

In accordance with the provisions of these Titles, the Governor designated the Board of Public Works as the State commission to administer the various programs. In addition, the Governor created in 1964 an Advisory Council to assist and make recommendations to the Board of Public Works on matters pertaining to these programs.

The Advisory Council processes applications and recommends priorities for federal grants among the eligible institutions. It disseminates information and maintains liaison between the colleges in Maryland, the State Commission, and the U. S. Office of Education. The Department of State Planning provides staff assistance to the Advisory Council.

Members of the Advisory Council are appointed by the Governor for indefinite terms.

MARYLAND HIGHER EDUCATION LOAN CORPORATION

Chairperson: H. Palmer Hopkins, 1988

Vice-Chairperson: J. Joseph Curran, 1986

H. Grant Hathaway, 1986; William Phelps, 1986; Mrs. Preston W. Barr, 1988; Matthew C. Fenton III, 1988; William J. Brogan, 1990; Frank L. Hewitt III, 1990; N. Page Worthington, 1990.

Ex officio: John S. Toll, *President, University of Maryland*; Robert M. Taubman, *Chairperson, State Scholarship Board*.

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The Maryland Higher Education Loan Corporation was created by Chapter 589, Acts of 1963. The Corporation lends money or directly guarantees loans made by approved lenders to State residents who attend or plan to attend colleges or vocational, trade, and technical schools. This aid may extend to dependent undergraduate, graduate, or professional students; independent undergraduates; or the parents of such students to help the students meet their educational expenses. By Chapter 773, Acts of 1984, displaced homemakers also may be eligible for such aid. The Corporation may accept gifts, bequests, and governmental appropriations or grants for its purposes. The Corporation is also empowered to establish rules and regulations for the granting, administration, and repayment of student loans.

Program changes enacted by the 1966 and the 1967 sessions of the General Assembly enable the Corporation to enter into agreements with the U. S. Department of Education. By these agreements the federal government provides repayable advance funds to be added to the student loan reserve and makes Maryland residents eligible to receive a federal subsidy for part of the interest on their loans.

The Corporation consists of eleven members. With the advice and consent of the Senate, the Governor appoints nine members for six-year terms. Two members serve *ex officio*. The Governor designates the chairperson and vice-chairperson (Code Education Article, secs. 18-1001 through 18-1014).

MARYLAND HIGHER EDUCATION SUPPLEMENTAL LOAN AUTHORITY

J. Paul Melanson, *Chairperson*, 1985

Rhoda Dorsey, Ph.D., 1985; Leroy Keith, Jr., Ed.D., 1985; Anna A. Curry, 1986; Leslie L. Lewis, Jr., 1986; C. Thomas McMillen, 1986; Richelle Emerick, 1987; James Nolan, 1987; Gerald H. Pipey, 1987.

Ex officio: Louis L. Goldstein, *Comptroller of the Treasury*; William S. James, *State Treasurer*.

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The Maryland Higher Education Supplemental Loan Authority was created in 1982 (Chapter 488, Acts of 1982). The Authority issues tax exempt revenue bonds, notes, or other evidences of indebtedness, on behalf of participating colleges and universities, which use the proceeds for student loans. The Authority is self-supporting and does not receive an appropriation of State funds.

The Authority consists of eleven members. Nine are appointed by the Governor and two serve *ex officio*. Of the appointed members, two are trustees, directors, officers, or employees of institutions of higher education, at least one of whom is from an institution not owned or operated by the State or any of its political subdivisions. Two members are experienced in State and municipal finance, one in higher education finance, and two in student financial aid. Two members are appointed from the public at large. Members serve three-year terms. The Authority appoints the Executive Director (Code Education Article, secs. 18-1301 through 18-1319).