

MONTGOMERY COUNTY

Chairperson shall be designated by the members of the Retirement Hearing Board annually each July 1.

SECTION X. Section 49 (a), title "Composition" is hereby amended to read as follows:

(a) Composition. For each disability retirement application, the Retirement Hearing Board shall designate a Medical Review Committee composed of three physicians not eligible to participate in the Retirement System who are licensed to practice in the State of Maryland. At least two members of the Medical Review Committee must be specialists in the particular field of medicine relating to each application for disability retirement.

SECTION XI. Sections 52 (a), title "Annual report to County Council" and 52 (b), title "Annual Report of member contributions and credited interest", are hereby amended to read as follows:

(a) Annual report. The Chief Administrative Officer shall submit to the County Council, County Executive and the County Personnel Board by the second week of February each year an annual report on the status of the retirement system for the preceding fiscal year. Copies of this report shall be available to all interested County officials, each member of the retirement system, and the public.

(b) Annual Report of member contributions and credited interest.

The Chief Administrative Officer shall supply to each member by December 1st of each year a report on the member's contributions with credited interest as of June 30th of the preceding fiscal year.

SECTION XII. Section 54, title "Information and Proofs", is hereby amended to read as follows:

The County Personnel Board and Retirement Hearing Board shall have the power to require any officer, board or commission of the County to furnish it, without cost, certified copies of any records and papers in their official custody, and to require the attendance of witnesses and the production of papers under summons, subpoena or other process, when considered necessary for the proper administration and enforcement of this Article or of the regulations adopted pursuant thereto. For this purpose, any member of the County Personnel Board and Retirement Hearing Board shall have the right to administer oaths to such witnesses.