

(5) INDEX AND PRESERVE ALL OF THE INFORMATION THAT IS GATHERED UNDER THIS SUBSECTION, SO THAT THE INFORMATION IS EASILY ACCESSIBLE TO STATE OFFICIALS AT ALL TIMES AND IS OPEN FOR PUBLIC INSPECTION.

REVISOR'S NOTE: Subsections (a) and (b) of this section are new language derived without substantive change from the second sentence and the second clause of the third sentence of former Art. 40, § 50(b).

Subsection (c) of this section formerly appeared as Art. 40, § 51(a), except the last clause of that subsection.

The introductory language of subsection (c) of this section, "[i]n addition to any duties set forth elsewhere," is standard language added to clarify that the enumerated duties are not exclusive.

Subsection (c)(1)(ii) of this section is revised to clarify that the Director is not merely to "accumulate" information on the operation and effect of laws but is to include the information in the report on laws.

In subsection (c)(3) of this section, the words "all available", which formerly modified "information", are deleted since the burden of collecting all available information on all pending legislation is impracticable.

In subsection (c)(5) of this section, the former words "collate" and "arranged" are deleted as unnecessary in light of the duty to "index".

The only other changes are in style.

The last clause of former Art. 40, § 51(a), which required an office in Annapolis, is deleted as obsolete.

Defined terms: "Department" § 2-1301
"Director" § 2-1301 "President" § 2-101
"Speaker" § 2-101 "State" § 1-101

2-1307. EMPLOYMENT OF STAFF.

(A) IN GENERAL.

THE DEPARTMENT MAY EMPLOY A STAFF IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE STATE BUDGET.

(B) UNCLASSIFIED POSITIONS.

POSITIONS IN THE DEPARTMENT ARE UNCLASSIFIED.