

(9) The State Department of State Planning shall:

(i) Report annually to the Commission on the progress of the plan;

(ii) Present the plan, along with specific recommendations, to the Patuxent River Commission;

(iii) Present the plan to the Governor, the appropriate local jurisdictions and the members of the General Assembly; and

(iv) Prepare annual reviews to evaluate the effectiveness and adequacy of the implementation of the plan.

(10) Upon approval by resolution of at least five of the seven appropriate local jurisdictions, the plan, along with any appropriate comment from the local jurisdictions, shall be presented to the General Assembly for approval as the Patuxent River Watershed master plan.

(11) The plan, once approved, shall serve as a policy guide to be utilized by State agencies and local governments in carrying out their action and regulatory programs in the Patuxent River Watershed.

(12) The General Assembly shall, from time to time, update the Patuxent River Watershed master plan.

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Upon the preparation of the State development plan or of any substantial phase or part thereof, or upon the preparation of an amendment or revision of or addition to the State development plan, the Secretary of State Planning shall submit the same to the Governor, who may file it, together with his comments, in the office of the Secretary of State. Upon filing it, the Governor shall transmit copies thereof, together with copies of his comments, to the heads of all departments and agencies of State government and, SUBJECT TO ARTICLE 40, § 51 OF THE CODE, to the General Assembly. If the Governor files such plan or part of a plan, the Department of State Planning shall make copies of the material so filed available for general distribution or sale.

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(c) [The] SUBJECT TO ARTICLE 40, § 51 OF THE CODE, THE Department of State Planning shall distribute copies of its annual report to the members of the General Assembly, to the heads of all State departments and all local, regional and