

(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. *All such records, books, documents and papers of the Authority shall be open to inspection by the public at reasonable hours.*

(i) *Duties of treasurer.*—The treasurer shall receive the moneys of the Authority, and, until otherwise prescribed by law, deposit them, as soon as received, to the credit of the Authority in such bank or banks as he may, from time to time, with the approval of the Authority select, and he shall disburse the same for the purposes of the Authority according to law, upon his warrant and not otherwise. [He shall make arrangements for the payment of the interest of the Authority debt. Every bond, certificate, or other evidence of the debt of the Authority shall be signed by the treasurer, and countersigned by the chairman of the Authority; and no new certificate or other evidence intended to replace another shall be issued until the old one shall be delivered to the treasurer and Authority executed in due form for the transfer of same filed in his office, and the transfer accordingly made on the books thereof, and the certificate or other evidence cancelled.] The treasurer shall render his accounts *at least* semiannually to the Authority.

(j) *Quorum.*—[Three] *Four* members of the Authority [are] *shall constitute* a quorum for the transaction of business, and the affirmative vote of at least [three] *four* members [is] *shall be* necessary for any [substantive] action taken by the Authority. No vacancy in the membership of the Authority *shall impair[s]* the right of a quorum to exercise all the rights and perform all the duties of the Authority.

(k) *Bond of treasurer.*—The treasurer shall, upon entering the performance of his duties, be covered by a surety bond in accordance with the provisions of Sections 46 through 50 of Article 78A of this Code.

(l) *Compensation; expenses of members.*—The members of the Authority shall not receive any compensation for their services, but each member shall be reimbursed for his necessary and proper expenses incurred in the performance of his duties as such.

#### 4. *Definitions.*

(a) *Generally.*—As used in this article, the following words and terms in this section have the following meanings indicated, unless the context indicates another or different meaning or intent:

(b) *Authority.*—The word “Authority” means the [Maryland] *Friendship International Airport Authority*, created by Section 3