

tion before verdict in connection with any charge for State motor vehicle laws or State or local criminal law violations over which the District Courts have jurisdiction. Minors are referred to the School by the District Court or other judicial officers of Baltimore County. The School includes courses in driver safety, civic responsibility, America and its heritage, and the present and future ramifications of violating State laws for the individual and the community. All probationers must attend classes, which are held in the District Court rooms (Code 1957, Art. 27, sec. 646).

## THE MARYLAND LEGAL SERVICES CORPORATION

### *Board of Directors:*

Benjamin R. Civiletti, 1985, *Chairperson*

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The Maryland Legal Services Corporation was established in 1982 (Chapter 829, Acts of 1982).

The Corporation receives and distributes funds to grantees that provide legal assistance to eligible clients in noncriminal proceedings or matters. The Corporation insures that grants and contracts are made so as to provide the most stable, economical, and effective delivery of legal assistance. It also insures that eligible clients in all areas of the State have access to the Corporation's services.

The Corporation establishes maximum income levels for client eligibility. These are based on a client's financial inability to pay for competent private counsel and other necessary expenses of representation. The maximum income levels for eligibility set by the Corporation may not exceed 50 percent of the median family income for the State of Maryland, as certified annually by the U. S. Department of Health and Human Services.

The Corporation seeks to insure the maintenance of the highest quality of service and professional standards, and the preservation of attorney-client relationships. It also seeks to protect

the integrity of the adversary process from any impairment in furnishing legal aid to eligible clients.

The Corporation is governed by a Board of Directors. The Board consists of nine voting members appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Senate. Five members belong to the Bar of the Maryland Court of Appeals. Four members are nonlawyers. All are State residents who represent the different geographical regions of Maryland. Board members cannot be State officers or employees. They serve three-year terms. Of the initial appointees, however, three serve one-year terms and three serve two-year terms. Initially, the Governor designates the chairperson who serves for three years. Thereafter, the Board annually elects a chairperson from its voting members.

The Board appoints the Corporation's Executive Director who serves *ex officio* as a nonvoting member of the Board. From among its members, the Board also appoints a Secretary and a Treasurer.

The Corporation publishes an annual report that describes its services.

## MARYLAND STATE LOTTERY AGENCY

### STATE LOTTERY COMMISSION

*Chairperson:* Francis W. Roesler, Sr., 1984

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The General Assembly created the State Lottery Agency in 1972 to generate revenue for the support of State government (Chapter 365, Acts of 1972). Establishment of the Agency was contingent upon the adoption of an amendment to