

EXECUTIVE ORDERS

possible or actual criminal misconduct;

- (12) DISCUSSION OF EVIDENCE PRESENTED AT AN OPEN HEARING IN CONNECTION WITH THE ISSUANCE, RENEWAL, SUSPENSION, OR REVOCATION OF A LICENSE OR PERMIT BY AN EXECUTIVE PUBLIC BODY PROVIDED THAT THE FINAL DECISION OF THE EXECUTIVE PUBLIC BODY WITH RESPECT TO THE MATTER CLEARLY STATES THE EVIDENTIARY BASIS FOR THE DECISION;

[(12)] (13) Complying with a specific constitutional, statutory, or judicially imposed requirement protecting particular proceedings or matters from public disclosure; or

[(13)] (14) On an affirmative vote of two-thirds of the members present, for some other exceptional reason so compelling as to override the general public policy in favor of open meetings.

(c) If a meeting is held in executive session pursuant to subsection (b),

(1) no action may be taken and no matter may be discussed other than those permitted by Article 41, Section 14 of the Code and by this Executive Order; and

(2) a statement of the time, place, and purpose of the meeting shall be included in the minutes of the next public meeting of the executive public body.

3. Required notice

(a) Every executive public body shall give advance [public] notice of its PUBLIC meetings. NOTICE OF MEETINGS HELD IN EXECUTIVE SESSION SHALL BE AS PROVIDED IN PARAGRAPH 2 (C) (2).

(b) Whenever reasonable under all the circumstances, the notice shall be in writing and shall include the date, time, and place of the meeting, and a reasonable synopsis of such items on the agenda for the meeting as are known at the time of the notice.

(c) The notice required under this section may be given by any of the following means:

(1) Publication in the Maryland Register;