

creating a Board of Building, Savings and Loan Association Commissioners; and providing penalties for failure or refusal to comply with certain provisions of the Act (Code 1957, 1965 Supp., Art. 23, secs. 161A-161KK).

Board of Building, Savings and Loan Association Commissioners

Chairman: Charles E. Orth, 1969

J. Grayson Luttrell, 1967; F. Ross Myers, 1967; J. H. L. Traut-felter, 1967; Fred. W. Kuethe, 1969; John W. T. Webb, 1969; T. Hammond Welsh, Sr., 1969.

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The Board of Building, Savings and Loan Association Commissioners consists of seven members appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Senate for four-year terms.

Each of the members shall have been a resident and registered voter of the State of Maryland and engaged as an Officer or Director of a Building Association, the principal place of business of which is located in this State, for at least the five-year period next preceding his appointment.

At least three of the members shall have been actively engaged as Officers or Directors of a Building Association chartered or incorporated under the laws of the State of Maryland, the Free Share accounts of which are not insured by an instrumentality of the United States Government. At least one of the members shall have been actively engaged as an Officer or Director of an association, the Free Share accounts of which are insured by an instrumentality of the United States Government. Three of the members shall be selected from the public at large and the requirement that such member shall have been an officer or director of an association shall not apply.

At least three of the members shall be residents of Baltimore City and at least three must be residents of the counties of Maryland (Code 1957, 1965 Supp., Art. 23, secs. 161A-161KK).

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| Appropriations | 1965 | 1966 |
| General Funds | \$246,329 | \$235,707 |
| Staff: 1965, 31; Staff: 1966, 32. | | |

FIRE PREVENTION COMMISSION AND FIRE MARSHAL

Fire Prevention Commission

Chairman: Raymond L. Adkins, 1967

Vice Chairman: Robert C. Byrus, 1970

Earl W. Smith, 1966; Robert F. Novak, 1968; John W. Smith, 1968; Moylan E. Brown, 1969; David E. Kirk, 1969.

Fire Marshal

James C. Robertson, Fire Marshal

John J. Meyers, Chief Fire Investigator

Benjamin R. Benson III, Assistant Chief Fire Investigator

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The Fire Prevention Commission was established by Chapter 46, Acts of 1964, to replace the position of ex officio Fire Marshal held by the Insurance Commissioner by Chapter 521, Acts of 1916. The Com-