

square feet of food warehousing space had been completed or was under construction within the Center.

**MARYLAND WHOLESALE PRODUCE MARKET**

7460 Conowingo Ave.  
Jessup, MD 20794 (410) 799-3881

The Maryland Wholesale Produce Market opened in 1976. The Market distributes nearly all of the fresh fruits and vegetables sold throughout a five-state Mid-Atlantic area and the District of Columbia. It is a critical link in the daily supply of produce to restaurants, chain grocers, hotels, wholesale food processors, and consumer buying groups.

The Market distributes an enormous volume of produce, including exotic varieties and items which might otherwise be unavailable unless purchased in very large shipments. In its two buildings, virtually any type of produce grown in the United States and around the world is available daily. On-site inspectors from the U.S. Department of Agriculture grade all produce, verifying quality every day.

**MARYLAND WHOLESALE SEAFOOD MARKET**

7901-A Oceano Ave.  
Jessup, MD 20794 (410) 799-0142

The Maryland Wholesale Seafood Market opened in 1984 when the Baltimore Fish Market closed. The Market's ten wholesalers form one of the largest operations on the East coast supplying fresh seafood to the East. Wholesalers use high technology to market fresh seafood to restaurants, grocers, and seafood stores. In addition to local specialties caught in Chesapeake Bay and Atlantic waters, the Market often receives exotic imports through nearby BWI Airport.

**ROCK HALL SEAFOOD PROCESSING PLANT**

P. O. Box 544  
Rock Hall, MD 21661 (410) 639-2501

In 1989, the Authority acquired the Rock Hall Seafood Processing Plant in Kent County. This water-side plant is accessible to both Chesapeake Bay watermen and land-based operations which depend upon Bay natural resources, such as finfish and shellfish.

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**GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
COMPENSATION COMMISSION**

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John W. Tieder, Jr., *Chair*

*Appointed by Governor:* Deborah R. Chambliss; Marion H. Phelps; John W. Steffey, Sr; one vacancy.

*Appointed by Senate President:* Phyllis B. Brotman; Aris Mardirossian.

*Appointed by House Speaker:* Edwin F. Hale; Charles H. Rush.

*Terms expire 1998.*

Staff: William S. Ratchford II

c/o Department of Fiscal Services  
90 State Circle (410) 841-3761  
Annapolis, MD 21401 TTY: (410) 841-3814

The General Assembly Compensation Commission was created by Constitutional amendment, ratified November 3, 1970 (Chapter 576, Acts of 1970). The Commission determines the compensation and allowances due members of the General Assembly. The Legislature may reduce but not increase the amounts proposed. As of January 1997, the annual salary of a legislator is \$29,700. The annual salary for the Senate President and the House Speaker is \$39,700.

The Commission consists of nine members, five appointed by the Governor, two by the President of the Senate, and two by the Speaker of the House of Delegates. Members serve four-year terms. Officers and employees of the State or local governments are not eligible for appointment (Const., Art. III, sec. 15).

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**GOVERNMENT HOUSE TRUST**

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*Chair:* Eugene R. Lynch, Secretary  
of General Services

*Ex officio:* Parris N. Glendenning, Governor; Nancy M. German, designee of Senate President; Casper R. Taylor, Jr., House Speaker; J. Rodney Little, Director, Maryland Historical Trust.

*Nonvoting members appointed by Governor:* not yet appointed

*Ex officio nonvoting members:* Edward C. Papenfuse, Ph.D., State Archivist; Dennis A. Fiori, Director, Maryland Historical Society; James F. Harris, Ph.D., Chair, History Department, University of Maryland College Park; Sara E. Patton, Executive Director, Historic St. Mary's City Commission; Arthur Lehman, Director, Baltimore Museum of Art; William Johnston, designee of Director, Walters Museum of Art; Jean Woods, Director, Washington County Museum of Fine Arts; Allison Pattillo, Administrator, Talbot County Historical Society; Karen D. Long, Horticulturist, William Paca Gardens.

*Secretary:* Edward C. Papenfuse, Ph.D., State Archivist

c/o State Archives  
350 Rowe Blvd.  
Annapolis, MD 21401 (410) 974-3867

Government House Trust began in 1980 (Chapter 267, Acts of 1980). It was reorganized as the Governor's Mansion Trust in 1988 and resumed its earlier name in 1995 (Chapter 494, Acts of 1988).