

submit a certain report to the Governor and General Assembly in a certain manner and by a certain date; providing for the contents of the report; requiring the Department to establish certain long-term goals and intermediate benchmarks for certain transportation indicators; requiring an advisory committee to be assembled to advise the Department on certain matters; providing for the membership of the advisory committee; establishing how often the advisory committee will meet; requiring the Department and the advisory committee to consider certain issues; authorizing the Department to conduct certain activities; altering the frequency of the revision of the Maryland Transportation Plan and the manner in which it is revised; providing that certain performance indicators, benchmarks, and goals established by the Department may not serve as the basis for certain causes of action; and generally relating to the study of certain transportation issues in priority funding areas.

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~~Article — State Finance and Procurement~~

~~Section 5-7B-09~~

~~Annotated Code of Maryland~~

~~(1995 Replacement Volume and 1999 Supplement)~~

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Article — Transportation

Section 2-103.1

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1993 Replacement Volume and 1999 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

~~Article — State Finance and Procurement~~

~~5-7B-09.~~

~~(a) The Office of Planning shall:~~

~~(1) establish a process for the review of projects by the appropriate State agencies and the Office of Planning for compliance with this subtitle;~~

~~(2) provide to each State agency and unit of State government the location of priority funding areas; and~~

~~(3) make available to each county, and to the public for review, copies of maps illustrating:~~

~~(i) priority funding areas certified by the local governments; and~~

~~(ii) any comments by the Office of Planning on the areas certified.~~

~~(b) By October 1, 1998, the Office of Planning shall complete surveys of municipal, county, and State governments for infrastructure needs and shall~~