

SIMILAR INSTITUTIONS. IN THE APPOINTMENT, ELECTION AND EMPLOYMENT OF ALL PERSONS UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBSECTION, HONORABLY DISCHARGED VETERANS OF THE UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES SHALL BE PREFERRED. ALL EMPLOYEES APPOINTED UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBSECTION ARE EMPLOYEES OF THE COMMISSION AND NOT OF THE STATE, AND SHALL NOT RECEIVE ANY COMPENSATION AND BENEFITS OF ANY KIND FROM THE STATE.

[[(I)]] (H) TO DELEGATE TO ANY COMMITTEES OF THEIR NUMBER WHATEVER POWER AS THEY CONSIDER PROPER, BUT NO EXPENSE MAY BE INCURRED BY ANY COMMITTEE WITHOUT THE AUTHORITY OF THE BOARD. ALL COMMITTEES SHALL REPORT TO THE BOARD AT EVERY REGULAR MEETING, AND WHENEVER ELSE THE BOARD MAY REQUIRE, WHATEVER ACTION HAS BEEN TAKEN BY THEM SINCE THEIR LAST REPORT IN ALL MATTERS ENTRUSTED TO THEM.

[[(J)]] (I) TO APPLY ALL MONEYS, ASSETS, PROPERTY, OR OTHER THINGS OF VALUE IT MAY RECEIVE AS AN INCIDENT TO ITS OPERATION TO THE GENERAL PURPOSES OF THE COMMISSION.

[[(K)]] (J) TO COOPERATE WITH AND TO RECEIVE THE [[ASSISTANCE]] COOPERATION, INsofar AS PRACTICABLE, OF ANY AGENCY OF THE STATE, OR ANY OF ITS POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS, AND ANY PRIVATE, PUBLIC, OR FEDERAL AGENCY OR FOUNDATION, OR PERSON IN ITS ESTABLISHMENT AND MANAGEMENT OF THE VETERANS' HOME IN FURTHERANCE OF PURPOSES AND OBJECTIVES OF THE COMMISSION.

[[(L)]] (K) TO TAKE ANY ACTION NECESSARY AND PROPER TO EFFECTUATE THE POWERS CONFERRED EXPRESSLY BY THIS SUBTITLE.

[[(M)]] (L) TO ADOPT, SUBJECT TO THE TERMS OF THIS SUBTITLE, RULES NECESSARY FOR THE REGULATION OF THEIR OWN GOVERNMENT OR TO EFFECTUATE THE PURPOSE AND OBJECTIVES OF THE COMMISSION.

[[(N)]] (M) TO DELEGATE ANY OF THE POWERS CONFERRED IN THIS SUBTITLE TO ANY ONE OR MORE OF THE TRUSTEES OR TO THE COMMANDANT OF THE HOME; AND

[[(O)]] (N) TO REPORT ANNUALLY TO THE GOVERNOR AND THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY THEIR ACTIVITIES DURING THE PRECEDING YEAR TOGETHER WITH ANY RECOMMENDATIONS OR REQUESTS THEY DEEM APPROPRIATE TO FURTHER THE PURPOSES OF THE COMMISSION.

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THE TRUSTEES SHALL ELECT FROM THEIR MEMBERS A CHAIRMAN, A SECRETARY, AND OTHER OFFICERS AS THEY DETERMINE. THE TRUSTEES SHALL MEET AT PLACES AND DATES TO BE DETERMINED BY THE TRUSTEES, BUT NOT LESS THAN TWO