

The State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners, established in 1894, is composed of five members appointed by the Governor for five-year terms. Each member must be a licensed veterinarian engaged in active practice. The Board passes upon the qualifications of candidates for licenses to practice veterinary medicine in the State and examines such persons. It may conduct hearings and pass upon complaints of illegal or unethical practices and may institute proceedings in the courts against those engaged in illegal practice (Code 1951, Art. 43, secs. 142-52).

Appropriations	1957	1958
Special Funds	\$2,125	\$2,485
Staff: None		

STATE BOARD OF LAW EXAMINERS

Chairman: Parsons Newman
 William H. Price

Wilson K. Barnes, Secretary

Mildred H. Pullen, Clerk to the Board

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The Courts of the Province were first authorized to examine persons seeking to practice law in 1715 (Acts 1715, chap. 48, sec. 12). The examination of attorneys remained as a function of the several courts of the State until 1898, when the Legislature created the State Board of Law Examiners. The Board is composed of three members appointed by the Judges of the Court of Appeals. Twice yearly, in the City of Baltimore during the months of March and July, the Board examines all persons wishing to practice law in the State. It also passes upon the petitions of attorneys from other states and territories desiring admittance to the Maryland Bar in accordance with rule fourteen of the Board. The Board passes upon appeals from the findings and recommendations of the Character Committees of the various counties and the City of Baltimore. In addition, it accredits universities and colleges in the State of Maryland for pre-legal training and prescribes the necessary courses of study for law students. Students expecting to study law in anticipation of practicing in Maryland must register their intentions with the Board. The Court of Appeals formulates the rules of the Board, but the Board may prescribe rules for the conduct of examinations, providing such rules do not conflict with those made by the Court (Code 1951, Art. 10, secs. 2-8).

Appropriations	1957	1958
Special Funds	\$20,332	\$29,123
Staff: None		

BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

Chairman: Edward J. Stegman, C.P.A., 1958

James M. Fincham, C.P.A., 1959; Hyman P. Tatelbaum,
 Attorney, 1959; G. H. Evans, Jr., Economist, 1960.

J. Wallace Bryan, C.P.A., 1960, Secretary-Treasurer

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The Governor appoints three Certified Public Accountants, one each year, for three-year terms, together with one attorney at law for a two-year term, and one economist, selected from a list of three