

WILLIAM DONALD SCHAEFER, Governor

(3) TO THE MAXIMUM EXTENT FEASIBLE, REVIEW AND COMMENT ON ALL STATE PLANS IN THE STATE WHICH RELATE TO PROGRAMS AFFECTING PERSONS WITH DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES: AND

(4) SUBMIT TO THE SECRETARY OF THE FEDERAL DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, THROUGH THE GOVERNOR, SUCH PERIODIC REPORTS ON ITS ACTIVITIES AS THE SECRETARY MAY REASONABLY REQUEST, AND KEEP SUCH RECORDS AND AFFORD SUCH ACCESS THERETO AS THE SECRETARY FINDS NECESSARY TO VERIFY SUCH REPORTS.

(5) ADVOCATE, ON BEHALF OF DEVELOPMENTALLY DISABLED CITIZENS WITHIN STATE GOVERNMENT.

E. THE COUNCIL SHALL PROMULGATE AND ADOPT A SET OF BY-LAWS AND OPERATING PROCEDURES THAT ARE CONSISTENT WITH THE INTENT OF THIS EXECUTIVE ORDER AND THESE BY-LAWS SHALL BE ON FILE IN THE GOVERNOR'S APPOINTMENT OFFICE.

F. THIS EXECUTIVE ORDER IS EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY.

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EXECUTIVE ORDER OF MARCH 11, 1987

01.01.1987.09

THE GOVERNOR'S COMMITTEE ON EMPLOYMENT OF THE HANDICAPPED

WHEREAS, The Governor's Committee on Employment of the Handicapped was established by Executive Order 01.01.1986.15 as an agency housed within the Division of Vocational Rehabilitation, Maryland State Department of Education to promote meaningful employment opportunities for disabled citizens as well as public awareness of issues faced by disabled persons when seeking employment; and

WHEREAS, There is a continuing and substantial need for the education of the public regarding the employment abilities and capabilities of disabled persons; and

WHEREAS, The State of Maryland wishes to enhance services and policies affecting disabled citizens; and

WHEREAS, The Office for Handicapped Individuals is charged with monitoring and encouraging State government compliance with laws and policies affecting handicapped individuals and recommending changes on behalf of handicapped individuals pursuant to Section 9-1105 of the Annotated Code of Maryland; and