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§4–316.

(a) Notwithstanding any provision of local law and subject to the applicable provisions of this article, the Baltimore City Board of School Commissioners may:

- (1) Examine, appoint, and remove teachers;
- (2) Set teacher qualifications;
- (3) Set teacher salaries; and

(4) Select textbooks for the public schools in Baltimore City, except that the textbooks may not contain anything of a sectarian or partisan character.

(b) (1) The Baltimore City Board of School Commissioners shall report annually to the State Board on the condition of the schools under its jurisdiction.

- (2) The report shall include a statement of:
 - (i) Expenditures;
 - (ii) The number of children taught; and
 - (iii) Any other statistical information the State Board requires.

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