

(A) THERE IS A CITIZENS' ADVISORY BOARD FOR EACH STATE FACILITY.

(B) (1) EACH BOARD CONSISTS OF SEVEN MEMBERS, EACH APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR.

(2) THE GOVERNOR SHALL MAKE HIS APPOINTMENTS FROM A LIST OF NAMES SUBMITTED TO THE GOVERNOR BY THE SECRETARY. THE LIST SHALL CONTAIN THE NUMBER OF NAMES THAT IS AT LEAST TWICE THE NUMBER OF VACANCIES.

~~(C) EACH MEMBER SHALL BE:~~

~~(1) EACH MEMBER SHALL BE A RESIDENT OF THE REGION THAT THE STATE FACILITY SERVES, AND EACH BOARD AS A WHOLE SHALL ADEQUATELY REFLECT THE COMPOSITION OF THE COMMUNITY SERVED BY THE FACILITY.~~

~~(2) KNOWN FOR, AT LEAST TWO MEMBERS OF EACH BOARD SHALL BE PARENTS OR RELATIVES OF PATIENTS OF THAT FACILITY OR OF A SIMILAR STATE FACILITY FOR THE MENTALLY RETARDED, RELATIVES, OR GUARDIANS OF RESIDENTS OF THAT FACILITY. THE REMAINING MEMBERS SHALL BE PERSONS WHO ARE KNOWN FOR THEIR INTEREST IN CIVIC AND PUBLIC AFFAIRS AND WHO HAVE EXPRESSED AN ACTIVE INTEREST IN THE CARE OF THE MENTALLY RETARDED OR IN MENTAL RETARDATION ENDEAVORS GENERALLY.~~

~~(I) HIS INTEREST IN CIVIC AND PUBLIC AFFAIRS, AND~~

~~(II) HIS CONCERN ABOUT THE CARE OF THE MENTALLY RETARDED.~~

(D) (1) THE TERM OF A MEMBER IS ~~THREE~~ FOUR YEARS.

(2) THE TERMS OF THE MEMBERS ARE STAGGERED AS REQUIRED FOR THE ORIGINAL APPOINTMENTS TO A BOARD.

(3) AT THE END OF A TERM, A MEMBER CONTINUES TO SERVE UNTIL A SUCCESSOR IS APPOINTED AND QUALIFIES.

(4) A MEMBER WHO IS APPOINTED AFTER A TERM HAS BEGUN SERVES ONLY FOR THE REST OF THE TERM AND UNTIL A SUCCESSOR IS APPOINTED AND QUALIFIES.

(5) A MEMBER MAY NOT SERVE MORE THAN TWO FULL TERMS.

(E) (1) FROM AMONG ITS MEMBERS, EACH BOARD SHALL ELECT A CHAIRMAN AND ANY OTHER OFFICERS THAT THE BOARD CONSIDERS NECESSARY.

(2) THE MANNER OF ELECTION OF OFFICERS SHALL BE AS EACH BOARD DETERMINES.

(F) EACH BOARD SHALL MEET AT LEAST FOUR TIMES A YEAR, AT THE TIMES AND PLACES THAT THE BOARD SETS.