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(a) The Maryland Board of Examiners of Public Accountants is continued under the name Maryland State Board of Public Accountancy. *The State Board of Public Accountancy shall be a part of the Department of Licensing and Regulation.* It shall consist of five members appointed by the Governor, *with the advice of the Secretary of Licensing and Regulation.* All members shall be citizens of the United States and residents of this State. Three members shall be Maryland certified public accountants currently enrolled under Section 10 of this article to practice as such, each of whom shall hold office for a term of three years. The other two members shall consist of an attorney at law practicing and in good standing in the courts of Maryland, who shall hold office for a term of three years; and an economist appointed from a list of three (3) names submitted to the Governor by the president of Johns Hopkins University who shall hold office for a term of two years. Neither the attorney at law nor the economist member shall be a certified public accountant.

(c) Vacancies occurring during a term shall be filled by appointment for the unexpired term. Upon the expiration of his term of office a member shall continue to serve until his successor shall have been appointed and shall have qualified. The Governor, *with the advice of the Secretary of Licensing and Regulation,* shall remove from the Board any member who shall cease to be qualified under the requirements stated in subsection (a) above, and may remove any member for a sufficient cause on written notice containing charges and specifications and after a reasonable opportunity for hearing thereon.

(g) *The exercise or performance of all powers, authority, duties and functions vested in the Commissioner by the provisions of this subtitle, shall be subject to the power and authority of the Secretary of Licensing and Regulation as set forth in Article 41 of this Code, or elsewhere in the laws of this State.*

SEC. 20. *And be it further enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 130 of Article 56 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition, 1968 Replacement Volume, and 1969 Supplement), title "Licenses," subtitle "Horse Riding and Rental Stables," be and it is hereby repealed and reenacted with amendments, to read as follows:*

130.

There is hereby created a State Board of Inspection of Horse Riding Stables, *which shall be a part of the Department of Licensing and Regulation, [to consist] consisting of three (3) members to be appointed by the Governor, with the advice of the Secretary of Licensing and Regulation, for four-year terms, one member shall be a duly qualified and licensed veterinarian and one member shall be an officer of a county humane society. The members of the Board shall select their chairman. All the members of the Board shall serve without compensation but shall be allowed their actual expenses incurred in the performance of their duties, to the extent monies are available out of the license fees collected under the provisions of Section 130B, it being the intent of the General Assembly*