

roster that contains the names of those authorized to practice as professional engineers. The Board is a member of the National Council of State Boards of Engineering Examiners, which aids in the reciprocal licensing of engineers and seeks to promote uniform standards of licensing in all States.

Through the cooperation of the local chapters of the engineering fraternities, the Board seeks to secure voluntary compliance with the law and the maintenance of the ethical standards of the profession. The Board also has specific powers of enforcement. These include the investigation of charges as well as the hearing of complaints of violations of the registration law, the power to subpoena witnesses and the submission of documents or other pertinent data, and the power to apply for relief by injunction to enforce the provisions of the law or to restrain any violation of it (Code 1957, Art. 75 1/2).

Subject to the evaluation and reestablishment provisions of the Program Evaluation Act (sunset law), authorization for the Board continues until July 1, 1993 (Chapter 178, Acts of 1982).

BOARD OF EXAMINING ENGINEERS

Chairperson: John H. Thornton, 1983

Milton E. Amoss, 1983; Sara Giles Jerkins, 1983; John F. Pasko, 1983; *one vacancy.*

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The Board of Examining Engineers, established by Chapter 448, Acts of 1892, had its membership altered by Chapter 599, Acts of 1966. The Board consists of five members, all appointed by the Governor with the advice of the Secretary of Licensing and Regulation for two-year terms. Three members must have had experience operating steam engines, boilers, and stationary or portable engines. The chairperson is elected by the Board members.

The Board examines applicants for certificates of proficiency to operate stationary or portable engines in Baltimore City, and all such certificates must come before the Board for renewal each year. The Board also periodically inspects all industries and places of business where licensed engineers are employed to ensure compliance with the law (Public Local Laws of Baltimore City, 1969, Art. 4, secs. 1-6).

STATE BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR FORESTERS

Chairperson: Samuel S. Dyke, 1987

William H. Parr, 1983; John E. Brodie, 1984; Henry C. Daniels, 1984; Louis Vogell, III, 1984; John F. Kundt, 1985; James H. Parsons, 1986.

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The State Board of Registration for Foresters, created by Chapter 638, Acts of 1972, examines licenses and registers persons wishing to engage in the practice of forestry in Maryland.

The Board consists of seven members appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Senate for five-year terms. Five members must be Registered Professional Foresters and are appointed from a list of ten nominees recommended by the Maryland Chapter, Society of American Foresters. They must have engaged in the practice of forestry for at least ten years prior to their appointment. The Board selects its own officers.

The Board was assigned to the Department of Licensing and Regulation by Section 5, Chapter 4, Acts of the Special Session of 1973, effective January 1, 1974 (Code 1957, Art. 56, secs. 299-319). Authorization for the Board continues until July 1, 1984 (Chapter 808, Acts of 1978).

BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR HEARING AID DEALERS

Chairperson: Thomas A. Fisher, 1984

Dr. Lloyd S. Bowling, 1983; Dr. James Gerlach, 1984; John M. Adams, 1986; Phillip B. Miller, 1987.

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The Board of Examiners for Hearing Aid Dealers, created by Chapter 634, Acts of 1969, consists of five members appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Senate for five-year terms. The Governor designates the chairperson. One member must be licensed to practice medicine in Maryland and hold a certificate of qualification from the American Board of Otolaryngology. One member must hold certificate of competence in audiology from the American Speech and Hearing Association and have