

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from Art. 77A, §28(a) - except the first sentence - (b), and (c).

As to subsection (b)(1) of this section, the terms of the members serving as of July 1, 1978 expire as follows: two in 1979, two in 1980, three in 1981, two in 1982, and two in 1983.

In subsection (b) of this section, new language is added to indicate that a member serves until a successor takes office. In subsection (b)(2) of this section, new language is added to clarify that a vacancy in an unexpired term is filled only for the remainder of that term. These changes conform to similar provisions appearing elsewhere in the Code.

12-103. CHAIRMAN AND OTHER OFFICERS; MEETINGS.

(A) OFFICERS.

EACH YEAR, THE STATE BOARD FOR HIGHER EDUCATION SHALL ELECT FROM AMONG ITS MEMBERS:

- (1) A CHAIRMAN; AND
- (2) ANY OTHER OFFICER IT REQUIRES.

(B) MEETINGS.

THE BOARD SHALL SET THE TIME AND PLACE OF ITS MEETINGS AND MAY ADOPT RULES FOR THE CONDUCT OF ITS MEETINGS.

REVISOR'S NOTE: Subsection (a) of this section presently appears as Art. 77A, §28(d).

The present requirement that the Governor designate a temporary chairman is deleted as obsolete.

Subsection (b) of this section is new language added to set out the authority of the Board to meet.

12-104. STAFF OF BOARD.

(A) COMMISSIONER OF HIGHER EDUCATION.

(1) THE STATE BOARD FOR HIGHER EDUCATION SHALL APPOINT A COMMISSIONER OF HIGHER EDUCATION.

(2) THE COMMISSIONER IS THE EXECUTIVE HEAD OF THE STAFF OF THE BOARD.

(B) DUTIES; TERM; REMOVAL; SALARY.