Delaware

Nickname..........................The First State
Motto..............................Liberty and Independence
Flower............................Peach Blossom
Bird...............................Blue Hen Chicken
Tree...............................American Holly
Song...............................Our Delaware
Entered the Union...............December 7, 1787
Capital............................Dover

STATISTICS
Land Area (square miles)..........................1,949
Rank in Nation........................................49th
Population..............................................907,135
Rank in Nation........................................49th
Density per square mile..........................465.5
Capital City..............................................Dover
Population..............................................36,047
Rank in State..........................................2nd
Largest City..........................................Wilmington
Population..............................................70,851
Number of Representatives in Congress ....1
Number of 2012 Electoral Votes..................3
Number of County Governments...............57
Number of Municipal Governments.............19
Number of School Districts.......................259
Number of Special Districts......................259

LEGISLATIVE BRANCH
Legislative Body.................................General Assembly
President of the Senate.........................Lt. Gov. Matthew Denn
President Pro Tem of the Senate...............Anthony J. DeLuca
Secretary of the Senate........................Bernard J. Brady
Speaker of the House............................Robert F. Gilligan
Clerk of the House.................................Richard Puffer
Number of Senatorial Districts..................21
Number of Representative Districts...........41

EXECUTIVE BRANCH
Governor..............................................Jack Markell
Lieutenant Governor.............................Matthew Denn
Secretary of State.................................Jeffrey Bullock
Attorney General.................................Joseph R. Biden III
Treasurer..............................................Chip Flowers Jr.
Auditor..................................................R. Thomas Wagner
Controller..........................................Thomas J. Cooke
Governor’s Present Term........................1/2009 – 1/2013
Number of Elected Officials in the Executive Branch...........5
Number of Members in the Cabinet .............16

JUDICIAL BRANCH
Highest Court.................................Supreme Court
Supreme Court Chief Justice....................Myron T. Steele
Number of Supreme Court Judges..............5
Number of Intermediate Appellate Court Judges....0
Number of U.S. Court Districts..................1
U.S. Circuit Court.................................3rd Circuit

STATE INTERNET ADDRESSES
Official State Website.............................http://delaware.gov
Governor’s Website...............................http://governor.delaware.gov
State Legislative Website.........................http://legis.delaware.gov
State Judicial Website..........................http://courts.delaware.gov