As a part of the comprehensive water pollution control program, the [State] Department of Health AND MENTAL HYGIENE [and the Department of Water Resources] may cooperate with appropriate agencies for the training of technical and associate level personnel as may be needed in the area of water pollution control. For the purpose of this section, the [Health] Department OF HEALTH AND MENTAL HYGIENE [with the approval of the Department of Water Resources] may enter into contracts with appropriate institutions of higher learning or appropriate agencies to develop the needed curricula and to support training courses. For the purposes of this section, an annual appropriation is authorized, in such amount as provided in the budget from time to time in the budget of the [State] Department of Health AND MENTAL HYGIENE.

724. Studies, surveys, investigations, etc.; consultants.

As a part of the comprehensive water pollution control program, the [Department of Water Resources and the State] Department of Health AND MENTAL HYGIENE may conduct studies, surveys, investigations, research and analyses, and may engage consultants to accomplish the purposes of this subtitle.

Article - Natural Resources

Title 1. Department of Natural Resources

Subtitle 1. Organization, Powers and Duties of Department

1-102. Units within department; advisory commissions generally.

- (a) The following units are included within the Department:
 - (1) The Fisheries Administration
 - (2) The Wildlife Administration
 - (3) The Natural Resources Police Force
 - (4) The Forest Service
 - (5) The Park Service
 - (6) The Water Resources Administration
 - (7) The Maryland Environmental Service
- (8) The Energy Administration, which shall include the power plant siting and research program, the Bureau of Mines, the mining examining board, the Maryland Commission on Mining Laws, the Land Reclamation Committee, and the Maryland Energy Office.