

two coordinate divisions shall be established: The State of Maryland Employment Service and the Unemployment Compensation Division. The Unemployment Compensation Division shall, first, collect contributions from employers covered under the Unemployment Compensation Law and, secondly, after January 3, 1938, shall make payment of benefits to eligible individuals, that is, those who have accumulated certain wage credits and become unemployed through no fault of their own.

The Employment Service, affiliated with the United States Employment Service, Department of Labor, shall establish and maintain free public employment offices for the purpose of finding work for unemployed individuals and shall receive claims for unemployment compensation benefits, forwarding such claims to the Unemployment Compensation Division.

The expense of administering the Unemployment Compensation Division is not a burden upon the employers contributing to the unemployment compensation fund, or upon the taxpayers of the State, as the funds for administrative expenses are supplied by the (Federal) Social Security Board. The expense of administering the Maryland State Employment Service is borne in a large measure by the Social Security Board and in part by the United States Department of Labor, with an appropriation by the State of Maryland.

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#### COMMISSION ON LAWS RELATING TO COUNTY GOVERNMENT AND MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS.

This Commission was created by virtue of Joint Resolution No. 5 of the 1937 Legislature which authorized and requested the Governor to appoint a Commission of not more than nine persons to make an examination and study of the laws of the State of Maryland and of other States, relating to County Government and municipal corporations, and to recommend to the Governor and the General Assembly the enactment of such legislation relating thereto as said Commission might deem desirable. It is required to submit its report with recommendations to the Governor and General Assembly not later than January 15, 1939, with a draft of such Acts as may be proposed to carry out its recommendations.

The members of this Commission are:

Hon. Henry C. Whiteford, Chairman.....	Whiteford, Harford County, Md.
Mr. George A. Mahone, Secretary.....	15 E. Fayette St., Baltimore
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Mr. Frank W. Truitt.....	Ocean City, Md.
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Mr. W. David Tilghman.....	Elkridge, Md.
Hon. F. Kirk Maddrix.....	Crisfield, Md.
Mr. Milton H. Talkin.....	Munsey Bldg., Baltimore

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#### COMMISSION FOR THE STUDY OF AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS.

Joint Resolution 19 of the 1937 Legislature provided for the appointment by the Governor of a Commission of seven, two engaged in the insurance business, two Attorneys at Law and three business men, to study the question of automobile accidents and the losses due to death, personal injuries and damages to property, and to make