- ability, experience and integrity, and they shall not be selected as representing or supporting any special interest or interests. AT LEAST ONE OF THE MEMBERS SHALL RESIDE IN BALTIMORE CITY AND AT LEAST ONE IN ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY. No member shall have any pecuniary interest, direct or indirect, in the commercial operation of any aircraft within the State or in any business or enterprise conducted at any State airport under a contract, lease, or other arrangement with the Authority.
- (d) Terms of members; eligibility for reapportionment; RE-APPOINTMENT; removal. Of the members initially appointed to the Authority, one shall be designated by the Governor for a term expiring on July 1, 1969, one for a term expiring on July 1, 1970, one for a term expiring on July 1, 1971, one for a term expiring on July 1, 1972, and one for a term expiring on July 1, 1973, and until their respective successors are appointed and qualify. The successor of each member shall be appointed in the manner set forth in subsection (b) of this section for a term of five years, but any person appointed to fill a vacancy shall be appointed to serve only for the unexpired term, and a member of the Authority is eligible for reappointment. Each member of the Authority may be removed by the Governor for misfeasance, malfeasance or wilful neglect of duty, but only after reasonable notice and a public hearing, unless the notice and hearing are in writing expressly waived.
- (e) Oaths. Each member of the Authority before entering upon his duties shall take the constitutional oath of office before the Governor or someone authorized by law to administer oaths, and a record of each such oath shall be filed in the office of the Secretary of State.
- (f) Chairman; vice-chairman; secretary; treasurer. One of the members of the Authority shall be designated by the Governor from time to time to serve as chairman of the Authority. The chairman shall preside over its meetings and perform such other duties as imposed on him by law or as assigned to him by the Authority. The members of the Authority annually shall elect one of its members as vice-chairman, and in the event of his death, resignation or incapacity to serve, may choose someone to serve as vice-chairman for the remainder of the uncompleted term. The members of the Authority shall also elect a secretary and a treasurer, who need not be a member of the Authority.
- (g) Duties of vice-chairman. In the absence of the chairman, the vice-chairman shall act as temporary chairman, and have such other duties as the Authority assigns him.
- (h) Duties of secretary. The secretary shall keep a record of the proceedings of the Authority and be custodian of all books, documents, and papers filed with the Authority and of the minute book or journal of the Authority and of its official seal. He may have copies made of all minutes and other records and documents of the Authority, and give certificates under the official seal of the Authority to the effect that they are true copies. All persons dealing with the Authority may rely upon these certificates, and the copies when so certified shall be received as evidence in any court of law or equity, or before any judge, justice of the peace, or other tribunal in this State, in the same manner and with the same effect as if the original books, papers, entries, records or proceedings were themselves produced.