

(1) TO ESTABLISH PLANNING GUIDELINES FOR 911 SYSTEM PLANS IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION ~~234J~~ 204H-4. THE GUIDELINES SHALL BE BASED UPON AVAILABLE TECHNOLOGY AND EQUIPMENT AND MAY BE BASED UPON OTHER FACTORS SUCH AS POPULATION AND AREA SERVED BY 911 SYSTEMS AS DETERMINED BY THE BOARD TO BE APPROPRIATE;

(2) TO ESTABLISH PROCEDURES TO REVIEW AND APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE COUNTY OR MULTICOUNTY PLANS AND TO EVALUATE REQUESTS FOR VARIATIONS FROM THE ESTABLISHED GUIDELINES;

(3) TO ESTABLISH PROCEDURES TO EVALUATE ENHANCEMENTS TO A ~~MINIMUM~~ 911 SYSTEM SUBMITTED AS PART OF A COUNTY OR MULTICOUNTY PLAN OR AS AN AMENDMENT TO THE PLAN IF A COUNTY OR COUNTIES SEEK LOANS GRANTS UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION ~~234J~~ 204H-5;

(4) TO ESTABLISH CRITERIA FOR THE REQUEST FOR REIMBURSEMENT OF A ~~MINIMUM~~ 911 SYSTEM BY ANY COUNTY OR COUNTIES WHICH HAVE A ~~MINIMUM~~ 911 SYSTEM IN OPERATION BY JULY 1, 1979 AS WELL AS THE PROCEDURES TO REVIEW AND APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE THE REQUEST;

(5) TO TRANSMIT THE PLANNING GUIDELINES AND PROCEDURES TO THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE AND THE COUNTY COUNCIL OR TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS IN EACH COUNTY ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 1, 1981;

(6) TO PRESENT ANNUALLY TO THE SECRETARY A SCHEDULE FOR IMPLEMENTING COUNTY OR MULTICOUNTY 911 SYSTEMS, INCLUDING FUNDING REQUIREMENTS, BASED UPON THE APPROVED COUNTY PLANS;

(7) TO REVIEW AND APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE REQUESTS FOR REIMBURSEMENT OF ~~MINIMUM~~ 911 SYSTEMS AND TO PRESENT TO THE SECRETARY ANNUALLY A SCHEDULE FOR REIMBURSEMENT, INCLUDING FUNDING REQUIREMENTS; AND

(8) TO REVIEW THE REQUEST FOR AN ENHANCEMENT LOAN GRANT MADE BY ANY COUNTY OR COUNTIES UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION ~~234J~~ 204H-5 AND IF THE BOARD APPROVES THE LOAN GRANT, to ~~RECOMMEND TO NOTIFY~~ THE SECRETARY THAT MONEYS FROM THE FUND BE DISBURSED.

~~(H) (I) ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 1, 1980, AND ANNUALLY THEREAFTER, THE BOARD SHALL SUBMIT A REPORT TO THE GOVERNOR, THE SECRETARY, AND THE LEGISLATIVE POLICY COMMITTEE. IN PREPARATION OF THIS REPORT THE BOARD MAY UTILIZE INFORMATION AND DATA AVAILABLE FROM TELEPHONE COMPANIES. THE SECRETARY SHALL PROVIDE THE BOARD WITH ADMINISTRATIVE AND CLERICAL SUPPORT TO PREPARE THE REPORT. THE REPORT SHALL SET FORTH THE FOLLOWING:~~

(1) THE EXTENT TO WHICH "~~MINIMUM~~ 911 SYSTEMS" CURRENTLY EXIST IN MARYLAND;