

of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1971 Replacement Volume AND 1971 SUPPLEMENT), title "GOVERNOR—Executive and Administrative Departments," subtitle "Greater Baltimore Consolidated Wholesale Food Market Authority," be and the same are hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

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(B) THE AUTHORITY SHALL CONSIST OF **[SEVEN]** *TEN* MEMBERS, ALL OF WHOM SHALL BE CITIZENS OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND, ONE OF WHOM SHALL BE A RESIDENT OF HOWARD COUNTY **[.]**, *AND THREE OF WHOM SHALL BE MEMBERS OF THE NEW MARSH WHOLESALE PRODUCE MARKET AUTHORITY, AS THE SAME WAS CREATED BY CHAPTER 662 OF THE LAWS OF MARYLAND OF 1955, AS AMENDED BY CHAPTER 845 OF THE LAWS OF MARYLAND OF 1957.* THE DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION, STATE OF MARYLAND AND THE COMPTROLLER OF THE STATE SHALL BE EX OFFICIO MEMBERS, AND THE TENURE OF THEIR OFFICE SHALL COINCIDE WITH THE TERMS FOR WHICH THEY HOLD THE DESIGNATED OFFICES. IN THE EVENT OF A VACANCY IN ANY OF THE EX OFFICIO OFFICERS, THE SEAT ON THE AUTHORITY IS TO BE TAKEN BY THE INTERIM OR PERMANENT SUCCESSOR.

THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND, WITH THE ADVICE AND CONSENT OF THE SENATE, WITHIN THIRTY (30) DAYS AFTER JUNE 1, 1967, SHALL APPOINT FIVE MEMBERS WHO SHALL BE OUTSTANDING CITIZENS OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND. THE ORIGINAL APPOINTMENTS OF THOSE FIVE MEMBERS, EXCLUDING THE EX OFFICIO MEMBERS, SHALL BE MADE IN SUCH MANNER THAT THE TERM OF ONE MEMBER SHALL EXPIRE ON JULY 1, 1968, THE TERM OF ANOTHER MEMBER SHALL EXPIRE ON JULY 1, 1969, THE TERM OF ANOTHER MEMBER SHALL EXPIRE ON JULY 1, 1970, THE TERM OF ANOTHER MEMBER SHALL EXPIRE ON JULY 1, 1971, AND THE TERM OF THE REMAINING MEMBER SHALL EXPIRE ON JULY 1, 1972. *IN ADDITION, THE GOVERNOR, WITH THE ADVICE AND CONSENT OF THE SENATE, WITHIN TEN (10) DAYS AFTER JULY 1, 1972, SHALL APPOINT THREE MEMBERS WHO SHALL BE, AS OF JULY 1, 1972, MEMBERS OF THE NEW MARSH WHOLESALE PRODUCE MARKET AUTHORITY. THE ORIGINAL APPOINTMENTS OF THESE THREE MEMBERS, EXCLUDING THE EX OFFICIO MEMBERS, SHALL BE MADE IN SUCH MANNER THAT THE TERM OF ONE SUCH MEMBER SHALL EXPIRE ON JULY 1, 1974, THE TERM OF ANOTHER SUCH MEMBER ON JULY 1, 1975, AND THE TERM OF THE REMAINING SUCH MEMBER ON JULY 1, 1976. [THEIR] THE SUCCESSORS OF THOSE EIGHT MEMBERS, EXCLUDING THE EX OFFICIO MEMBERS, SHALL BE APPOINTED FOR TERMS OF FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATES OF EXPIRATION OF THEIR RESPECTIVE TERMS OF OFFICE, EXCEPT THAT ANY PERSON APPOINTED TO FILL A VACANCY SHALL SERVE ONLY FOR THE UNEXPIRED TERM. ANY MEMBER OF THE AUTHORITY IS ELIGIBLE FOR REAPPOINTMENT. THE GOVERNOR,*