the agency which request such assistance, but in any case which funds or services are requested and received by the Department of State Planning from any federal agency for planning assistance to county, municipal or other local governments, instrumentalities or planning agencies, or to regional or metropolitan planning commissions, the condition imposed by federal law or regulation shall be carried out. Whenever federal laws or regulations condition such grants upon equal, larger or smaller contributions without specifications as to whether the State, or the locality receiving planning assistance shall make such contribution, the Department of State Planning may such contribution or any part thereof. Whenever the Department of State Planning is requested to render financial assistance to a regional, metropolitan, county, municipal or other local planning agency, the Secretary of State Planning shall first consider the adequacy and competency of the particular agency. All local governments, instrumentalities or planning agencies receiving financial or other planning assistance from the State shall at the request of Secretary of State Planning submit copies of their planning budgets for planning purposes to him. He may also require an annual audit of their financial operations related to planning by the [State auditor,] LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR or by auditors or accountants legally qualified to perform municipal audits. When a local government, instrumentality or planning agency receives financial or other planning assistance from a federal agency, the Secretary of State Planning may accept such federal agency's audit.

## Article 95 - Treasurer

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In carrying out his duties under this subtitle, the Treasurer shall receive the cooperation and assistance of the [State Law Department] OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, the Department of General Services, and the State Fire Marshal. The valuation of State properties in the case of loss or damage shall be determined by joint action of the Department of General Services and the agency or department having possession of the property at the time and shall be certified by the Department of General Services to the State Treasurer. The valuation of Liability claims against the State shall be determined by the [State Law Department] OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL and shall be certified to the State Treasurer. In the settlement of losses or liability claims, no moneys in excess of the loss or liability certification may be paid out of the fund by the Treasurer.

## Article - Agriculture

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(b) The chairman and members of the committee receive no compensation for their services on the committee, but are entitled to expenses, including traveling expenses, necessarily incurred in the discharge of their duties on the committee. The