

AND OTHER EVIDENCE PUBLIC.

(C) THE COMMISSION IS EMPOWERED TO INVESTIGATE ALLEGATIONS MADE AGAINST THE STATE PROSECUTOR WHICH, IF TRUE, MAY WARRANT HIS REMOVAL OR DISCIPLINE, UPON COMPLAINT OR UPON ITS OWN MOTION. IT MAY CONDUCT HEARINGS, ADMINISTER OATHS AND AFFIRMATIONS, ISSUE PROCESS TO COMPEL THE ATTENDANCE OF WITNESSES AND THE PRODUCTION OF EVIDENCE, AND REQUIRE PERSONS TO TESTIFY AND PRODUCE EVIDENCE BY GRANTING THEM IMMUNITY FROM PROSECUTION, PENALTY, OR FORFEITURE.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Section 34 of Article 10 - Attorneys at Law and Attorneys in Fact, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1968 Replacement Volume and 1974 Supplement) be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

Article 10 - Attorneys at Law and Attorneys in Fact

[[[]]34.

The State's Attorney for each county and the City of Baltimore shall, in such county or city, prosecute and defend, on the part of the State, all cases in which the State may be interested[[.]], SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 33B OF THIS ARTICLE.

[[SECTION 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That new Section 34 be and it is hereby added to Article 10 - Attorneys at Law and Attorneys in Fact, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1968 Replacement Volume and 1974 Supplement) to read as follows:

Article 10 - Attorneys at Law and Attorneys in Fact

34.

(A) THE STATE'S ATTORNEY SHALL

(1) SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 33B(E) OF THIS ARTICLE, PROSECUTE ALL CRIMINAL CASES IN THE COUNTY, OR BALTIMORE CITY, AS THE CASE MAY BE, IN WHICH HE IS ELECTED, OR IN A COUNTY OR BALTIMORE CITY TO WHICH THE CASE MAY BE REMOVED;

(2) DEFEND ON BEHALF OF THE STATE BEFORE THE CIRCUIT COURT OR THE CRIMINAL COURT OF BALTIMORE CITY, AS THE CASE MAY BE, APPLICATIONS FILED UNDER THE POST CONVICTION PROCEDURE ACT;

(3) DEFEND ON BEHALF OF THE STATE PETITIONS FOR HABEAS CORPUS IN THE STATE COURTS; AND