

(2) AFTER CONSULTING WITH THE STATE MANPOWER SERVICES COUNCIL:

(I) IDENTIFY THE VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT TRAINING NEEDS OF THIS STATE; AND

(II) ASSESS THE EXTENT THAT THE VOCATIONAL EDUCATION, EMPLOYMENT TRAINING, SPECIAL EDUCATION, VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION, AND OTHER PROGRAMS ASSISTED BY THE FEDERAL ACT REPRESENT A CONSISTENT, INTEGRATED, AND COORDINATED APPROACH TO MEETING THOSE NEEDS.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This subsection presently appears as Art. 41, §409C(8) and (15).

The only changes are in style.

(E) EVALUATION OF FEDERALLY ASSISTED PROGRAMS.

THE COUNCIL SHALL EVALUATE THE VOCATIONAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS, SERVICES, AND ACTIVITIES THAT ARE ASSISTED UNDER THE FEDERAL ACT.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This subsection presently appears as Art. 41, §409C(7).

The only changes are in style.

(F) ASSISTANCE TO MISCELLANEOUS AGENCIES.

IF REQUESTED, THE COUNCIL SHALL PROVIDE TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE TO COUNTY EDUCATION AGENCIES, INSTITUTIONS OF POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION, AND COUNTY ADVISORY COUNCILS ON ESTABLISHING AND OPERATING COUNTY ADVISORY COUNCILS.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This subsection presently appears as Art. 41, §409C(11).

The only changes are in style.

(G) REPORTS.

THE COUNCIL SHALL:

(1) PUBLISH AND DISTRIBUTE THE RESULTS OF ITS EVALUATIONS;

(2) PREPARE AND SUBMIT THROUGH THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO THE UNITED STATES COMMISSIONER OF EDUCATION AND THE NATIONAL ADVISORY COUNCIL ON VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AN ANNUAL REPORT THAT:

(I) EVALUATES THE EFFECTIVENESS OF VOCATIONAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS, SERVICES, AND ACTIVITIES UNDER THE 5-YEAR STATE PLAN, THE ANNUAL PROGRAM PLAN, AND ACCOUNTABILITY REPORT; AND

(II) RECOMMENDS ANY CHANGES IT CONSIDERS