

POLICE FORCE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION IS AND HAS THE POWERS OF A PEACE [[OFFICER]] AND POLICE OFFICER ONLY ON PROPERTY OWNED, LEASED, OPERATED, OR UNDER THE CONTROL OF THE STATE AVIATION ADMINISTRATION.

[[(B) THE SUPERINTENDENT OF THE MARYLAND STATE POLICE IN CONSULTATION WITH THE SECRETARY OF TRANSPORTATION, THE SECRETARY OF PERSONNEL AND THE MARYLAND POLICE TRAINING COMMISSION SHALL ESTABLISH AND PROMULGATE STANDARDS, QUALIFICATIONS AND PREREQUISITES OF CHARACTER, TRAINING, EDUCATION, AND EXPERIENCE FOR THE AIRPORT POLICE FORCE, INCLUDING STANDARDS FOR THE PERFORMANCE OF THEIR DUTIES. THE STATE AVIATION ADMINISTRATION SHALL ESTABLISH RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR THE POLICE FORCE WHICH ARE CONSISTENT WITH THE STANDARDS ESTABLISHED BY THE SUPERINTENDENT OF THE MARYLAND STATE POLICE. MEMBERS OF THE POLICE FORCE SHALL OBSERVE AND COMPLY WITH THESE RULES AND REGULATIONS.]]

(B) MEMBERS OF THE STATE AVIATION POLICE FORCE SHALL NOT ACT ON PROPERTY WHICH IS NOT OWNED, LEASED, OPERATED, OR UNDER THE CONTROL OF THE STATE AVIATION ADMINISTRATION EXCEPT (1) WHEN IN HOT PURSUIT OF A SUSPECTED OFFENDER; (2) WHEN SPECIFICALLY REQUESTED OR PERMITTED TO SO ACT BY THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER OR THE CHIEF POLICE OFFICER OF ANY POLITICAL SUBDIVISION; OR (3) WHEN ORDERED TO SO ACT BY THE GOVERNOR.

(C) THE SECRETARY OF TRANSPORTATION, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE SUPERINTENDENT OF THE MARYLAND STATE POLICE AND THE MARYLAND POLICE TRAINING COMMISSION SHALL ESTABLISH AND PROMULGATE STANDARDS, QUALIFICATIONS AND PREREQUISITES OF CHARACTER, TRAINING, EDUCATION, HUMAN AND PUBLIC RELATIONS, AND EXPERIENCE FOR THE STATE AVIATION ADMINISTRATION POLICE FORCE, INCLUDING STANDARDS FOR THE PERFORMANCE OF THEIR DUTIES; PROVIDED HOWEVER, THAT THE STATUS OF ANY PRESENTLY QUALIFIED MEMBER OF THE CURRENT STATE AVIATION ADMINISTRATION POLICE FORCE SHALL NOT BE AFFECTED BY STANDARDS ESTABLISHED AND PROMULGATED RELATING TO THE MINIMUM HIRING QUALIFICATIONS OF STATE AVIATION ADMINISTRATION POLICE OFFICERS HEREAFTER. TO THE EXTENT PRACTICABLE THE SECRETARY OF TRANSPORTATION SHALL ESTABLISH AND PROMULGATE STANDARDS WHICH ARE CONSISTENT WITH THE STANDARDS FOR THE MARYLAND STATE POLICE. THE STATE AVIATION ADMINISTRATION SHALL ESTABLISH RULES AND REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE OPERATION AND CONDUCT FOR THE STATE AVIATION ADMINISTRATION POLICE FORCE WHICH ARE CONSISTENT WITH THE STANDARDS ESTABLISHED BY THE SECRETARY OF TRANSPORTATION. MEMBERS OF THE STATE AVIATION ADMINISTRATION POLICE FORCE SHALL OBSERVE AND COMPLY WITH THESE RULES AND REGULATIONS.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Section