

OF LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE A LIST OF ALL REPORTS AND PUBLICATIONS ISSUED BY THEM WHICH ARE EITHER REQUIRED BY LAW OR INTENDED BY THEM FOR DISTRIBUTION TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY. THE DEPARTMENT SHALL COMPILE AND MAINTAIN A LIST OF ALL THESE REPORTS AND PUBLICATIONS AND SHALL PERIODICALLY FORWARD THESE LISTS TO THE MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR THE PURPOSE OF FURNISHING THEM A REFERENCE SOURCE FROM WHICH THEY MAY REQUEST REPORTS AND PUBLICATIONS FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE. IN ADDITION, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL PRESERVE, CATALOGUE, AND INDEX ALL REPORTS AND PUBLICATIONS FILED WITH OR SUBMITTED TO THE DEPARTMENT BY THE VARIOUS STATE AGENCIES AND OFFICIALS IN COMPLIANCE WITH EITHER THE REQUIREMENT OF SECTION 53 OF THIS ARTICLE OR THE REQUIREMENTS OF NUMEROUS SECTIONS ELSEWHERE IN THE CODE; AND MAY SELECT, PRESERVE, CATALOGUE, AND INDEX OTHER REPORTS AND PUBLICATIONS IT DEEMS NECESSARY.

(E) THE DEPARTMENT OF LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE SHALL ACCEPT REQUESTS FOR REPORTS AND PUBLICATIONS FROM MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AND SHALL OBTAIN THOSE MATERIALS FROM THE APPROPRIATE AGENCY AND DISTRIBUTE THEM TO THE MEMBERS.

~~(E) (F) ANY STATE AGENCY OR OFFICIAL REQUIRED TO SUBMIT AN ANNUAL OR PERIODIC REPORT TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY SHALL COMPLY WITH THIS REPORTING REQUIREMENT BY SUBMITTING FIVE COPIES OF EACH REPORT TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE. THE EXECUTIVE AGENCY OR OFFICIAL, UPON THE REQUEST OF A MEMBER OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, SHALL SUBSEQUENTLY FORWARD A COPY OR COPIES OF THE REPORT TO THE REQUESTING LEGISLATOR. ADDITIONAL COPIES SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED TO MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROCEDURE SET FORTH IN THIS SECTION.~~

~~(F) STATE AGENCIES MAY NOT SEND PUBLISHED MATERIAL OTHER THAN CORRESPONDENCE TO MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY. THOSE AGENCIES SHALL SEND ANY MATERIALS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE FOR CATALOGING, FILING, AND INDEXING. THE AGENCIES MAY SEND LISTS OF AVAILABLE MATERIALS TO MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.~~

~~(G) OTHER THAN CORRESPONDENCE, NO PUBLICATIONS SHALL BE SENT BY A STATE AGENCY DIRECTLY TO MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY UNLESS REQUESTED BY AN INDIVIDUAL LEGISLATOR, A STANDING COMMITTEE, OR THE LEGISLATIVE POLICY COMMITTEE.~~

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1977.

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