

(D) THE BOARD MAY EMPLOY STAFF IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE BUDGET OF THE BOARD.

(E) THE BOARD MAY APPOINT AN EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR.

(F) THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR:

- (1) SERVES AT THE PLEASURE OF THE BOARD;
- (2) SERVES AS THE EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF THE BOARD; AND
- (3) HAS THE POWERS AND DUTIES ASSIGNED BY THE BOARD.

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(A) IN ADDITION TO THE POWERS AND DUTIES SET FORTH ELSEWHERE IN THIS TITLE, THE BOARD IN CONSULTATION WITH THE SUBCABINET SHALL:

(1) ADOPT REGULATIONS TO CARRY OUT THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBTITLE;

(2) ESTABLISH STANDARDS FOR THE CERTIFICATION OF APPLICANTS;

(3) CONDUCT A CONTINUING STUDY AND INVESTIGATION OF ~~PROGRAMS AND~~ PROGRAM ADMINISTRATORS TO IMPROVE:

(I) CERTIFICATION STANDARDS; AND

(II) PROCEDURES FOR ENFORCING THESE STANDARDS; AND

(4) DEVISE EXAMINATIONS AND ADOPT INVESTIGATIVE PROCEDURES TO:

(I) DETERMINE WHETHER PROGRAM ADMINISTRATORS MEET THE STANDARDS ADOPTED BY THE BOARD; AND

(II) ASSURE THAT PROGRAM ADMINISTRATORS CONTINUE TO MEET THESE STANDARDS.

(B) IN ADDITION TO THE DUTIES SET FORTH ELSEWHERE IN THIS TITLE, THE BOARD SHALL:

(1) MAINTAIN A REGISTRY OF ALL PROGRAM ADMINISTRATORS CERTIFIED BY THE BOARD;

(2) SUBMIT AN ANNUAL REPORT TO THE GOVERNOR AND SUBCABINET;

(3) ADOPT A CODE OF ETHICS THAT THE BOARD CONSIDERS APPROPRIATE AND APPLICABLE TO THE PROGRAM ADMINISTRATORS CERTIFIED BY THE BOARD;

(4) ESTABLISH CONTINUING EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS FOR THE PROGRAM ADMINISTRATORS CERTIFIED BY THE BOARD;

(5) ADOPT AN OFFICIAL SEAL; AND