

(ii) In preparing the inventory updates, the Service shall solicit and consider recommendations from the governing body of each subdivision.

(iii) The Service shall consider any recommendation that is submitted under this subsection [on or before the April 1 preceding the update to which it is addressed,] and shall advise the governing body of a subdivision in writing of any rejection of a site that it recommended and of the reasons for the rejection.

(b) [(1) At the direction of the Board, and in consultation with the appropriate agencies of State and local government, the Service shall prepare plans, surveys, investigations, or studies bearing on the characteristics of any site or on the need for and employment of sites and facilities throughout the State.

(2) To this purpose, the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene routinely shall furnish the Service with copies of relevant information and data, filed with the Department under the provisions of the Health - Environmental Article that are applicable to the generation, transport, and disposal of hazardous waste.

(c) At the direction of the Board, the Service shall carry out coordinating functions with State or federal agencies, other state governments, governments of political subdivisions, industry, and the public at large.

(d) (1) The determination by the Board of statewide need and the plans and surveys prepared by the Service as authorized by subsection (b) of this section shall be prepared in form and substance suitable for inclusion in the statewide solid waste management plan required by the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act of 1976 (RCRA).

(2) In the event that the RCRA statewide plan is no longer required, the Service shall prepare a 10-year hazardous waste management plan and propose procedures for its adoption.] THE SERVICE SHALL FILE A COPY OF ITS INVENTORIES AND ALL UPDATES WITH THE BOARD.

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(a) The Service may apply to the Board for a certificate for one or more sites [included in the statewide inventory].

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the term of the member of the Hazardous Waste Facilities Siting Board appointed to fill the vacancy created by the expansion of the Board under Section 1 of this Act shall be for a 4 year period commencing on July 1, 1983.