

- (1) ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ARCHEOLOGY
- (2) CHESAPEAKE BAY AND COASTAL ZONE ADVISORY COMMISSION
- (3) COMMERCIAL FISHERIES ADVISORY COMMISSION
- (4) FOREST ADVISORY COMMISSION
- (5) PARKS ADVISORY COMMISSION
- (6) SPORT FISHERIES ADVISORY COMMISSION
- (7) WATER RESOURCES ADVISORY COMMISSION
- (8) WILDLIFE ADVISORY COMMISSION

(C) UNLESS OTHERWISE PROVIDED BY THIS ARTICLE, EACH ADVISORY COMMISSION CREATED BY LAW CONSISTS OF FIVE MEMBERS APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR, WITH THE ADVICE OF THE SECRETARY TO SERVE AT THE PLEASURE OF THE GOVERNOR. A MEMBER SHALL BE KNOWLEDGEABLE IN THE AREA OF INTEREST OF THE ADVISORY COMMISSION ON WHICH HE SERVES. EACH ADVISORY COMMISSION SHALL ADVISE THE SECRETARY OR THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE APPROPRIATE DEPARTMENT UNIT, PURSUANT TO RULES AND REGULATIONS THE SECRETARY ADOPTS. THE MEMBERS OF EACH ADVISORY COMMISSION ANNUALLY SHALL ELECT A CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMISSION AND MAY ADOPT PROCEDURES TO CONDUCT ITS MEETINGS. AN ADVISORY COMMISSION MEMBER RECEIVES THE COMPENSATION PROVIDED IN THE DEPARTMENT BUDGET. EVERY MEMBER SHALL BE REIMBURSED FOR NECESSARY TRAVEL EXPENSES INCURRED IN PERFORMING ANY OFFICIAL DUTY, PURSUANT TO RULES AND REGULATIONS THE SECRETARY ADOPTS.

(D) IN ADDITION TO ANY ADVISORY BODY ESTABLISHED BY LAW, THE SECRETARY, WITH THE GOVERNOR'S APPROVAL, MAY CREATE ADMINISTRATIVELY ANY ADVISORY UNIT OF A SIZE AND TENURE THE SECRETARY DEEMS APPROPRIATE.

(E) IF ANY PROVISION OF THIS ARTICLE AS IT AFFECTS THE MARYLAND MEMBERSHIP UNIT OF ANY INTERSTATE AGENCY IS INCONSISTENT WITH ANY INTERSTATE COMPACT TO WHICH MARYLAND IS A PARTY, THE PROVISION OF THIS ARTICLE DOES NOT APPLY TO THAT UNIT TO THE EXTENT OF THE INCONSISTENCY.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived from Article 41, section 233(a) of the Code, as amended by Chapter 348, Acts of 1972. The section incorporates changes in nomenclature and reorganization within the department.

In subsection (b), a reference to the Advisory Committee on Archeology is included. Although this committee is