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(a) The State of Maryland assents to the federal acts.

(b) The State Treasurer shall:

(1) Be the custodian of any money received under the federal acts; and

(2) Disburse this money in accordance with the federal acts.

(c) The State Board of Education AND THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, LICENSING, AND REGULATION, AS APPROPRIATE, shall:

(1) Cooperate with the appropriate federal agencies in administering the federal acts;

(2) Do anything necessary to secure the benefits of the federal acts; and

(3) FACILITATE THE TRANSFER OF FEDERAL FUNDS TO THE APPROPRIATE OPERATIONAL ENTITY; AND

(4) Represent this State in all matters relating to the administration of the federal acts.

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(a) There is an Education Coordinating Council for Correctional Institutions under the jurisdiction of the Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services which is within the State Department of Education for administrative and budgetary purposes.

(b) (1) The Council consists of 5 members.

(2) One of the members shall be a resident of this State appointed by the Governor for a term of 4 years and until a successor is appointed and qualifies.

(3) The following officials shall serve ex officio:

(i) The State Superintendent of Schools;

(ii) The Secretary of Public Safety and Correctional Services;

(iii) The Secretary of Higher Education; and