

(3) MAINTAIN AND PRESERVE ALL RECORDS, BOOKS, AND PAPERS OF THE BOARD; AND

(4) PERFORM ANY OTHER DUTIES ASSIGNED BY THE BOARD.

(C) ADDITIONAL STAFF.

ON RECOMMENDATION OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, THE BOARD MAY APPOINT ANY ADDITIONAL STAFF IT DETERMINES NECESSARY TO CARRY OUT ITS DUTIES.

(D) MERIT SYSTEM STATUS EMPLOYEES.

(1) EXCEPT FOR THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR AND PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYEES WHO ARE NOT IN THE CLASSIFIED SERVICE, EACH EMPLOYEE OF THE BOARD IS SUBJECT TO THE STATE MERIT SYSTEM LAW.

(2) EACH EMPLOYEE OF THE BOARD SHALL JOIN THE STATE TEACHERS' RETIREMENT SYSTEM OR THE STATE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM. HOWEVER, AS AN ALTERNATIVE A PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYEE MAY JOIN AN OPTIONAL RETIREMENT PROGRAM UNDER ARTICLE 73B, §110 OF THE CODE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section presently appears as Art. 77A, §12(c).

The only changes are in style.

As to the State Merit System Law, see Art. 64A of the Code.

As to the Teachers' Retirement System, the State Employees' Retirement System, and the Optional Retirement Program, see Art. 73B of the Code.

14-105. POWERS AND DUTIES OF BOARD.

(A) IN GENERAL.

IN ADDITION TO ANY OTHER POWERS GRANTED AND DUTIES IMPOSED BY THIS TITLE, AND SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF TITLE 12 OF THIS ARTICLE AND ANY OTHER RESTRICTIONS IMPOSED BY LAW OR BY ANY TRUST AGREEMENT INVOLVING A PLEDGE OF PROPERTY OR MONEY, THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES HAS THE POWERS AND DUTIES SET FORTH IN THIS SECTION.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This subsection is new language derived without substantive change from the last sentence of Art. 77A, §12(a). New language is added to make clear that the powers and duties enumerated in this section are not exclusive.

Other restrictions on the powers of the Board may be imposed by certain bond statutes. In this regard, see the General Revisor's Note to this