who shall be an appointed official or employee, to serve in his absence as his alternate and to exercise the power of his office.

- Terms of members; vacancy; reappointment. Of the members initially appointed to the Authority, one shall be designated by the Governor for a term expiring on July 1, 1970, one for a term expiring July 1, 1971, one for a term expiring July 1, 1972, and one for a term expiring July 1, 1973, and until their respective successors are appointed and qualify. The members appointed by the Mayor and County Executive respectively of Baltimore City,
 Anne Arundel County and Baltimore County shall be appointed for terms expiring July 1, 1973. THE MEMBER APPOINTED BY THE MAYOR OF BALTIMORE CITY SHALL BE APPOINTED FOR A TERM EXPIRING JULY 1, 1972, AND THE MEMBERS APPOINTED BY THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE RESPEC-ANNE TIVELY \mathbf{OF} ARUNDEL COUNTY AND BALTI-COUNTY **TERMS** MORE SHALL APPOINTED FOR $_{
 m BE}$ EXPIRING JULY 1, 1971. The successor of each member shall be appointed in the manner set forth in subsection (b) (A) of this section for a term of four years, but any person appointed to fill a vacancy shall be appointed to serve only for the unexpired term. Members of the Authority shall be 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.
- (c) Oaths. Each member of the Board 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.
- (d) 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 AND SHALL SERVE AT THE PLEASURE OF THE GOVERNOR. 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.
- (e) 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.
- (f) 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