ON REQUEST OF THE SECRETARY, ALL EMPLOYEES AND OFFICERS OF THIS STATE OR OF A COUNTY OR MUNICIPAL CORPORATION OF THIS STATE SHALL:

- (1) ALLOW THE DEPARTMENT REASONABLE USE OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS FOR TESTS OR INVESTIGATIONS UNDER THIS DIVISION I;
- (2) PROVIDE HEAT AND LIGHT FOR THE PUBLIC BUILDINGS USED BY THE DEPARTMENT UNDER THIS SUBSECTION; AND
- (3) IN ALL OTHER PROPER WAYS, FACILITATE THE WORK OF THE DEPARTMENT.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 64A, § 14.

Throughout this section, former references to providing assistance to the "Secretary" are revised to refer generally to assisting the "Department". However, the conditional statement "[o]n request of the Secretary" is retained in subsection (a) of this section and, for consistency, added to subsection (b) of this section.

In subsection (b)(1) of this section, the former reference to "rooms" is deleted as surplusage.

Defined terms: "County" § 1-101
"Department" § 1-101
"Secretary" § 1-101

SUBTITLE 3. DELEGATION OF HEARING AUTHORITY.

2-301. HEARINGS AND FINAL DECISIONS.

THE SECRETARY MAY DELEGATE TO THE OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS THE AUTHORITY TO CONDUCT A HEARING AND ISSUE A FINAL DECISION IN:

- (1) A GRIEVANCE UNDER § 10–209(B) OF THIS ARTICLE; AND
- (2) AN APPEAL UNDER § 6–107(D)(1) OF THIS ARTICLE FROM THE DENIAL OF A PAY INCREMENT.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 64A, § 36A(a).

The term "Office of Administrative Hearings" is substituted for the former obsolete reference to "an arbitrator of the ... Department of Personnel" to conform to the recently enacted requirements of Title 9, Subtitle 16 of the State Government Article.

Defined term: "Secretary" § 1-101