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INSURANCE DEPARTMENT.

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INSURANCE DEPARTMENT.

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Insurance commissioner

Bond.

Salary.

Who not eligible.

1. There is hereby established a distinct department, to be known as the insurance department, the office for which shall be in the city of Annapolis, which shall be charged with the execution of the laws of this State in relation to insurance, the chief officer of which shall be appointed by the governor, treasurer, and comptroller, for the term of four years, and shall be known as the insurance commissioner, and shall receive an annual salary of twenty-five hundred dollars, payable only out of the fees of said department, authorized by this act, and shall hold his office during the term for which he is appointed, or until his successor is appointed and qualified, unless sooner removed by the governor, treasurer, and comptroller; and the said insurance commissioner shall give bond to the State of Maryland in the sum of twenty thousand dollars, for the faithful discharge of his duties; and no person who is a director, officer, or agent of, or directly or indirectly interested in, any insurance company, except as insured, shall be appointed as such insurance commissioner. And the said insurance commissioner is authorized to