

(II) IS ENTITLED TO REIMBURSEMENT FOR EXPENSES UNDER THE STANDARD STATE TRAVEL REGULATIONS AS PROVIDED IN THE STATE BUDGET.

~~(5)~~ (4) A MEMBER MAY BE REMOVED FROM THE ADVISORY COUNCIL FOR FAILURE TO ATTEND MEETINGS OF THE ADVISORY COUNCIL.

~~(6)~~ (5) IN THE COURSE OF ITS EXAMINATION AND DEVELOPMENT OF RECOMMENDATIONS, THE ADVISORY COUNCIL MAY HOLD MEETINGS IN DIFFERENT PARTS OF THE STATE, AND MAY ENCOURAGE PARTICIPATION FROM ALL SECTORS OF THE STATE.

(G) THE ADVISORY COUNCIL SHALL:

(1) EXAMINE ISSUES RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE;

(2) MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS ON ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE ISSUES TO THE GOVERNOR AND THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY;

~~(3) PROVIDE GUIDANCE~~ MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS IN IMPLEMENTING REGARDING POLICIES RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE; AND

~~(4) DEVELOP A DRAFT STATE POLICY ON ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE;~~

~~(5) DEVELOP IMPLEMENTATION TOOLS FOR STATE UNITS TO USE IN REVIEWING EXISTING ACTIVITIES, PROGRAMS, AND POLICIES AND IN DEVELOPING THEIR OWN ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE POLICIES;~~

~~(6) RECOMMEND LEGISLATION AND EXECUTIVE POLICIES NEEDED TO IMPLEMENT A FINAL STATE POLICY ON ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE;~~

~~(7) ASSIST IN COORDINATING STATE AND LOCAL ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE ACTIONS AND RESPONSES; AND~~

~~(8)~~ STUDY AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS ON MEANS TO:

(I) INVOLVE AFFECTED COMMUNITIES IN COMMUNITY-BASED PLANNING FOR ENVIRONMENTAL AND ECONOMIC ENHANCEMENT AND RELATED COORDINATED STATE AND LOCAL ACTIVITIES, PROGRAMS, AND POLICIES;

(II) INCREASE EFFORTS TO INTEGRATE PUBLIC HEALTH AND PLANNING FOR REVITALIZATION OF AFFECTED COMMUNITIES, ~~BOTH THROUGH BROWNFIELDS EFFORTS AND THROUGH OTHER STATE POLICIES AND PROGRAMS AFFECTING PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE, AND THE ENVIRONMENT;~~

(III) ENHANCE PUBLIC PARTICIPATION IN POLICY ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE DEVELOPMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION REGARDING AFFECTED COMMUNITIES;

(IV) INCREASE THE AWARENESS AND SENSITIVITY OF STATE AND LOCAL OFFICIALS TO ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE ISSUES;

(V) ASSESS THE IMPACT OF STATE POLICIES, PROGRAMS, AND ACTIVITIES ON AFFECTED COMMUNITIES; AND