governor shall reduce as hereinabove provided.

10. In any case where a lump sum is appropriated to any State department, board, commission, officer or institution, such department, board, commission, officer or institution shall be required to submit to the Board of Public Works within ninety days following the adjournment of the General Assembly, a detailed budget schedule in the usual form, showing the proposed apportionment and disbursement of such lump sum appropriation by such department, board, commission, officer or institution. No part of such lump sum appropriation may be expended unless and until such budget schedule is approved by the Board of Public Works.

11. Whenever in any budget bill an increase or decrease is made in any salaries fixed by any Act of the General Assembly, heretofore enacted, the passage of such budget bill shall operate as an amendment to such Act to the extent of such increase or decrease, within the limits permitted by the Constitution of Maryland.

12. No department, board, commission, officer or institution of the State shall at any time spend in excess of the total amount of its appropriation, and no department, board, commission, officer or institution shall spend in excess of the amount of any item in its appropriation except upon compliance with the provisions of Section 8 hereof. If any such department, board, commission, officer or institution shall violate the provisions of this section, there shall be no reimbursement of such excess nor shall there be any liability or obligation upon the State to make any appropriation thereafter to meet such deficit. Any officer or employee of the State, or the members of any department, board, commission, institution or agency, who shall have made any such excessive expenditure, shall be deemed guilty of neglect of official duty, and shall be subject to removal therefor.

*Department of Budget and Procurement.*

13. The Department of Budget and Procurement is hereby created under the direction, supervision and control of a Director of Budget and Procurement, who shall be appointed by the Governor and hold office as long as he performs his duties in a competent manner. He shall be removable by the Governor only in the manner by which civil officers may be removed by the Governor under the provisions of Section 15, Article 2 of the Constitution, and shall receive such salary