

ARTICLE 41.

GOVERNOR—EXECUTIVE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DEPARTMENTS.¹

General Provisions.

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none">1-2. Executive and administrative departments.3. All officers, boards, etc., to be in one of executive and administrative departments.4. Transfer of power, functions, books, etc.5. Persons in classified service in department abolished or superseded, eligible in superseding department.6. Hearings, prosecutions, etc., continued or to be continued and completed | <ol style="list-style-type: none">by department taking over its powers, rights, etc.7. Orders, rules, etc., to continue unless revoked, etc.8. Contracts and obligations to be performed by successor.9. Exemptions from merit system law to continue.10. Co-operation and co-ordination of work; reduction of force.11-12. Appropriations, powers, etc., transferred. |
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Executive Department.

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none">13. Governor head of.14. Governor's advisory council. | <ol style="list-style-type: none">23. May remit fine imposed by court-martial.24. May summon witnesses in case of complaint against civil or military officers, whom he may remove or suspend.25. Party complained against to have notice of hearing.26. Costs of hearing, how paid.27. Governor to proclaim names of persons elected as electors of president, vice-president and also as members of Congress.28. Maryland soldiers in Mexican war, duplicates of discharge to.29. May quarantine vessels from infected places. |
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Governor.

15. Custody of great seal; when to be used; bills to be sealed with; how bills to be approved.
16. Signature to accompany sealing of all public documents.
17. Signing and sealing patents.
18. May seal certified copies of laws and resolutions.
19. To issue death warrants.
20. May remit forfeited recognizances, when.
21. Not part belonging to an informer.
22. *Nolle prosequi*, terms of granting.

¹ As to the authority of the Governor as commander-in-chief of the militia, see art. 65, sec. 6, *et seq.*

As to the taking of the oath by the Governor, see art. 70, sec. 1.

As to the Governor's issuing commissions to persons elected to office after inquiry of the comptroller, see art. 69, sec. 3, and art. 33, sec. 96.

As to the executive department, see art. 2 of Md. Constitution.