

transact any business. All sessions or meetings of the Commission, except executive sessions, shall be open to the public. The Commission shall keep records of its proceedings, showing the vote of each member on each question, or if absent or failing to vote, indicate such fact. The Commission shall keep a record of all resolutions, transactions, findings, determinations and decisions, and all the records of the Commission shall be kept in the office of the Commission and shall be public records.

The Commission shall be fully authorized and empowered to administer and supervise the proceeds derived from the sale of the certificates of indebtedness, including, but not limited to, the expenditure and disposition thereof, and shall have such other powers and perform such other duties and shall be subject to such other conditions as may be conferred or imposed upon it, from time to time, by ordinance of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore.

The Commission may be authorized to appoint a Secretary or a Director who shall perform such duties as may be imposed upon him by ordinance or as may be assigned to him by the Commission, and appoint, employ, hire or engage such other assistants, aides and employees as may be deemed necessary for the proper performance of the duties and functions of the Commission. The compensation of said Secretary or Director and other assistants, aides and employees shall be subject to the approval of the Board of Estimates of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore and shall be paid as provided in the annual Ordinance of Estimates.

The Commission may also be authorized, with the prior approval of the Board of Estimates, to employ or hire, from time to time, by contract, consulting, planning or designing engineers or architects or other persons possessing technical or specialized skills in connection with the duties, powers and functions of the Commission.

The Commission shall exercise all powers and authority conferred upon it in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore as it is now constituted or as it hereafter may be amended.

Sec. 4. *And be it further enacted*, That no part of the proceeds of sale of the certificates of indebtedness hereby authorized to be issued shall be expended until after the Port of Baltimore Commission has submitted its written recommendation, which shall set forth the purposes for, and the terms and conditions upon, which each particular sum of money is to be expended, to the Board of Estimates of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore and such recommendation has been approved by said Board of Estimates.