

SENDING SIX MONTHS' NOTICE IN WRITING OF INTENTION TO WITHDRAW FROM THE COMPACT TO THE OTHER STATES PARTY HERETC.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section presently appears as Article 66C, section 256. No changes have been made.

4-302. MARYLAND MEMBERSHIP OF ATLANTIC STATES MARINE FISHERIES COMMISSION.

(A) COMMISSIONERS OF THE STATE. - PURSUANT TO ARTICLE III OF THE ATLANTIC STATE MARINE FISHERIES COMPACT, THREE COMMISSIONERS OF THE ATLANTIC STATES MARINE FISHERIES COMMISSION SHALL BE FROM THE STATE. ONE COMMISSIONER SHALL BE THE SECRETARY WHOSE TERM OF OFFICE SHALL BE CONCURRENT WITH HIS TENURE AS SECRETARY. ONE COMMISSIONER SHALL BE A LEGISLATOR WHO IS ALSO A MEMBER OF THE MARYLAND COMMISSION ON INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION AND WHOSE TENURE SHALL BE CONCURRENT WITH HIS MEMBERSHIP ON THE MARYLAND COMMISSION ON INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION. THE THIRD COMMISSIONER SHALL BE APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR WITH THE ADVICE AND CONSENT OF THE SENATE. THE THIRD COMMISSIONER SHALL BE A RESIDENT OF THE STATE HAVING KNOWLEDGE OF AND INTEREST IN MARINE FISHERIES PROBLEMS. HIS TENURE SHALL BE THREE YEARS OR UNTIL A SUCCESSOR IS APPOINTED AND QUALIFIED.

(B) SECRETARY MAY DELEGATE TO SUBORDINATE POWER TO BE PRESENT AND PARTICIPATE. - THE SECRETARY MAY DELEGATE TO ANY SUBORDINATE IN HIS DEPARTMENT THE POWER TO BE PRESENT AND PARTICIPATE, INCLUDING VOTING AS HIS REPRESENTATIVE AT ANY MEETING OF THE COMMISSION.

(C) REMOVAL OF COMMISSIONERS. - UPON CHARGES, THE GOVERNOR MAY REMOVE FROM OFFICE ~~[[THE]]~~ ANY COMMISSIONER ~~[[OF THE STATE APPOINTED BY HIM]]~~, AFTER THE COMMISSIONER IS AFFORDED A HEARING.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived from Article 66C, section 257 of the Code. Nomenclatural changes reflect Chapter 348, Acts of 1972. The provisions for appointing successors for the three commissions and the terms of initial appointees are omitted because they are superfluous. Article 66C, section 257 is proposed for deletion because its substance