

constitute a Board of Commissioners, which shall be known and designated as "The State Board of Commissioners of Practical Plumbing," and who shall be selected as follows: Three persons who are practical and skilled plumbers from the city of Baltimore, the Commissioner of the Board of Health of Baltimore city, and a member of the State Board of Health from the State at large, whose duty it shall be to faithfully and impartially execute, or cause to be executed, all the provisions and requirements of this act; that they shall upon application and in such manner and at such place as they may determine, provided, said place of examination shall be within the limits of the city of Baltimore, examine each and every person who shall desire to work at the plumbing business, touching his competency and qualifications; and upon being satisfied that the person so examined is competent and qualified to work at said business, they, or any three of them, shall grant such person a certificate of competency, under the provisions of this act, and register him in their books as a practical plumber, which shall operate as full authority to him to conduct and engage in the said business of plumbing.

Board of commissioners.

SEC 4. *And be it enacted*, That the Commissioners appointed under this act shall hold their several offices for the period of two years, without compensation, commencing from the first day of May, next succeeding the date of the passage of this act, and thereafter until their successors have been appointed and qualified; said Commissioners shall, within thirty days after notification of their appointment, each subscribe to an oath before the Clerk of the Superior Court of Baltimore city, to impartially and faithfully discharge the duties prescribed by this act; a failure to so qualify on the part of any appointee, within the time and manner named, shall create a vacancy, which the Governor shall immediately proceed to fill by the appointment of some other

Make oath.