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Gentlemen:

It is my privilege to present to you this Forty-seventh Annual Report of the Department for Fiscal Year 1962-63. In addition to outlining the various activities performed by Department personnel, it also provides the means through which the general public, members of the Department, and the General Assembly can be informed of the status of projects, the needs of the Department, and such other information as can readily be transmitted in a single document.

It is recommended that: (1) a merit system be established for Department employees by legislative action; (2) motor vehicle taxes be allocated for the construction, maintenance, planning, and protection of Delaware highways; (3) a new Administration Building be constructed in Dover; (4) limited access legislation be enacted for the entire State; (5) specific financing be established for the protection and preservation of the public lands which are under the jurisdiction of the Department; and that (6) an overall review of the details and responsibilities of the Department, with particular respect to fiscal and management problems, be made by an independent organization. The results of such a study would aid not only the Department in meeting its responsibilities, but also the General Assembly in future matters affecting the Department. The Federal Government would pay two-thirds of the cost of such a study.

This report is a summary of the operations of the Department, with the reports of the State Police Division and the Motor Vehicle Department being included as separate chapters. The State Police Report is for the calendar year 1962.

All information relative to the Department's financial status is published separately and may be found in the Controller's Report.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "William J. Miller, Jr.".

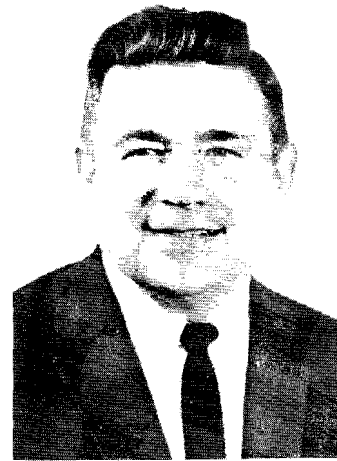
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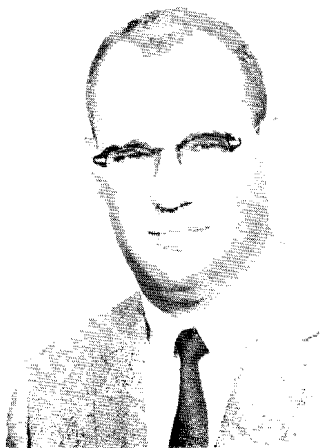
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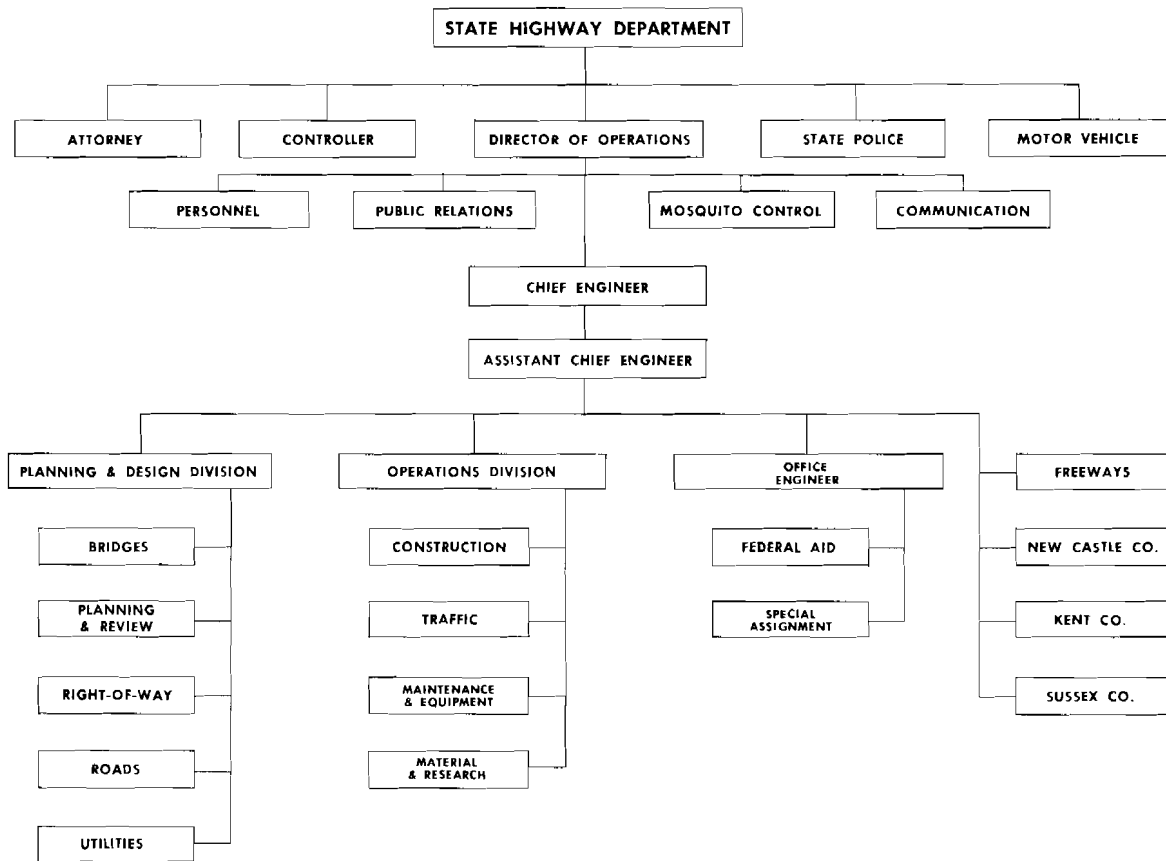


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