

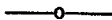
STATE ATHLETIC COMMISSION

612 Union Trust Building, Baltimore 1, Maryland

Commissioners:	Terms Expire
Thomas P. McDonagh, Chairman.....	1945
Dr. Anthony V. Buchness.....	1947
Michael F. Freedman.....	1949
Joseph M. Kelly, Secretary.....	Baltimore

The Governor appoints three Commissioners for terms of six years each. (Chapter 395, Acts of 1931).

The State Athletic Commission is charged with the supervision of boxing and wrestling in Maryland. It appoints all officials connected with the sport and its power is absolute. For its supervision it collects 10 per cent of the gross receipts of all boxing and wrestling exhibitions.



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Commissioner:	Walter D. Owens (Term Expires 1949).....	Baltimore
Chief Examiner:	Margaret Dambly Frank.....	Baltimore
Secretary:	Lillian Hoshall Trost.....	Lutherville
Chief Clerk:	Ruth Engel Hubbard.....	Baltimore
Medical Director:	A. N. Tasker, M.D.....	Baltimore

The Governor appoints one State Employment Commissioner for a term of six years. All members of the staff of the Commissioner and employees of the Department are in the Classified Service.

The Merit System Law of Maryland (Article 64-A, page 2160, Annotated Code of Maryland—Bagby) creating the State Employment Commissioner was passed in 1920. The basic law has not been amended in any material manner since its passage, except for the inclusion of the law creating the Standard Salary Board and the administration of Veterans' acts. The statute provides that "The State Employment Commissioner" prepare and publish Rules and Regulations for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of the Act, which, when approved by the Governor, shall have the force of law. The Rules, like the Law itself, have shown but few and unimportant amendments. The Law is efficient, workable and its stability has enabled its provisions to be well known and understood by all State employees. The Rules of the Commissioner are practical, and are intended to safe-guard, not only the employee, but the taxpayer. The Merit System, as applied to the State service, functions, not only as a technically professional exemplification of modern practice in public employment, but as a procurement agency charged with the duty of supplying State departments and institutions with the most competent personnel procurable at the compensation provided.

The Merit System of Maryland is strongly supported by public opinion and has been recognized nationally for its efficient operation.