

three years. Members of the Advisory Board of Juvenile Services shall be representative of the State Department of Education (1), the State Department of Health (1), the State Department of Mental Hygiene (1), the Department of Maryland State Police (1), the State Department of Public Welfare (1), the Judiciary of the State (3), voluntary child welfare agencies (1), and three (3) members of the public at large who shall be selected on the basis of their experience and interest in minors and juvenile problems. Any member who has served two consecutive terms on the Advisory Board of Juvenile Services is ineligible to succeed himself for the term immediately following the second of the two terms. In case of a vacancy on the Board for any reason, the Governor shall appoint a member for the remainder of the unexpired term in the same manner as he appointed the original member.

(b) The Governor shall designate one member of the Advisory Board to serve as Chairman. The Board shall meet regularly on the call of the Chairman, not less often than once in every three (3) months. One of the members of the Board shall serve as secretary, upon designation by the Chairman, and shall keep and preserve full and accurate minutes of the meetings. The members of the Advisory Board shall receive no compensation for their services, but shall be paid the reasonable expenses necessary for the discharge of their official duties. ~~The Secretary shall receive an additional \$500 per year for his additional work.~~ The Advisory Board shall act in a general consultative and advisory capacity to the Director of the Department of Juvenile Services with regard to the several aspects of the State's program of juvenile services. Included in this responsibility is the duty to recommend to the Director of the Department of Juvenile Services policies and programs to improve the State's juvenile services. The Advisory Board also shall participate in interpreting the objectives of the Department to the public and in planning for the development and utilization of all available resources for the promotion of needs of the Department.

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No member of the Advisory Board and no officer or employee of the Department may be directly or indirectly interested in any contract for building, repairing, equipping, or furnishing material or supplies of any kind to, or be financially interested in any contract (other than a contract for his own employment) with the Department.

5.

(a) The State Department of Juvenile Services is the central, coordinating administrative agency for juvenile investigation, probation and after-care services and for State juvenile, diagnostic, training, detention, and rehabilitation institutions as hereinafter more specifically provided.

(b) It shall provide such services as are requested by the juvenile courts as are described in this Article and in Sections 57, 59, and 61 of Article 26 of this Code (1957 Edition, as amended) and judges sitting in other equity courts who are dealing with persons under the age of 18 years.

~~(c) Any juvenile court judge may commit any neglected, delinquent, dependent, or feeble minded child to any of the several~~