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COMMISSION ON ARTISTIC PROPERTY

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The Commission on Artistic Property, originally appointed by the Governor with the approval of the Board of Public Works, was created by Chapter 111, Acts of 1969. It consists of four persons appointed by the Board of Public Works to keep a continuing inventory of valuable paintings and other decorative arts in all State buildings in the Annapolis area. The Commission is also to provide for the location, proper care, custody, restoration, display and preservation of these paintings and decorative arts. The Governor designates the Chairman of the Commission (Code 1957, 1965 Repl. Vol., 1969 Supp., Art. 78A, sec. 52).

ST. MARY'S CITY COMMISSION

Chairman: Robert E. Hogaboom, 1971 Vice Chairman: Verne E. Chatelain, 1973 Treasurer: Charles E. Fenwick, 1971

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The St. Mary's City Commission was created by Chapter 115, Acts of 1966, to replace the St. Mary's City Restoration Study Commission which had been appointed by the Governor in 1965 (Res. No. 41, Acts of 1965).

The Commission consists of seven members appointed by the Governor for five-year terms. Two of the Commissioners must be residents of St. Mary's County and not fewer than five must be residents of the State of Maryland. The Commissioners are selected on the basis of ability, public spirit, and historical and professional interest. The Commission selects its own Chairman and the Director serves as its Secretary as well as its Executive Secretary.

The St. Mary's City Commission was created to preserve, develop and maintain ancient St. Mary's City, Maryland's first settlement and for sixty-one years the colonial capital of the Province. The Commission has responsibility for the reconstructed State House of 1676 located in St. Mary's City. The Commission may acquire historical or cultural properties pertaining to historic St. Mary's City and properties necessary for the proper use and administration of the ancient city and its environs. The Commission may accept private gifts as well as federal, state and local governmental grants. The Commission reports annually to the Governor and the General Assembly as to its activities during the preceding year (Code 1957, 1965 Repl. Vol., 1968 Supp., Art. 41, secs. 365-374).