REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from Art. 77, §167.

The second and fourth sentences of Art. 77, §167(f), which require the chairman of the council to preside over meetings, the vice chairman to serve in the chairman's absence, and the secretary to record the proceedings, are deleted as unnecessary. These are commonly understood duties of these officers.

As to subsection (b) (5) of this section, the terms of the members serving on July 1, 1978 expire as follows: one in 1979, two in 1980, two in 1981, one in 1982, and one in 1983.

GENERAL REVISOR'S NOTE:

Article 77, §§ 166A and 166B, the Interstate Library Compact, now appears in Title 25 of this article, with the other education compacts.

SUBTITLE 2. RESOURCE CENTERS AND COOPERATIVE PROGRAMS.

23-201. STATE LIBRARY RESOURCE CENTER.

(A) ESTABLISHED.

THE CENTRAL LIBRARY OF THE ENOCH PRATT FREE LIBRARY SYSTEM IS THE STATE LIBRARY RESOURCE CENTER.

(B) PURPOSE OF CENTER.

THE STATE LIBRARY RESOURCE CENTER SHALL PROVIDE AND EXPAND ACCESS TO SPECIALIZED LIBRARY MATERIALS AND SERVICES THAT ARE NECESSARY FOR COORDINATED, EFFICIENT, AND ECONOMICAL LIBRARY SERVICES IN THIS STATE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from Art. 77, §168(a).

23-202. REGIONAL RESOURCE CENTERS.

(A) ESTABLISHMENT.

THE BOARDS OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES OF AT LEAST THREE PUBLIC LIBRARY SYSTEMS OUTSIDE THE STANDARD METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS DEFINED BY THE UNITED STATES BUREAU OF THE CENSUS MAY REQUEST THE DEPARTMENT TO ESTABLISH AND MAINTAIN A REGIONAL RESOURCE CENTER.

(B) PURPOSE OF CENTER.

EACH REGIONAL RESOURCE CENTER SHALL PROVIDE, THROUGH MUTUAL COOPERATION AND COORDINATION, BOOKS, INFORMATION, AND OTHER MATERIAL AND SERVICE RESOURCES THAT AN INDIVIDUAL