the Attorney General, the Director of the Department of Budget and Procurement, and the Chairman of the Maryland State Planning Commission; and two other administrative officials appointed by the Governor; (2) The Senate Committee, and (3) The House Committee, both of which are regular standing committees of the two branches of the General Assembly.

It is the function of this Commission to carry forward the participation of the State as a member of the Council of State Governments. It encourages and assists the legislative, executive, administrative, and judicial officials and employees of Maryland to develop and maintain friendly contact with officials and employees of the other States, of the Federal government, and of local units of government. It formulates proposals for, and works towards, the adoption of compacts, uniform or reciprocal statutes and administrative rules; it promotes the cooperation of government officials with one another; and in general it works to bring the various governments in the United States into closer contact and to develop the Council of State Governments for this purpose. The Commission may establish delegations and committees to carry on its work and is required by the creating Act to report to the Governor and to the Legislature within fifteen days after the convening of each regular session and at other times deemed appropriate (Code 1957, Art. 40, secs. 15-26).

COMMISSIONERS FOR THE PROMOTION OF UNIFORMITY OF LEGISLATION IN THE UNITED STATES

Chairman: M. King Hill, Jr., 1963 Morton M. Robinson, 1962; Harrison L. Winter, 1963

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The General Assembly, by Chapter 264, Acts of 1896, established the Commission for the Promotion of Uniformity of Legislation. The Governor, every four years, appoints three Commissioners, who represent Maryland in the National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws. They receive no salary but are allowed their actual disbursements for expenses (Code 1957, Art. 41, sec. 153, 154). The Commissioners meet on call of the chairman to determine what acts to sponsor before the Legislative Council of Maryland. The National Conference drafts laws to be submitted to the legislatures of the several states and recommends measures for the promotion of uniform legislation.

| Appropriations | 1961 | 1962 |
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| General Funds Staff: None. | \$2,500 | \$3,000 |

ATLANTIC STATES MARINE FISHERIES COMMISSION

Commissioners from the State of Maryland

Chairman, Commission of Tidewater Fisheries: Dr. H. C. Byrd Appointed by the Commission on Interstate Cooperation: Charles M. Moore

Appointed by the Governor: George T. Harrison, 1962

Officers of the Commission

Chairman: G. Robert Lunz, South Carolina Vice Chairman: David H. Hart, New Jersey Secretary-Treasurer: Wayne D. Heydecker, New York