

A MEMBER OF THE STATE ADVISORY COUNCIL:

(1) MAY NOT RECEIVE COMPENSATION; BUT

(2) IS ENTITLED TO REIMBURSEMENT FOR EXPENSES UNDER THE STANDARD STATE TRAVEL REGULATIONS, AS PROVIDED IN THE STATE BUDGET.

(C) STAFF SERVICES.

THE ADMINISTRATION SHALL PROVIDE SECRETARIAL, CONSULTANT, AND OTHER STAFF SERVICES TO THE STATE ADVISORY COUNCIL.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Article 43B, § 3(f), the first and second sentences of (c), and the first sentence of (d).

In subsection (a)(1) of this section, the phrase "at the times and places that it determines" is added for clarity.

Subsection (a)(2) of this section is revised to clarify that the State Advisory Council may meet with the other councils at a regularly scheduled meeting, instead of at an additional meeting. This revision conforms to practice.

In subsection (b)(2) of this section, the reference to the "State budget" is substituted for the reference to an "appropriation", for clarity and conformity.

Also in subsection (b)(2) of this section, the former reference to reimbursement for expenses "incurred in the performance of their duties as herein set forth" is deleted as unnecessary in light of the reference to Standard State Travel Regulations. Standard State Travel Regulations are adopted by the Department of Personnel with the approval of the Board of Public Works.

In subsection (c) of this section, the reference to "other staff services" is substituted for the ambiguous reference to "housekeeping", to conform to practice.

The Commission to Revise the Annotated Code notes, for consideration by the General Assembly, that there is no quorum provision. In the absence of an express provision, rule, or regulation, case law indicates that a majority of the members is a quorum. See Gemeny v. Prince