

staff" is substituted for the ambiguous reference, in the fourth sentence of former Art. 40, § 59(d)(1), "[w]hen promoted, an employee". This substitution limits subsection (f)(2) of this section to promotions of professional staff and, thus, conforms to the rest of former Art. 40, § 59(d)(1).

In subsection (g)(1) of this section, the word "for" is substituted for the former phrases "upon proof of", since, under subsection (g)(2)(ii) of this section, only an opportunity for a hearing is required.

In subsection (g)(2)(i) of this section, the phrase "with the President and the Speaker" is added to clarify with whom the charges are filed.

As to subsection (b) of this section, note that Section 2 of Ch. 818, Acts of 1982, enabled individuals who held a classified position as of June 1, 1982, to retain that position.

As to subsection (c) of this section, Section 3 of Ch. 818, Acts of 1982 provided that, until the guidelines were adopted, a removal of an unclassified employee was to be reviewed by the President and the Speaker. The guidelines were adopted on June 28, 1983, to be effective on July 1, 1983.

Defined terms: "Department" § 2-1201  
 "Director" § 2-1201 "President" § 2-101  
 "Speaker" § 2-101

## 2-1208. USE OF STAFF AND FACILITIES.

### (A) AVAILABILITY.

THE STAFF AND FACILITIES OF THE DEPARTMENT SHALL BE AVAILABLE TO PREPARE FISCAL REPORTS FOR AND OTHERWISE HELP:

- (1) ANY STANDING COMMITTEE;
- (2) ANY STATUTORY COMMITTEE;
- (3) ANY SPECIAL COMMITTEE OF THE LEGISLATIVE POLICY COMMITTEE; AND
- (4) WITH THE CONSENT OF THE LEGISLATIVE POLICY COMMITTEE, ANY JOINT LEGISLATIVE AND EXECUTIVE BODY THAT THE GOVERNOR APPOINTS.

### (B) REFERRALS BY DIRECTOR.

THE DIRECTOR SHALL ASSIGN, TO THE STAFF OF THE DEPARTMENT OR TO A SPECIAL RESEARCH OR CONSULTING AGENCY, THE PREPARATION OF ANY FISCAL REPORT THAT THE LEGISLATIVE POLICY COMMITTEE OR A STANDING COMMITTEE REQUESTS.