matters under his jurisdiction or in the interest of the development, progress and safety of air navigation.

Article 13. The Aviation Commission shall report to the Bureau of

Aeronautics on the matters occurring here in order to:

1. Promote, develop and facilitate the development of civil, commercial or sport air navigation, whether official or private, national or foreign, in the Republic of Cuba, and between it and other nations.

2. Prepare or execute studies, plans and projects concerning air routes, prohibited zones, airdromes, airports service installations and signal stations, store deposits of parts, fuel, repair shops, medical assistance service, communications, salvage, factories, aviation schools and anything necessary or useful for the develop-

ment and aid to air navigation in the Republic.

3. Obtain, collect, facilitate and publish national or international information on matters of interest to air navigation, especially with regard to mechanical improvements, designs, construction, discoveries, inventions, experiments, tests, and competitions, applicable or useful to air navigation; radiotelegraphy, telephone, signals, meteorology, radio, and medicine applicable to the art of flight, topographic and hydrographic maps, routes, photography and air legislation, statistics on and history of aviation.

4. Cooperate by all available means and resources toward greater efficiency of military and naval aviation of the Republic.

5. Examine and evaluate the documentation and provide for the inspection and testing of aircraft, their engines, instruments and accessories when the licensing of these for air navigation over national territory is sought, and to report on the issuance or denial of such license and the conditions thereof.

- 6. Examine and evaluate the personal and technical documents of persons who wish to navigate in the air over national territory as pilots, mechanics, telegraphers or crewmen who in any manner participate in the operation, direction, management or handling of aircraft, and report whether they should be so authorized without prior examination and other tests established in this Regulation.
- 7. Provide and regulate all matters concerning the form and manner of inspection, classification and tests of aircraft and physical and technical examination of persons who may be authorized for air navigation over the national territory and for the operation of such aircraft.

8. Establish in the proper manner systems of signals and rules of air transit to be uniformly observed in the Republic.

9. Report on applications for permission to take aerial photographs or motion pictures over the national territory, or to make

charts or maps thereof.

10. Report on private individuals who apply for permission to establish within the national territory aircraft factories or factories for replacement parts and accessories and warehouses or establishments to be used for their sale to the public; to construct or establish airdromes or airports and service supply stations for public use.

11. Report on the approval of rates, prices, insurance, bonds, fees, taxes, etc. regarding public services of air transport, and on