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Executive Order 2003-7 abolished 11 boards and commissions based on findings that they were unnecessary or redundant. The following entities (collectively, the "Abolished Entities") were eliminated:

1. Interagency Alcoholism and Other Drug Dependency Board
2. Anti-Crime Advisory Council
3. Construction Evaluation Council
4. Illinois Economic Development Board
5. Furniture Fire Safety Advisory Board
6. Governor's Economic Policy Council
7. Governor's Health and Physical Fitness Advisory Committee
8. Governor's Scholars, Board of Sponsors

9. Necropsy Service to Coroners, Advisory Board
10. Illinois Superconductivity Coordinating Council
11. Water Resources Advisory Committee

Pursuant to Section 11 of the Executive Reorganization Implementation Act, the Department presents this second annual report, as follows:

1. Data on the economies effected by the reorganization:

The Abolished Entities had very small budgets or no budgets at all at the time Executive Order 2003-7 was issued. Members of most of the Abolished Entities were not entitled to compensation but were entitled to reimbursement of expenses incurred in performing their duties. The executive order eliminated the need to reimburse such expenses.

2. An analysis of the effect of the reorganization on State government:

The reorganization had a minimal effect on State government. The reorganization eliminated unnecessary or redundant boards and commissions. Information available to the Department indicated one active advisory board at the time of reorganization. The related agency was able to absorb the abolishment of this advisory board by utilizing other resources available to the agency. Finally, as noted above, the Abolished Entities had very small budgets or no budgets at all.


3. Recommendations for further legislation relating to reorganization:

- a. The Department believes that consolidation of the functions of the Construction Evaluation Council (20 ILCS 3015/1) with the Capital Development Board (20 ILCS 3105/4) would be appropriate.
- b. The Department recommends that the enabling legislation for each of the Abolished Entities created by statute be repealed, and that references to the Abolished Entities in other legislation be changed or removed, as necessary.

The Department also received the following comments from State agencies:

- c. The Department of Human Services recommended that the Interagency Alcoholism and Other Drug Dependency Board (20 ILCS 301/10-40) could be merged with the Illinois Advisory Council on Alcoholism and Drug Dependency (20 ILCS 301/10-5).
- d. The Illinois State Police suggested that the programs of the Anti-Crime Advisory Council (20 ILCS 3910/1) could be moved to the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority (20 ILCS 3930/4).

Respectfully submitted,


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