

**THE STATE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
OF PRACTICAL PLUMBING**

Chairman: Morris Oseroff, 1971

Secretary: Samuel A. Armstrong, 1971

Treasurer: Thomas E. Pierson, 1971

Harry C. Agro, 1971; Frederick W. DeJong, 1971; Harry T.
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The first board for the examining and licensing of plumbers in Maryland was established by Chapter 439, Acts of 1886, with jurisdiction limited to Baltimore City. The General Assembly established the present Commission by Chapter 436, sec. 186, Acts of 1910, and enlarged its membership by Chapter 675, Acts of 1965. Its jurisdiction includes all of the State, excepting Washington County. The Board is composed of seven members appointed by the Governor for two-year terms. One member must be from Southern Maryland, one from the Eastern Shore, two from Baltimore City, two from Western Maryland, and one from Baltimore County. The Commission examines and certifies journeyman and master plumbers. Applicants for a journeyman certificate must have served at least four years apprenticeship. Applicants for master certificate must have served at least two years as a journeyman. All certificates must be renewed annually. Failure to do so results in the automatic revocation of license. All applicants have the right to review their examination papers upon written request to the Board (Code 1957, 1965 Repl. Vol., Art. 43, sec. 329).

Appropriations	1969	1970
Special Funds	\$37,815	\$38,853
Staff: None.		

MARYLAND ARCHITECTURAL REGISTRATION BOARD

Chairman: Grinnell W. Locke, 1971

Charles B. Soule, 1970; Stanley H. Arthur, 1972; Carson M.
Cornbrooks, 1973; William T. Booth, 1974.

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The five-man Architectural Registration Board, originally established as the Board of Examiners and Registration of Architects by Chapter 309, Acts of 1935, adopted its present name by Chapter 463, Acts of 1968. Members of the Board are appointed by the Governor for five-year terms, the term of one member expiring each year. Appointees to the Board must have engaged in the independent practice of architecture for at least ten years, and at least three of the members must be graduates of approved schools of architecture. The Governor designates the Chairman. The Board passes upon all matters pertaining to the registration of architects in the State of Maryland. All persons seeking to practice architecture in the State must submit their qualifications to the Board or pass its examination before being registered and licensed to practice (Code 1957, 1965 Repl. Vol., 1968 Supp., Art. 43, secs. 515-28).

Appropriations	1969	1970
Special Funds	\$15,338	\$21,181
Staff: 1 full-time; 1 part-time.		