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The Department of Human Resources was created in 1970 as the Department of Employment and Social Services by Chapter 96, Acts of 1970. The Department adopted its present name in 1975 (Chapter 382, Acts of 1975).

The Department of Human Resources consists of the following component agencies: the Employment Security Administration, the Social Services Administration, the Maryland Office of Economic Opportunity, and the State Manpower Planning Office (Code 1957, Art. 41, secs. 205-205F).

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The Employment Security Administration administers the Unemployment Insurance Program, the Employment Service, and the Work Incentive Program for Maryland. The Agency is headed by an Executive Director appointed by the Secretary of Human Resources and serves at his pleasure. Originally established by Chapter 314, Acts of 1937, the Administration adopted its present name by Chapter 96, Acts of 1970 (Code 1957, Art. 95A, and Art. 41, sec. 205F).

The programs of the Employment Security Administration must be administered in accordance with the Federal Unemployment Tax Act, the Social Security Act, and regulations promulgated by the U. S. Departments of Labor and Health, Education, and Welfare. All the administrative costs of the Unemployment Insurance and Employment Service Programs and 90 percent of the costs of the Work Incentive Program are financed by the federal government.

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The Secretary of the Department of Human Resources appoints a State Advisory Council, consisting of an equal number of representatives from the public, the employer, and the employee. The Council aids the Executive Director in formulating policies and discusses with him problems that arise in the administration of the law to insure impartial solutions of such problems (Code 1957, Art. 95A, sec. 12).

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