

year to the Governor and to the General Assembly *and to the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore*. Each report shall include a complete operating and financial statement covering its operations during the year. The Authority shall cause an audit of its books and accounts to be made at least once in each year by certified public accountants, and the cost thereof shall be treated as an item of current expenses.

20. *Conflict of interest; action by resolution; payment of expenses; use of State land; right of entry.*

(a) *Interest of members or employees in contracts, etc.*—Any member, agent or employee of the Authority who contracts with the Authority or is interested, either directly or indirectly, in any contract with the Authority or in the sale to or the purchase from the Authority of any property either real or personal, is guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not more than one thousand dollars or by imprisonment for not more than one year, or both.

(b) *Resolutions authorizing action.*—Any action taken by the Authority under this article [, except as to the adoption or promulgation of rules and regulations,] may be authorized by resolution at any regular or special meeting, and each resolution shall take effect immediately and need not be published or posted.

[(c) *Incurring liabilities or obligations.*—All expenses incurred in carrying out this article shall be payable solely from funds provided under the authority of this article, and no liability or obligation shall be incurred by the Authority hereunder beyond the extent to which monies are provided under this article.]

[(d)] (c) *Consent to use of State land.*—The State hereby consents to the use of all lands owned by it, including [and] land lying under water, *within the territorial jurisdiction of the Authority*, which are deemed by the Authority to be necessary for the construction or operation of any [project,] *airport facility* provided that the approval of the Board of Public Works shall be first obtained.

[(e)] (d) *Right of entry to make surveys, etc.*—The Authority and its authorized agents and employees may enter upon any lands, waters and premises [in the state] *within its territorial jurisdiction* for the purpose of making surveys, soundings, drillings and examinations as necessary for the purposes of this article, and the entry shall not be deemed a trespass, nor shall an entry for these purposes be deemed an entry under any condemnation proceedings which may be then pending. The Authority shall make reimbursement for any actual damages resulting to the lands, waters and premises as a result of such activities.

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(b) *Powers transferred.*—Subject to the applicable rules, restrictions, guides and standards established by this section, all of the power and authority conferred upon the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore or Anne Arundel County by Section 16 of Article 1A of the Annotated Code of Maryland to adopt, revise, administer and enforce airport zoning regulations to protect the aerial ap-