

REVISOR'S NOTE: This subsection presently appears as Art. 77, §8.

The only changes are in style.

(J) SCHOOL BUDGET.

(1) THE STATE BOARD SHALL SEND THE GOVERNOR AN ANNUAL STATE PUBLIC SCHOOL BUDGET INCLUDING, SUBJECT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION AND EXISTING LAWS, THE APPROPRIATION FOR:

(I) THE DEPARTMENT;

(II) STATE AID TO THE COUNTIES FOR CURRENT EXPENSES AND FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS; AND

(III) THE NECESSARY COSTS OF TRANSPORTING STUDENTS TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS, AS THE STATE BOARD ESTIMATES THEM AFTER CONSIDERING THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE STATE COMMITTEE ON THE SCHOOL BUS FORMULA.

(2) THE BUDGET SHALL BE CERTIFIED BY THE STATE SUPERINTENDENT BEFORE IT IS SENT TO THE GOVERNOR.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This subsection presently appears as Art. 77, §19.

In this subsection, the present words "and Baltimore City" are deleted as unnecessary in light of the definition of "county" in §1-101 of this article and in light of §1-202 of this article.

In this subsection and throughout this article, the word "student" is substituted for "pupil". This is done for uniformity and no change in meaning is intended.

The only other changes are in style.

(K) RECOMMENDATION FOR LEGISLATION.

THE STATE BOARD SHALL:

(1) CONSIDER THE EDUCATIONAL NEEDS OF THIS STATE; AND

(2) WITH THE ADVICE OF THE STATE SUPERINTENDENT, RECOMMEND TO THE GOVERNOR AND THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY ANY LEGISLATION THAT IT CONSIDERS NECESSARY.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This subsection presently appears as Art. 77, §21.

The only changes are in style.

(L) SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION.