

AND EACH OF THEM, THE PERFORMANCE, SUBJECT TO HIS DISCRETION AND CONTROL, OF ANY OF THE DUTIES WITH RESPECT TO SAID DEPARTMENT REQUIRED OF HIM BY LAW. ALL SUCH ASSISTANT ATTORNEYS GENERAL SHALL BE PRACTICING LAWYERS OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND, IN GOOD STANDING, AND THEY SHALL RECEIVE SUCH COMPENSATION AS SHALL BE PROVIDED IN THE STATE BUDGET.

(e) *The following Departments, Agencies, Commissions, Boards and Councils shall be included within the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene: the State Department of Health, the State Department of Mental Hygiene, the local health departments of the counties and Baltimore City, the Department of Postmortem Examiners, the State Department of Juvenile Services, the State Board of Dental Examiners, the Comprehensive Health Planning Agency, the Commission on Physical Fitness, the Board of Medical Examiners for the State of Maryland, the Commission on Medical Discipline of Maryland, the State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners, the Anatomy Board of Maryland, the Maryland Board of Pharmacy, the State Board of Examiners of Nurses, the State Board of Funeral Directors and Embalmers of Maryland, the Board of Examiners of Optometry for the State of Maryland, the Board of Osteopathic Examiners for the State of Maryland, the Board of Podiatry Examiners for the State of Maryland, the State Board of Chiropractic Examiners, the Advisory Board on Hospital Licensing, the Advisory Council on Hospital Construction, the State Board of Physical Therapy Examiners, the State Board of Examiners of Psychologists, the Radiation Control Advisory Board, the Air Pollution Control Council, the Air Quality Control Advisory Council, and such other departments, agencies, commissions, boards, councils or units as may hereafter by law be deemed to be part of the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene. The Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene shall have such authority and powers over the departments and other units herein enumerated as are or shall be from time to time specifically granted by law. All authority and powers not so granted to the Secretary are reserved to the departments or other units free of the Secretary's control.*

(f) *The Secretary shall be responsible for the coordination and direction of all planning facilities initiated by his office. In addition, he shall keep himself fully appraised of plans, proposals and projects of the departments and other agencies or units within the jurisdiction of the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, and shall have power to approve, disapprove or modify any plan, proposal or project of any such instrumentality. However the Secretary's power over plans, proposals and projects does not include the power to disapprove or modify decisions or determinations rendered by the departments, agencies or units (except the Department of Health or the Department of Mental Hygiene) pursuant to authority specifically delegated to them by law.*

(g) *The Secretary shall be responsible for the budget of his office and for the budgets of the departments and other agencies within the jurisdiction of the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene.*

(h) *The appointment or removal of personnel by any department or other agency within the jurisdiction of the Department of Health*