

CHAPTER 618

(House Bill 1221)

AN ACT concerning

General Assembly Statutory Committees - Co-Chairmen

FOR the purpose of providing that certain General Assembly statutory committees have co-chairmen, one each from the House of Delegates and the Senate of Maryland; ~~and deleting certain provisions relating to the vice chairmen of certain statutory committees of the General Assembly; relating generally to the chairmanships of the statutory committees of the General Assembly; and making this Act an emergency measure.~~

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 40 - General Assembly
Section 16, 89, 92, and 106(a)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1978 Replacement Volume and 1978 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That section(s) of the Annotated Code of Maryland be repealed, amended, or enacted to read as follows:

Article 40 - General Assembly

16.

The President of the Senate and Speaker of the House of Delegates shall appoint a standing committee to be known as the Commission on Intergovernmental Cooperation. There shall be eighteen members of this Commission, eight to be members of the Senate of Maryland and eight to be members of the House of Delegates of Maryland, and these members shall include ex officio, the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Delegates and the majority and minority leaders of both houses. The appointments shall be at the pleasure of the President of the Senate and Speaker of the House. They also shall appoint ~~fa~~ chairman and a vice-chairman ~~OR TWO CO-CHAIRMEN, ONE EACH FROM THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, of the Commission to serve at their pleasure. ONE IF CO-CHAIRMEN ARE APPOINTED, ONE CO-CHAIRMAN SHALL BE APPOINTED BY THE PRESIDENT, AND ONE CO-CHAIRMAN SHALL BE APPOINTED BY THE SPEAKER; AND THE CO-CHAIRMEN SHALL SERVE AT THE PLEASURE OF THE PRESIDENT AND THE SPEAKER.~~ Two members of the Commission shall be the president of the Maryland Association of Counties, Inc. and the president of the Maryland Municipal League, Inc. or