

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY

2. TO RECEIVE COMPLAINTS AND TO CONDUCT INVESTIGATIONS IN CONNECTION THEREWITH.

3. TO RENDER A FINAL DECISION IN ANY CASE WHICH IS CONSIDERED BY IT. A FINAL DECISION MAY CONSTITUTE A DISMISSAL OF THE CHARGES OR A FINDING THAT THE CHARGES ARE SUPPORTED. IF THE CHARGES ARE SUSTAINED, THE BOARD WILL ISSUE SUCH FINAL ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER AS IT DEEMS JUST. THE BOARD MAY ALSO REQUEST THE STATE'S ATTORNEY'S OFFICE TO CONSIDER THE INSTITUTION OF APPROPRIATE CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS.

4. APPEAL OF ANY FINDING OF THE BOARD OF ETHICS MAY BE MADE ONLY TO THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY AS PROVIDED IN 5A-7A(7)K.

5. TO PROMULGATE SUCH RULES AND REGULATIONS AS SHALL BE NECESSARY AND PROPER TO CARRY OUT ITS FUNCTIONS.

6. THE BOARD SHALL HAVE THE POWER TO ADMINISTER OATHS, TO REQUEST SUBPOENAS FOR ATTENDANCE OF WITNESSES AND THE PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTARY MATERIAL IN CONNECTION WITH ANY MATTER OVER WHICH IT EXERCISES JURISDICTION.

7. THE BOARD SHALL CONDUCT HEARINGS IN MATTERS ALLEGING A VIOLATION OF THE CODE OF ETHICS ENACTED BY SECTION 3. THE BOARD MAY CALL UPON THE STATE'S ATTORNEY'S OFFICE, OFFICE OF LAW, THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OR ANY OTHER COUNTY AGENCY FOR ANY ASSISTANCE THE BOARD DEEMS NECESSARY AND PROPER TO CARRY OUT ITS RESPONSIBILITIES. THE BOARD SHALL FURNISH NOTICE OF THE TIME, PLACE AND NATURE OF THE HEARING TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES.

B. THE BOARD SHALL BE COMPOSED OF THREE MEMBERS, APPOINTED BY THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE AND CONFIRMED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL. ALL MEMBERS SHALL RESIDE IN AND BE QUALIFIED VOTERS IN THE COUNTY. REJECTION OF ANY NOMINEE TO THIS BOARD SHALL BE BY A VOTE OF A MAJORITY OF THE FULL COUNCIL. NO MORE THAN TWO MEMBERS OF THE BOARD