

MISCELLANEOUS EXECUTIVE COMMISSIONS

MISCELLANEOUS EXECUTIVE COMMISSIONS OVERVIEW

Miscellaneous Executive Commissions refer to agencies whose missions extend beyond a single department. Often an individual commission operates in conjunction with executive departments in several states, with each member state exercising equal power in the decision process. Such compacts are necessary, as an action taken by one state frequently has ramifications in another state.

The recommendations for fiscal year 1994, which represent New Jersey's share of the operating budgets, provide continuation funding of \$975,000 for three Miscellaneous Executive Commissions—the Interstate Sanitation Commission, the Delaware River Basin Commission, and the Governor's Management Review Commission.

The Interstate Sanitation Commission plans and coordinates activities, with the objective of abating water pollution in areas in which all three states are affected. The member states are New Jersey, New York, and Connecticut.

The Delaware River Basin Commission coordinates activities and sponsors research on water resources with federal, State, municipal and private agencies. The member states are New Jersey, New York, Delaware and Pennsylvania.

The Governor's Management Review Commission analyzes the various departments, commissions, and authorities in the State of New Jersey with the objective of developing cost savings and improvements in the operation of New Jersey's executive branch of government.

SUMMARY OF APPROPRIATIONS BY PROGRAM (thousands of dollars)

Year Ending June 30, 1992					Year Ending June 30, 1994		
Orig. & (S)Supple- mental	Reapp. & (R)Recpts.	Transfers & (E)Emer- gencies	Total Available	Expended	1993 Adjusted Approp.	Requested	Recom- mended
510	—	—	510	510	Science and Technical Programs		
260	—	—	260	260	Delaware River Basin Commission		
					510	548	510
					Interstate Sanitation Commission		
					215	395	315
<u>770</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>770</u>	<u>770</u>	<i>Subtotal</i>		
					<u>725</u>	<u>943</u>	<u>825</u>
					Management and Administration		
1,000	—	476	1,476	1,468	Governor's Management Review Commission		
					250	250	250
<u>1,000</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>476</u>	<u>1,476</u>	<u>1,468</u>	<i>Subtotal</i>		
					<u>250</u>	<u>250</u>	<u>250</u>
<u>1,770</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>476</u>	<u>2,246</u>	<u>2,238</u>	<i>Total Appropriation</i>		
					<u>975</u>	<u>1,193</u>	<u>1,075</u>

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40. COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT

43. SCIENCE AND TECHNICAL PROGRAMS

9130. INTERSTATE SANITATION COMMISSION

OBJECTIVES

1. To restore to usefulness, within a reasonable time and in an economical manner, areas of the District which are presently blighted from water pollution.
2. To plan and coordinate activities to control and prevent air pollution in the region through the development of compatible standards and implementation plans.

PROGRAM CLASSIFICATIONS

03. **Interstate Sanitation Commission.** The Interstate Sanitation Commission is a tri-state agency created by the states of New Jersey, New York and Connecticut through enabling legislation and a tri-state compact (RS 32:18-1 et seq. and RS 32:19-1 et seq.) The Interstate Sanitation Commission District extends approximately from Sandy Hook on the New Jersey coast to include all of New York Harbor, north on the Hudson River to the northerly boundaries of Westchester and

Rockland counties, easterly into Long Island Sound to the New Haven, Connecticut shore, to Port Jefferson on the north shore of Long Island, and along the south shore of Long Island extending easterly to Fire Island Inlet. The Commission makes rules, regulations and orders for the abatement of water pollution and may resort to the courts for enforcement. The Commission's program plan for water pollution abatement is designed to provide assistance in an effective coordinated approach to regional problems. The Commission is also the official planning and coordinating agency for the New Jersey-New York-Connecticut air quality control region, though it does not have air pollution abatement enforcement powers. The Commission conducts studies; undertakes research, testing and development; gathers and disseminates data to other public and private organizations or agencies; does sampling to track sources of air pollutants and refers complaints to an appropriate agency or agencies of the states, along with data necessary to take corrective action.

APPROPRIATIONS DATA (thousands of dollars)

Year Ending June 30, 1992					Year Ending June 30, 1994				
Orig. & (S) Supplemental	Reapp. & (R) Recpts.	Transfers & (E) Emergencies	Total Available	Expended	Prog. Class.	1993 Adjusted Approp.	Requested	Recommended	
260	—	—	260	260	Distribution by Program				
					Interstate Sanitation Commission	03	215	395	315
260	—	—	260	260	Total Appropriation				
					Distribution by Object				
					Special Purpose:				
260	—	—	260	260	Expenses of the Commission	03	215	395	315
260	—	—	260	260	Total Special Purpose				

LANGUAGE PROVISIONS

It is recommended that the amount available to the Interstate Sanitation Commission from the State of New Jersey shall not exceed the amount that is appropriated for the contribution to the commission by the State of New York.

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9140. DELAWARE RIVER BASIN COMMISSION

OBJECTIVES

1. To establish standards of planning, design and operation of water resources projects and facilities in the Basin.
2. To conduct and sponsor research on water resources.
3. To coordinate the activities and programs of Federal, State, municipal and private agencies concerned with water resources administration.
4. To improve environmental quality within the Basin.

PROGRAM CLASSIFICATIONS

02. **Delaware River Basin Commission.** This Commission, under the Delaware River Basin Compact (C32:11D-1 et seq.), cooperates as a regional agency for the planning, conservation, utilization, development, management and control of water and related natural resources of the Delaware River Basin. The Compact includes the states of Delaware, New Jersey, New York, the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the Federal government. Each year the Commission adopts a water resources program which it proposes be undertaken by

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the Commission and other governmental and private agencies, organizations and persons during the ensuing six years or such other reasonable period. The Commission is empowered to allocate the waters of the Basin to and among the states and their respective political subdivisions, and to impose conditions, obligations and release requirements related thereto, subject to certain limitations. It is also empowered to acquire, operate and control projects and facilities for the storage and release of waters and may assess the cost thereof upon water users. The Commission may undertake investigations and surveys, and acquire and construct, operate and maintain projects and facilities to control potential pollution and abate existing pollution. The

Commission may plan, design, construct and operate and maintain projects and facilities for flood damage reduction and has the power to restrict the use of property within the area of a flood plain so as to minimize the flood hazard. The Commission provides for the development of water-related public sports and recreational facilities through the construction, maintenance and administration of such facilities. The Commission may develop and operate, or authorize to be developed and operated, dams and related facilities and appurtenances for the purpose of generating hydroelectric power. The appropriation recommended below represents New Jersey's share of the Commission's budget.

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510	—	—	510	510					
Distribution by Program									
					02	510	548	510	
510	—	—	510	510		510	548	510	
Distribution by Object									
Special Purpose:									
					02	510	548	510	
510	—	—	510	510		510	548	510	
OTHER RELATED APPROPRIATIONS									
							2	2	
510	—	—	510	510		510	550	512	

70. GOVERNMENT DIRECTION, MANAGEMENT AND CONTROL

76. MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION

9146. GOVERNOR'S MANAGEMENT REVIEW COMMISSION

OBJECTIVES

- To study and analyze the various departments, commissions, authorities, and other functions of State government to ascertain the means by and manner in which the services of the State of New Jersey may be afforded to its citizens in the most efficient, expeditious and economical manner.

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- Governor's Management Review Commission.** The Commission was created April 2, 1990 by Executive Order Number 7 to conduct a comprehensive review of state operations. Based on their size, complexity, and potential opportunities for cost savings and improvements, several State departments have undergone operational audits. Also reviewed have been various cross-cutting issues, tax delinquency collection efforts, and the potential for privatizing some State functions. In the future, operational audits of additional departments will be conducted.

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1,000	—	476	1,476	1,468	Distribution by Program				
					Governor's Management Review Commission	90	250	250	250
1,000	—	476	1,476	1,468	Total Appropriation				
							250	250	250
					Distribution by Object				
					Special Purpose:				
1,000	—	476	1,476	1,468	Expenses of the Commission	90	250	250	250
1,000	—	476	1,476	1,468	Total Special Purpose				
							250	250	250
1,770	—	476	2,246	2,238	Total Appropriation, Miscellaneous Executive Commissions				
							975	1,193	1,075