

WILLIAM DONALD SCHAEFER, Governor

(1) Review State statutes and regulations concerning children and family services and recommend changes believed needed to achieve the goals of the project;

(2) Develop and implement new local service delivery systems in selected areas and then develop plans for extending them promptly throughout the State with Governor's approval;

(3) Develop new policies and procedures for coordinating interagency planning and budgeting for all State child and family service programs which meet the needs of young children and adolescents who are abused, neglected, emotionally disturbed, handicapped, runaways, homeless, abandoned, dependent, delinquent, substance abusers, habitually truant, ungovernable, pregnant, or at-risk of these conditions, and their families; and

(4) Seek to maximize and make most efficient use of all government and private resources available to support needed services for children and families.

F. State executive branch agencies shall, to the maximum extent possible, assist the project by the program, budget, personnel, and other administrative actions necessary to implement [of] the new local service delivery system, policies and programs developed by the Project.

G. The project shall report annually to the Governor, General Assembly, and Chief Judge of the Court of Appeals, on its progress toward achieving its goals and the use of funds under its control or direction. The first report shall be submitted by February 1, 1989.

EXECUTIVE ORDER OF AUGUST 2, 1988

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GOVERNOR'S EXECUTIVE ADVISORY COUNCIL

WHEREAS, The types of government programs and services made available to Maryland citizens has a direct bearing on the overall quality of life in this State;

WHEREAS, There is a need to enhance existing services by developing innovative support programs;

WHEREAS, It is important for State government to remain responsive to the changing needs of our citizenry, and to