

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE BYLAWS, RULES, AND REGULATIONS OF THE STATE BOARD, THE STATE SUPERINTENDENT SHALL CERTIFICATE PROFESSIONAL LIBRARY PERSONNEL.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This subsection presently appears as the first sentence of Art. 77, §175(a) except the last clause.

The last clause of the first sentence of Art. 77, §175(a) is deleted as unnecessary.

The only other changes are in style.

As to the requirement that personnel in public libraries be certificated, see §23-306 of this title.

(D) REPORTS.

EACH YEAR THE STATE BOARD SHALL REPORT TO THE GOVERNOR AND THE PEOPLE OF THIS STATE ON THE SUPPORT, CONDITION, PROGRESS, AND NEEDS OF LIBRARIES.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This subsection presently appears as Art. 77, §163(4).

The only changes are in style.

23-105. POWERS AND DUTIES OF DIVISION.

(A) IN GENERAL.

IN ADDITION TO ANY OTHER POWERS GRANTED AND DUTIES IMPOSED BY THIS TITLE, AND SUBJECT TO THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE BOARD, THE DIVISION OF LIBRARY DEVELOPMENT AND SERVICES HAS THE POWERS AND DUTIES SET FORTH IN THIS SECTION.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This subsection is new language derived without substantive change from the introductory language of Art. 77, §166.

(B) GENERAL POWERS AND DUTIES.

THE DIVISION OF LIBRARY DEVELOPMENT AND SERVICES SHALL:

(1) PROVIDE LEADERSHIP AND GUIDANCE FOR THE PLANNING AND COORDINATED DEVELOPMENT OF LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SERVICE IN THIS STATE;

(2) DEVELOP STATEWIDE PUBLIC AND SCHOOL LIBRARY SERVICES AND NETWORKS, RESOURCE CENTERS, AND OTHER ARRANGEMENTS TO MEET THE LIBRARY AND INFORMATION NEEDS OF THIS STATE;

(3) PROVIDE PROFESSIONAL AND TECHNICAL ADVICE ON IMPROVING LIBRARY SERVICES IN THIS STATE TO: