

The Director of the Cooperative Extension Service and the Principal Administrative Officer for Maryland of the Soil Conservation Service, United States Department of Agriculture shall be advisory, nonvoting members of the Committee. The Committee may invite other ~~representative~~ REPRESENTATIVES of cooperating State and federal agencies to serve as consultants to the Committee. The Committee shall adopt a seal, which seal shall be judicially noticed, and may perform such acts, hold such public hearings, and, *subject to the approval of the Secretary of Agriculture*, promulgate such rules and regulations as may be necessary for the execution of its functions under this subheading.

【415. Expenses of members of Board.

Each member of said Board shall be paid his necessary expenses while in the discharge of his duties.】

SEC. 6. *Be it further enacted*, That Sections 4, 6, 72, 73(a), 73(d) and 80 of Article 97 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1964 Replacement Volume and 1971 Supplement), title "Weights and Measures"; subtitles "Standard Weights and Measures" and "State Apple Commission," be and they are hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

4. Appointment of Superintendent; budget.

There shall be a State Superintendent of Weights and Measures, hereinafter referred to as the Superintendent. The Superintendent of Weights and Measures will be appointed by the **【State Board】 Secretary of Agriculture**. **【and will function under the division of agriculture and related services of the University of Maryland.】** Such sums as shall be appropriated will be included in the budget of the **【State Board】 Department of Agriculture**.

6. General powers and duties of Superintendent.

The Superintendent shall have the custody of the State standards of weights and measures and of the other standards and equipment provided for by this subtitle, and shall keep accurate records of the same. The Superintendent shall enforce the provisions of this subtitle, he shall have and keep a general supervision over the weights and measures offered for sale, sold, or in use in the State, and he shall annually submit, not later than the 30th day of September, a report of all the activities of his office during the previous fiscal year to the **【chairman of the State Board】 Secretary of Agriculture** for the transmission to the Governor and Legislative Council.

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There is hereby created, within the State **【Board of Agriculture】 Department of Agriculture** an agency to be known as the Maryland State Apple Commission, consisting of seven members representing as nearly as possible the important apple producing sections of the State. Such Commission shall be appointed by the Governor, *with the advice of the Secretary of Agriculture*, from a list of two eligible growers for each member to be appointed which list shall be supplied the Governor by the executive committee of the Maryland State Horticultural Society. The **【Commission shall be appointed on**