

MARYLAND ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT
OF HUMAN RESOURCES WHO SHALL ACT AS SECRETARY;

2. 3 REPRESENTATIVES FROM STATEWIDE
ADVOCACY AGENCIES FOR LOW INCOME FAMILIES;

3. 5 REPRESENTATIVES OF ENERGY VENDORS;

4. 2 REPRESENTATIVES OF PUBLIC UTILITIES
OPERATING WITHIN THE STATE;

5. 3 REPRESENTATIVES FROM PRIVATE, NONPROFIT
ORGANIZATIONS INVOLVED IN ASSISTING PERSONS WITH ENERGY
NEEDS;

6. 2 REPRESENTATIVES WHO ARE CONSUMERS OR
PARTICIPANTS IN THE MARYLAND ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM; AND

7. 2 REPRESENTATIVES FROM LOCAL
GOVERNMENTS.

(2) THE GOVERNOR SHALL DESIGNATE THE CHAIRMAN.

(D) (1) THE TERM OF A MEMBER IS 3 YEARS.

(2) THE TERMS OF MEMBERS ARE STAGGERED AS REQUIRED
BY THE TERMS PROVIDED FOR MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL ON JULY 1,
1990.

(3) AT THE END OF A TERM, A MEMBER CONTINUES TO SERVE
UNTIL A SUCCESSOR IS APPOINTED AND QUALIFIES.

(4) A MEMBER WHO IS APPOINTED AFTER A TERM HAS BEGUN
SERVES ONLY FOR THE REST OF THE TERM AND UNTIL A SUCCESSOR IS
APPOINTED AND QUALIFIES.

(E) A MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL SHALL SERVE WITHOUT
COMPENSATION, BUT SHALL BE REIMBURSED FOR ALL REASONABLE
EXPENSES INCURRED IN THE PERFORMANCE OF THEIR DUTIES.

(F) BY JANUARY 1 OF EACH YEAR, THE COUNCIL SHALL FILE AN
ANNUAL REPORT ON ITS ACTIVITIES TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY IN
ACCORDANCE WITH § 2-1312 OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT ARTICLE.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the initial terms of the
members of the Energy Assistance Policy Advisory Council authorized by §
6-408(c)(1)(v) of this Act shall expire as follows:

(1) 6 members in 1991;

(2) 6 members in 1992; and

(3) 5 members in 1993.