

(C) RESPONSIBILITIES.

(1) THE COUNCIL SHALL ESTABLISH THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR.

(2) THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR APPOINTS AND REMOVES THE STAFF OF THE COUNCIL.

(D) COMPENSATION.

THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR IS ENTITLED TO THE COMPENSATION THAT THE COUNCIL SETS.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 20A, § 2-204(a)(1) and, as they related to the executive director, (2) and § 2-202(11).

Throughout this section, the defined term "Executive Director" is substituted for the former obsolete references to a "director".

In subsections (a), (c), and (d) of this section, the former phrase "[w]ithout limiting or restricting the general powers conferred by this article" is deleted as surplusage.

Defined terms: "Council" § 13-701

"Executive Director" § 13-701

13-708. LEGAL ADVISOR.

WITH THE CONSENT OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, THE COUNCIL MAY:

(1) SELECT AND RETAIN ITS OWN COUNSEL; OR

(2) USE THE ATTORNEY GENERAL AS ITS LEGAL COUNSEL.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 20A, § 1-105.

The phrase "[w]ith the consent of the Attorney General," is added to reflect the general requirement of the Attorney General to provide representation to State units. See Md. Constitution, Art. V, § 3. However, the General Assembly may designate other representation for a State unit with a distinctly local orientation. See 67 Op. Att'y Gen. 3 (1982).

Defined term: "Council" § 13-701

13-709. STAFF.

(A) IN GENERAL.

THE COUNCIL MAY EMPLOY A STAFF AND RETAIN PROFESSIONAL CONSULTANTS.

(B) POWERS AND DUTIES.

THE COUNCIL SHALL: