

(7) PROVIDE FOR, ENCOURAGE, AND ASSIST, WHERE PRACTICABLE, PUBLIC PARTICIPATION IN THE DEVELOPMENT AND DISSEMINATION OF ENERGY PROGRAMS;

(8) IN COOPERATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL SERVICES, MONITOR THE ENERGY SAVINGS ACCRUED BY THE ENERGY MANAGEMENT AND CONSERVATION EFFORTS UNDERTAKEN BY AGENCIES OF STATE GOVERNMENT;

(9) COORDINATE AND DIRECT INTEGRATED ENERGY PLANNING FOR STATE AGENCIES AND THE PUBLIC THAT RECOGNIZES THE BENEFITS AND COSTS OF ENERGY CONSERVATION AND IMPROVED EFFICIENCY;

(10) PROMOTE THE TRANSFER AND COMMERCIALIZATION OF ENERGY CONSERVATION METHODS AND ENERGY TECHNOLOGY FROM PRIVATE AND PUBLIC LABORATORIES TO THE CITIZENS OF THE STATE;

(11) COOPERATE AND COORDINATE WITH OTHER STATE AGENCIES IN THE RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT OF ENERGY CONSERVATION METHODS AND ALTERNATIVE ENERGY TECHNOLOGIES; AND

(12) DEVELOP STRATEGIC PLANS AND IMPLEMENT POLICIES RELATING TO ENERGY SUPPLY MANAGEMENT, INCLUDING THE PROMOTION AND SUPERVISION OF RESEARCH ON ALTERNATIVE FUELS AND ENERGY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section formerly was Art. 41, § 10-702.

The only changes are in style.

9-2004. HEATING OIL FOR STATE AGENCIES.

THE ADMINISTRATION SHALL ASSIST THE DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL SERVICES IN CONSIDERING THE MOST ECONOMICAL AND EFFICIENT ALTERNATIVE FOR MEETING THE ANNUAL HEATING OIL REQUIREMENTS OF STATE AGENCIES.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section formerly was Art. 41, § 10-703.

No changes are made.

9-2005. ENERGY EMERGENCIES.

THE ADMINISTRATION SHALL HAVE THE FOLLOWING ADDITIONAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES CONCERNING THE STATE'S PREPAREDNESS FOR, AND MANAGEMENT OF, GENERAL ENERGY EMERGENCIES AND SHORTFALLS:

(1) TO PREPARE CONTINGENCY PLANS FOR MITIGATING THE IMPACT OF ANY SEVERE SHORTAGE OF FUEL RESOURCES, INCLUDING MIDDLE DISTILLATE OIL, MOTOR GASOLINE, RESIDUAL FUEL OIL, AND PROPANE GAS, ON VARIOUS CLASSES OF CONSUMERS;

(2) TO WORK WITH THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY IN PREPARING AND TRAINING FOR AN ENERGY EMERGENCY RESPONSE;