

will recommend strategies for schools, school systems, and the State to meet the performance criteria.

The Commission submitted a progress report to the Governor and State Board of Education in May 1988. A final report is due by July 1, 1989.

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The Governor appointed this council by Executive Order in 1970 to succeed the Governor's Science Resources Advisory Council.

The Governor's Science Advisory Council provides the Governor with objective scientific or technological advice as the Governor deems necessary and appropriate. The Council identifies broad future problems in all fields to which scientific approaches should be applied, formulates recommendations to alleviate these problems, and defines problem areas for which committees could find solutions or recommendations for action. The Council also defines scientific areas needing additional research or data analysis, reviews available resources to perform such analysis, and recommends the approach to be used. The Council further works to improve scientific education and identifies areas for graduate studies, particularly those studies that will be of value to the State.

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In February 1989, the Governor appointed the Executive/Legislative Committee to Examine Simulcasting in Maryland.

With regard to the horse racing industry, the Committee will consider whether Maryland should authorize expansion of simulcasting to off-track locations in the State, and if so, how many and where such facilities should be authorized. The Committee also will examine whether ownership and control of off-track simulcasting facilities should be vested in current racetracks, in other private interests, or in State or local government. In addition, the Committee is to study how revenues and proceeds from off-track simulcasting facilities would be distributed.

The Committee will report to the Governor by March 1989.

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