

Committee, the chairman of the Finance Committee, the chairman of the Judicial Proceedings Committee, the chairman of the Committee on Economic Affairs, the floor leader of the minority party and [three] FOUR additional members to be appointed by the President and approved by a majority vote of the Senate. As far as possible, these [three] FOUR additional memberships shall be distributed so as to be representative of the various sections AND INTERESTS of the State.

(2) From the House of Delegates -- The Speaker, THE SPEAKER PRO TEM, THE FLOOR LEADER OF THE MAJORITY PARTY, the chairman of the Appropriations Committee, the chairman of the Economic Matters Committee, the chairman of the Environmental Matters Committee, the chairman of the Constitutional and Administrative Law Committee, the chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, the chairman of the Judiciary Committee, the floor leader of the minority party and [two] THREE additional members to be appointed by the Speaker of the House and approved by a majority vote of the House. As far as possible, these [two] THREE additional memberships shall be distributed so as to [make the Legislative Policy Committee] BE representative of the various sections and interests of the State.

(b) The President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House shall be cochairmen. [The Director of the State Department of Legislative Reference shall be the secretary of the committee.] THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE SHALL PROVIDE STAFF ASSISTANCE TO THE LEGISLATIVE POLICY COMMITTEE.

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The Legislative Policy Committee has the following functions:

(2) To include in [its] A report to the General Assembly all bills and joint resolutions recommended and prepared by any of the several standing committees and submitted to the Legislative Policy Committee in memorandum or other form;

(4) To examine the operation of previously enacted legislation -{and of the common law -}- and of the State Constitution and recommend amendments thereto;

(7) To prepare OR ENDORSE a legislative program in the form of recommendations, bills, resolutions, or other proposals to be presented at the next session of the General Assembly.

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In the discharge of any of its functions or powers, the Legislative Policy Committee, or any of the standing committees of the General Assembly, subject to the prior