

13-1004.

(A) EACH YEAR FOLLOWING THE YEAR IN WHICH THE BASELINE TOBACCO STUDY IS COMPLETED, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL CONDUCT AN ANNUAL TOBACCO STUDY.

(B) THE ANNUAL TOBACCO STUDY ~~SHALL~~:

(1) SHALL MEASURE THE SAME FACTORS THAT ARE SET FORTH IN § 13-1003(C) OF THIS SUBTITLE; AND

(2) SUBJECT TO ITEM (3) OF THIS SUBSECTION, SHALL USE THE SAME A METHODOLOGY OR MODEL THAT IS CONSISTENT WITH THE METHODOLOGY OR MODEL THAT WAS USED TO CONDUCT THE BASELINE TOBACCO STUDY; AND

(3) AT LEAST EVERY OTHER YEAR, SHALL MEASURE THE FACTORS LISTED IN § 13-1003(C) OF THIS SUBTITLE USING THE SAME METHODOLOGY OR MODEL THAT WAS USED FOR THE BASELINE TOBACCO STUDY.

(C) (1) ~~SUBJECT TO PARAGRAPH (2) PARAGRAPHS (2) AND (3) THROUGH (4)~~ OF THIS SUBSECTION, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL CONTRACT WITH A HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTION OR PRIVATE ENTITY TO CONDUCT THE ANNUAL TOBACCO STUDY.

(2) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL ISSUE A REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL TO SELECT THE ENTITY THAT WILL CONDUCT THE ANNUAL TOBACCO STUDY.

(3) THE DEPARTMENT MAY CONTRACT WITH AN ENTITY TO CONDUCT ONE OR MORE ANNUAL TOBACCO STUDIES.

(4) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL USE THE CRITERIA ESTABLISHED IN § 13-1003(E)(5) OF THIS SUBTITLE AS A GUIDE IN ADMINISTERING THE REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL PROCESS.

(D) ON OR BEFORE SEPTEMBER 1 OF EACH YEAR THE DEPARTMENT SHALL SUBMIT AN ANNUAL REPORT TO THE GOVERNOR AND, SUBJECT TO § 2-1246 OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT ARTICLE, THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY ON THE RESULTS OF THE ANNUAL TOBACCO STUDY.

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(A) THERE IS A STATEWIDE PUBLIC HEALTH COMPONENT IN THE PROGRAM.

(B) THE PURPOSE OF THE STATEWIDE PUBLIC HEALTH COMPONENT IS TO MAXIMIZE THE EFFECTIVENESS OF THE ~~ANTI~~TOBACCO ANTI-TOBACCO INITIATIVES IN THE STATE BY AUTHORIZING THE DEPARTMENT TO TAKE STEPS TO ~~INSURE~~ ENSURE THAT THE PROGRAM IS IMPLEMENTED IN A COORDINATED AND INTEGRATED MANNER THROUGHOUT THE STATE.

(C) SUBJECT TO SUBSECTIONS (D) AND (E) OF THIS SECTION AND AS NECESSARY TO ~~INSURE~~ ENSURE A COORDINATED AND INTEGRATED STATEWIDE EFFORT TO IMPLEMENT TOBACCO USE PREVENTION AND CESSATION PROGRAMS, THE DEPARTMENT MAY: