

[(g)] (F) The Legislative Auditor shall audit all expenditures and accounts of the College in accordance with §§ 2-1215 through 2-1222 of the State Government Article. 21-104.

In addition to any other power granted or duty imposed, the State Council on Vocational-Technical Education shall:

(1) Meet with the State Board of Education or its representatives to advise and assist in developing State plans for vocational-technical education;

(2) Review and comment for the record on State plans or amendments to State plans for vocational-technical education prior to submission to the U.S. Secretary of Education;

(3) Study, report, and recommend to the State Board of Education on:

(i) The extent to which special populations are provided equal access to quality vocational education programs;

(ii) The availability of vocational-technical activities and services within the State;

(iii) The establishment of technical committees;

(iv) The conduct of vocational-technical education programs conducted in the State which emphasize the use of business concerns and labor organizations;

(v) Procedures to ensure and enhance the participation of the public in the provision of vocational-technical education at the local level within the State, particularly the participation of local employers and local labor organizations;

(vi) Policies the State should pursue to strengthen vocational-technical education with particular attention to programs for the handicapped;

(vii) Initiatives and methods the private sector could undertake to assist in the modernization of vocational-technical education programs;

(viii) The distribution of all vocational education funds within the State including federal financial assistance furnished under the Carl D. Perkins Vocational Education Act;

(ix) The distribution of financial assistance between secondary and postsecondary vocational-technical education programs;

(x) The design of programs for adult training, retraining, and employment development; and

(xi) The development of programs and projects for industry/education partnership for training in high technology occupations;