

(b) "The Center" means the Drug Addiction Rehabilitation Center.

(c) "The Council" means the Advisory Council on Drug Abuse.

(d) "Drug abuse" means any misuse by any person of or dependence by any person on any drug whose use is either prohibited or regulated by [§ 276, § 313A, and 313B] *sections 276 through 302* of Article 27 including, but not limited to, narcotic and nonnarcotic drug addiction and narcotic and nonnarcotic drug habituation.

(e) "Drug addiction" means a physical and psychological dependence on any drug enumerated in [§ 276, § 313A, and § 313B] *sections 276 through 302* of Article 27.

(f) "Drug addict" means a person exhibiting the symptoms of drug addiction or who by reason of the repeated use of any drug enumerated above is in imminent danger of becoming addicted to that drug; provided, however, that no person shall be deemed a drug addict solely by virtue of his taking of any such drug pursuant to a lawful prescription issued by a physician in the course of professional treatment for legitimate medical purposes.

(g) "Narcotic drugs" means those drugs [enumerated in § 276] *so defined in section 277(q)* of Article 27.

(h) "Nonnarcotic drugs" means those drugs enumerated in [§ 313A, and 313B] *sections 276 through 302* of Article 27 *which are not narcotic drugs*.

3. Advisory Council on Drug Abuse.

(a) Creation and composition; appointment of members; chairman and vice-chairman.—There is hereby created and established a council to be known as the Advisory Council on Drug Abuse, to consist of the State Superintendent of Schools, the commissioners of Mental Hygiene, Health, Labor and Industry, and [Correctional Services] *Correction*, [the Director of the State Department of Social Services] *the Secretary of the Department of Employment and Social Services*, the Director of the State [Department] *Division* of Parole and Probation, the chairman of the State Parole Board, the Director of the [Authority] *Administration*, and the mayor of the City of Baltimore, each to serve as permanent ex officio members and nine members to be appointed by the Governor, *with the advice of the Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene*, from the general public. One of the members from the general public shall serve as chairman and one such member shall serve as vice-chairman upon designation by and at the pleasure of the Governor. Each of the ex officio members may designate a representative to act on his behalf on the Council.

(b) Terms; vacancies; reappointment.—The term of office of each of the appointive members of the Council shall be for three years, provided, however, that of the members first appointed three shall be appointed for terms which will expire on December 31, 1970; three for terms which will expire on December 31, 1971; three for terms which will expire on December 31, 1972. Vacancies shall be filled by appointment for the unexpired terms. The appointive members shall continue in office until their successors are appointed and have qualified. An appointee shall be eligible for reappointment. *Any appointed member shall during his term serve at the Governor's pleasure, and*