

incompatible with or in conflict with any of his official duties or acts, he shall disclose [such] THE interest in a REGULAR PUBLIC meeting of the Commission OR THE PLANNING BOARD and [such] THE disclosure shall appear in the [Commission's] minutes, and he shall disqualify himself and not participate in the decision or act affected thereby.

[(f)] (D) Any commissioner convicted of violating subsection [(d)] (A) or [(e)] (B) of this section [shall be] IS guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be punishable by a fine of not more than [\$1,000.00] \$1,000 or six months in jail, or both [such] fine and imprisonment, or by suspension from the Commission or employment for not more than six months, or by outright forfeiture and removal from office, or by any combination of these, as in the discretion of the court [shall be] IS fit and proper.

[(g)] (E) The provisions of this section are severable[, and if any provision of this section or subsection thereof, or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid for any reason, such invalidity shall not affect the other provisions, section, subsection thereof, or any other application of this section which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, subsections or application] AND ARE AS PROVIDED IN ARTICLE 1, SECTION 23 OF THE ANNOTATED CODE OF MARYLAND.

[14.] 2-116.

In the performance of the functions and duties of the Commission, any member or any employee or agent of the Commission [has the right to] MAY enter at all reasonable hours upon any private premises and into any building in the Maryland-Washington Metropolitan District or in the Maryland-Washington Regional District, in order to make examinations and surveys and to place and maintain necessary monuments and marks thereon. Any restraint or hindrance offered to [any such] THE entry, examination, survey, or placing or maintenance of monuments or marks by any owner or tenant or agent of an owner or tenant [shall be] IS a misdemeanor, punishable as such under the general penalty provisions of this [subtitle] ARTICLE.

[15.] 2-117.

The members of the Commission and its staff [are authorized to] MAY engage in civilian defense or other defense activities under the direction of, or in cooperation with, federal, state, or county agencies having charge of such defense activities.