

vehicles; and (iii) to requiring that pursuant to paragraph (b)(1) of this section, the method used to determine distribution of state-owned motor vehicles to State employees shall be to assign the allocated motor vehicles to those employees accumulating the highest mileage for official use, except in instances where the Secretary of Budget and Fiscal Planning determines, based on published criteria, that the use of a State vehicle is required for the efficient operation of a State program regardless of the mileage traveled.

(3) Consistent with this subsection, the Secretary may reassign State vehicles on an interdepartmental basis if federally funded programs are substantially reduced or discontinued.

(4) Subject to Article 40, § 51 of the Code the Secretary shall report in detail annually to the General Assembly the text of such rules and regulations currently in effect and the problems involved in assuring compliance with the directions and aims of this section.

(C) THIS SECTION AND THE RULES AND REGULATIONS PROMULGATED UNDER THIS SECTION DO NOT APPLY TO PURCHASES, LEASES, OR RENTALS OF MOTOR VEHICLES BY THE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND FOR THE--USE-OF-UNIVERSITY-COLLEGE USE IN ITS OVERSEAS PROGRAMS.

23B.

(A) The Secretary, after consultation with the State Comptroller, shall be responsible for planning and controlling data processing in the several departments and agencies of the State government. The Secretary shall continuously study the data processing function within the State in order to improve its efficiency and economy. All changes effected by any department or agency pertaining to data processing shall first be reviewed and approved by the Secretary for compatibility with existing procedures and equipment. The purchase, lease, or rental of mechanical or electronic data processing equipment for all State departments and agencies shall be reviewed and approved by the Secretary prior to the purchase, lease, or rental.

(B) THIS SECTION DOES NOT APPLY TO CHANGES PERTAINING TO OR TO THE PURCHASE, LEASE, OR RENTAL OF MECHANICAL OR ELECTRONIC DATA OR INFORMATION PROCESSING EQUIPMENT AND RELATED SERVICES BY THE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND FOR THE--USE OF-UNIVERSITY-COLLEGE USE IN ITS OVERSEAS PROGRAMS.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the provisions of this Act pertaining to the moneys of University College shall apply instead of any other law affecting the moneys of University College to the extent that the other laws are inconsistent with this Act.