

The State of Maryland shall pay, as hereinafter provided, out of the General State School Fund to the treasurer of the County Board of Education two-thirds of the annual salaries of the supervising teachers or helping teachers required by this section. County Boards of Education may at their discretion, pay to a county supervising or helping teacher an annual salary in excess of the schedule provided in this section, but the State shall not share in the part-payment of this excess. County Boards of Education are free to employ as many additional supervising teachers or helping teachers as in their judgment are necessary but the State shall not share in the payment of their salaries. The State of Maryland shall pay, as hereinafter provided, to the Board of School Commissioners of Baltimore City two-thirds of the annual salaries as provided in this subsection of the number of supervising teachers employed not in excess of the number hereinbefore provided in relation to the number of teachers employed.]

[(e)] (c) There shall be appointed in each county and in Baltimore City one supervisor of pupil[s] personnel I or one supervisor of pupil personnel II, *with the provision that no supervisors of pupil personnel II shall be appointed after July 1, 1953*, whose duty it shall be to study the causes of and work out solutions for irregular school attendance and pupil maladjustment so that every child may receive the benefits of education and juvenile delinquency may be reduced. In each county having under 5,000 pupils enrolled in school there shall be appointed a supervisor of pupil personnel [I and II]; in each county having 5,000 and fewer than 10,000 pupils enrolled in school there shall be appointed a supervisor of pupil personnel [I] and a visiting teacher; and for each additional 5,000 pupils or fraction thereof enrolled, there shall be appointed an additional visiting teacher, provided that the appointment of any person as a supervisor of pupil personnel I, supervisor of pupil personnel II, [and] or as a visiting teacher shall be invalid without the written approval of the State Superintendent of Schools. [and provided, further, that no supervisor of pupil personnel I or II, appointed under the provisions of this section or continued in office under the provisions of this section shall be paid an annual salary of less than Three Thousand Three Hundred Dollars (\$3,300) per year for the fifth year of teaching and pupil personnel service; Three Thousand Four Hundred Dollars (\$3,400) per year for the sixth year of teaching and pupil personnel service; Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500) per year for the seventh year of teaching and pupil personnel service;