

vancing the economic and cultural welfare of the people of Maryland. The Department is to investigate and assemble information pertinent to the economic development and industrial opportunities and economic resources of the State; encourage location of new industrial enterprises in the State and expansion of present enterprises; encourage development of recreational areas and encourage tourist business in the State; make the public aware of the State's historical background and progress; and generally advertise the State and disseminate information.

The head of the Department is the Secretary of the Department of Economic and Community Development who is appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Senate. He serves at the pleasure of the Governor and counsels and advises him on all matters assigned to the Department, and is also responsible for carrying out the Governor's policies with respect to such matters. The Secretary, with the approval of the Governor, appoints a Deputy Secretary who serves at the pleasure of the Secretary.

The Department of Economic and Community Development consists of the following agencies, commissions, boards, authorities, trusts, and divisions: The Maryland membership unit of the Appalachian Regional Commission, Commission on Negro History and Culture, Development Credit Corporation, Division of Economic Development, Maryland Arts Council, Maryland Historical Trust, Maryland Industrial Development and Financing Authority, Ocean City Convention Hall Commission, Maryland membership unit of the Southern Interstate Nuclear Board, St. Mary's City Commission, Community Development Administration, Seafood Marketing, Maryland Bicentennial Commission for the Commemoration of the American Revolution, the Division of Tourism, and the Maryland Commission for Latin American Affairs. The Secretary is responsible for the coordination and direction of all planning facilities initiated, and has the power to approve or disapprove or revise the rules and regulations of all of the boards, offices, agencies, commissions, etc., within the jurisdiction of the Department of Economic and Community Development (Code 1957, 1971 Repl. Vol., Art. 41, secs. 257-257-I).

Board of Review

Chairman: Alfred C. Scuderi, 1973

Rupert G. Curry, 1971; Joseph H. Purdy, 1971; Roger J. Johnson, 1972; Morton Lapides, 1972; Leonard J. Attman, 1973; Nicholas D. Karavedas, 1973.

The Board of Review for the Department of Economic and Community Development established by Chapter 527, Acts of 1970, consists of seven members appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Senate of Maryland. Of the seven members so appointed, not less than four represent the general public. The remaining members are to be persons of knowledge and experience in one or more fields under the jurisdiction of the Department. Of the members initially appointed, three serve three years, two for two years, and two for one year. Thereafter, all terms are for three years. The Governor designates the Chairman from among the members representing the general public. The Governor is empowered to fill any vacancy which occurs before the expiration of a term, for the balance of the term so remaining. The Board of Review hears and determines appeals from those decisions of the Secretary or from any department or other agencies within the Department of Economic