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The purpose of this subtitle is to establish a [State Use Industries] MARYLAND CORRECTIONAL ENTERPRISES organization in the Division that:

(1) is financially self-supporting, generates revenue for its operations and capital investments, and reimburses the Division at a reasonable rate for services exchanged between the Division and [State Use Industries] MARYLAND CORRECTIONAL ENTERPRISES;

(2) provides meaningful work experiences for inmates that are intended to allow inmates to improve work habits, attitudes, and skills for the purpose of improving the employability of the inmates on release;

(3) seeks to develop industries that provide full-time work experience or rehabilitation programs for all eligible inmates;

(4) operates correctional industries in an environment that resembles as closely as possible the environment of private sector business operations; and

(5) makes the Division responsible for and accountable to the Secretary and the Governor for the [State Use Industries] MARYLAND CORRECTIONAL ENTERPRISES program.

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There is a [State Use Industries] MARYLAND CORRECTIONAL ENTERPRISES organization in the Division.

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The Division may exercise any authority necessary to perform properly any of its duties or functions under this subtitle.

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The Secretary shall appoint a [General Manager] CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER with the approval of the Management Council.

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(a) (1) The [General Manager] CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER:

(i) shall determine the personnel requirements of [State Use Industries] MARYLAND CORRECTIONAL ENTERPRISES; and

(ii) is the appointing authority for all personnel of [State Use Industries] MARYLAND CORRECTIONAL ENTERPRISES.

(2) The number of positions for [State Use Industries] MARYLAND CORRECTIONAL ENTERPRISES shall be included within the total personnel allocations provided for the Department.