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if warranted, to hold hearings and make recommendations on such complaints. Neither the Commission as a whole, nor any of its members not serving on a panel, shall engage in any of the functions or jurisdictions assigned to a Commission Panel or the Executive Secretary.

(g) To adopt such rules and procedures as may be necessary to carry out the purposes and provisions of this Chapter; to keep a record of its hearings, activities, and minutes of all meetings, said records and minutes shall be on file with the Executive Secretary of the Commission and open to the public at reasonable business hours upon request.

(h) To render at the request of the Executive or within thirty (30) days following each quarter of the calendar year preliminary written or oral reports of its activities and recommendations to the County Executive and the County Council and a final written yearly report summarizing its activities, goals, needs, and recommendations.

(2) Despite the foregoing provisions of this law, the Commission is authorized to proceed with other programs which will seek to relieve group tension and/or adverse intergroup activities which may result from causes not related to race, color, sex, religious creed, ancestry or national origin provided that such action is first submitted to the County Executive and further provided that the County Executive does not disapprove such action.

77-8. Committees, Advisory Committees.

The Chairman of the Commission on Human Relations may, with the approval of the Commission, appoint committees from its members to assist in carrying out any of the functions and duties of the Commission. Any committee appointed shall consist of not less than three members.

The Chairman of the Commission may appoint advisory committees of citizens and at least one Commission member as in his judgement will aid in effectuating the purposes of this Article. Advisory committee action shall not be deemed to be the actions of the Commission and shall in no way bind the Commission or its members.