9–1610.

(a). The Council shall:

(1)   advise the Chief Administrative Law Judge in carrying out his duties;

(2)   identify issues of importance to administrative law judges that should be addressed by the Chief Administrative Law Judge;

(3)   review issues and problems relating to administrative hearings and the administrative process;

(4)   review and comment upon policies and regulations proposed by the Chief Administrative Law Judge;

(5)   advise the Governor as to those agencies for which a continuing exemption under § 9–1601 of this subtitle should be maintained as consistent with the purposes of this subtitle; and

(6)   submit an annual report, WHICH MAY BE PREPARED IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE REPORT REQUIRED UNDER § 9–1604 OF THIS SUBTITLE AND IS subject to § 2–1312 of this article, to the Legislative Policy Committee of the General Assembly [that includes], INCLUDING a list of the agencies that are exempted from this subtitle under § 9–1601(c) of this subtitle and the reasons for the exemptions.

Article – State Personnel and Pensions

2–202.

(a)   The Secretary shall submit to the Governor AND, SUBJECT TO § 2–1312 OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT ARTICLE, TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY an annual report for each fiscal year that:

(1)   generally describes the activities of the Secretary under this Division I;

(2)   makes any recommendations about conditions in State employment that the Secretary considers advisable;

(3)   provides statistics and rankings that compare minority group State employees to all State employees in all job categories;

(4)   indicates the number and salaries of employees in each unit that the Department determines under Title 4, Subtitle 5 of this article to be below a fair standard of performance and efficiency;

(5)   describes all Whistleblower Law proceedings taken under Title 3, Subtitle 3 of this article; [and]

(6)   provides the following information about contractual employment during the previous fiscal year:

(i)   a list of exemptions granted under Title 12, Subtitle 2 of this article;