

C. Distribution: All items shall be purchased by LEA's. Project applications will be reviewed by the State Department of Education after submission of applications by district superintendents of schools for all pupils and teachers. Title remains with the LEA. Procedures for the loan of materials to public and private school children and teachers will be established by the LEA.

RÉSUMÉ, DELAWARE PLAN, TITLE II (ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION ACT) 1966

I. ADMINISTRATION

The staff for administration of Title II in the Office of the State Superintendent of Public Instruction will consist of the State Supervisor of School Library Services and appropriate clerical staff. Consultants will be used on a per diem or contract basis to assist with inservice programs. An Advisory Committee will provide counsel on administration.

II. ALLOCATIONS

A. Fiscal Year 1966: \$256,903

B. *Percentages:* In schools where no library now exists, 100% of the allotment may be spent for school library resources. In schools where library book collections have not reached the recommended standards, the portion of the allotment necessary to attain the goal should be expended. No more than 20% of the allotment may be spent for other instructional materials, and no portion of the funds may be spent for textbooks in the first year.

Method of allotment: Basic grants (80% of allocation) to LEA's based on equalized assessment per pupil, relative ability of the local school district and number of children enrolled in all schools. Special purpose grants (20%) may provide for special instructional programs, provided that schools have centralized libraries organized and equipped to utilize or implement the program and that the library is under the direction of a certificated librarian. For the first year, there will be no special purpose grants in excess of \$3500.

C. *Processing:* Commercial and local processing at cost of up to \$1.00 per item.

III. DEADLINES

Funds must be encumbered by the end of the FY (June 30, 1966); liquidation (books received) must be accomplished by the end of the following FY (June 30, 1967).

IV. PROGRAM

A. *Standards:* The State Board of Education endorsed standards in 1958, which were improved in 1961. The State Department of Public Instruction will assure standards through the appointment of a committee, using as a basis Standards for School Library Programs, AASL, 1960; and a State survey of resources.

B. *Book selection:* Standard selection tools and reliable reviewing media will be used. Acceptable selections may be made from sources listed in "Selecting Materials for School Libraries," AASL.

C. *Distribution:* Administrators of private schools may make requests for materials to be lent for periods of up to 1 year from LEA's, which will submit all proposals and retain title. The LEA's will plan cooperatively with representatives of private schools.

RÉSUMÉ, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA PLAN, TITLE II (ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION ACT) 1966

I. ADMINISTRATION

The staff for administration of the District of Columbia State Plan, in the Office of the Board of Education, will consist of the Assistant Superintendent from the Department of Research, Budget, and Legislation, aided by the Assistant for Federal Programs and the Supervising Director of Library Science. Staff members of the public and private schools will provide counsel on administration.