

pitalization or for other treatment for illness or for imprisonment; provided, however, that except in cases of transfer for hospitalization or treatment for illness it shall first be found by the institutional Board of Review that such transfer will not reduce or retard the prospect of such person's release from confinement as a defective delinquent, and provided further that such person, notwithstanding transfer, shall remain committed to Patuxent Institution and shall be returned there at least annually for re-examination by the institutional Board of Review.

17. All of the provisions of Section 680 of Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition) shall be incorporated into this section as though set forth in full in this section, except that the powers, rights and duties conferred by said Section 680 on the Board of Correction shall herein be conferred on the Board of Patuxent Institution and except that references in said Section 680 to penal and reformatory institutions of the State of Maryland shall herein be deemed references to Patuxent Institution, and all references in said Section 680 to convicts or prisoners shall herein be deemed references to persons in the custody of Patuxent Institution.

THE BOARD OF PATUXENT INSTITUTION IS HEREBY EMPOWERED TO DETERMINE FROM TIME TO TIME WHETHER, AND TO WHAT EXTENT, PERSONS IN THE CUSTODY OF SAID INSTITUTION AND SELECTED BY ITS DIRECTOR, SHALL SUPPLY GOODS, WARES, MERCHANDISE AND PRODUCE REQUIRED TO BE PURCHASED BY "CONSUMING INSTITUTIONS" AS DEFINED IN ARTICLE 27, SECTION 680 OF THE ANNOTATED CODE OF MARYLAND. ALL SUCH ACTIVITIES SHALL BE CONDUCTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE 27, SECTION 680 OF THE ANNOTATED CODE OF MARYLAND.

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(a) Said Institution shall record or cause to be recorded a description of every person committed to it as a defective delinquent, as full and complete as may be obtainable, and shall attach thereto as part of said record a photograph or photographs of such person. For the purpose of obtaining accurate descriptions of such persons, the Director is hereby authorized to adopt the Bertillon method of measurement and registration or such other method as shall be adequately descriptive.

(b) In order to accomplish the purposes of sub-section (a), the State's Attorney of any county or city, in which any person has been found to be a defective delinquent, is hereby directed to forward promptly to said Institution and upon blanks furnished by it, a criminal history of such person as fully as the same is known or can be ascertained by such State's Attorney.

(c) The record herein provided for shall not be made public except as may be necessary in the identification or trial of persons accused of crime and except as provided in THIS Section. ~~18.~~ The record shall be accessible, however, to any officer of any court having criminal jurisdiction in this State, upon the order of the judge of said court, or of the State's Attorney, which said order shall be attested by the seal of the court. Whenever, in the trial of any person, the fact of previous conviction of any person for any crime may be admissible,