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SEAFOOD MARKETING AUTHORITY

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The Seafood Market Development Division was created by the Board of Public Works on May 15, 1967, operating under the Department of Chesapeake Bay Affairs. On September 1, 1970, the Division was established as the "Seafood Marketing Authority and Division of Market Development" of the Department of Economic and Community

Development, by Chapter 527, Acts of 1970.

The Seafood Marketing Authority is to examine all aspects of the system by which seafood is harvested from Chesapeake Bay and other Maryland waters continually, the method of harvesting and their eventual delivery to the ultimate consumer. The purpose is to develop better methods or techniques which will reduce the cost, improve the quality and expand the market and profitability of the industry as well as increase employment and improve the quality of the area (Code 1957, 1971 Repl. Vol., Art. 41, sec. 257-I).

Appropriations	1971	1972
General Funds		\$ 70,000
Special Funds Federal Funds		70,000
TotalsStaff: 9.	\$123,948	\$140,000

MARYLAND BICENTENNIAL COMMISSION

Chairman: Wilson K. Barnes, 1974

Elizabeth R. Dockman, 1972; Roland C. McConnell, 1972; Frank B. Wade, 1972; B. Floyd Flickinger, 1973; Raymond O. McCullough, 1973; Charles Francis Wilding, 1973; Spencer P. Ellis, 1974; John Sparks, 1974; C. Lease Bussard, 1975; Max Chambers, 1975; William B. Jones, 1975; Edwin F. Ball, 1976; Ruth King Keith 1976; Fleanne Lynn 1976 Keith, 1976; Eleanora Lynn, 1976. Bruce K. Price, Executive Director

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The Maryland Bicentennial Commission, created by Chapter 458, Acts of 1968, consists of fifteen members appointed to plan for the commemoration of the American Revolution. Members of the Commission are appointed by the Governor for terms of five years each. Members may be reappointed. Members of the Commission elect their own Chairman and appoint its Executive Director.

The Commission is to give emphasis to significant events preceding the American Revolution, the coordination of activities with similar groups, encouragement of local bodies in developing commemorative programs, development of scholarly publications, encouragement of development of scenic parkways to preserve and promote Maryland's shrines, and develop school programs. The Commission is to confer with Federal groups, and to adopt an official flag, seal and other such emblems.

Appropriations	1971	1972
General Funds	\$44,708	\$50,040