

but they shall be allowed expenses incurred by them in the performance of their duties under this Article. The Governor shall designate a member of said Board as the Chairman thereof, and the Board shall select one of its number as Secretary. Said Board shall meet at least quarterly, and at such other times as the Chairman shall designate.

(2) Said Board of Review, or committees thereof, shall visit at least twice in each year, and at more frequent intervals in its discretion, each State institution caring for or treating persons of unsound mind. Said Board of Review shall make a report in writing of its findings and recommendations concerning said institutions and the functioning of the Department of Mental Hygiene in all its phases, as promptly as possible after December 31st, of each year to the Governor, the General Assembly and the Commissioner of Mental Hygiene, and it may make reports in writing of its findings and recommendations at such other times as it deems advisable. Said Board of Review shall have authority to obtain the advice and assistance of the Advisory Board in the performance of the functions hereby assigned to it.

(g) No person holding any office or position created under the provisions of this Article shall have any pecuniary interest directly or indirectly in any transactions with the State institutions mentioned herein.

20. Spring Grove State Hospital, Springfield State Hospital, the Eastern Shore State Hospital, Crownsville State Hospital, and Rosewood State Training School shall hereafter exercise their functions under the supervision, direction and control of the Department of Mental Hygiene. The several Boards of Managers of said institutions are hereby abolished and all property, real and personal, of every kind, held by said Boards of Managers of said institutions, as corporations, is hereby transferred to the State of Maryland. The tenure of office of the Superintendent of each of said institutions shall expire on June 1, 1949, and on said date the Commissioner of Mental Hygiene, upon recommendation of the Advisory Board, shall appoint a Superintendent for each of said institutions. Upon every occurrence of a vacancy thereafter in the position of Superintendent of any of said institutions, the Commissioner, upon recommendation of the Advisory Board, shall appoint the successor. Each Superintendent shall be a trained psychiatrist and shall be familiar with the administration of institutions for the care and treatment of the insane. Their appointment shall not be subject to the provisions of the Merit System Law, and they shall be subject to removal by the Commissioner of Mental Hygiene for incompetency or mis-