

(2) THE COMMISSION SHALL CONSIST OF 11 PERSONS, APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR UPON RECOMMENDATION OF THE SECRETARY OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND CORRECTIONAL SERVICES, THE GOVERNOR, BY AND WITH THE ADVICE AND CONSENT OF THE SENATE, SHALL APPOINT THE 11 MEMBERS OF THE COMMISSION, WHO COLLECTIVELY POSSESS THE FOLLOWING QUALIFICATIONS:

(I) THREE TWO MEMBERS SHALL BE MARYLAND CITIZENS WHO ARE NOT DIRECTLY EMPLOYED IN THE FIELD OF CORRECTIONS;

(II) THREE TWO MEMBERS SHALL BE STATE GOVERNMENT CORRECTIONAL CORRECTIONAL PERSONNEL;

(III) THREE TWO MEMBERS SHALL BE LOCAL GOVERNMENT CORRECTIONAL PERSONNEL;

(IV) ONE MEMBER SHALL BE AN OFFICIAL OR EMPLOYEE OF THE COMMISSION ON ACCREDITATION FOR CORRECTIONS OR A SIMILAR NATIONAL CORRECTIONAL ACCREDITATION ORGANIZATION;

(V) THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, WHO SECRETARY OF GENERAL SERVICES, AND SECRETARY OF STATE PLANNING SHALL BE AN EX OFFICIO MEMBER MEMBERS AND i

(VI) ONE MEMBER SHALL BE AN ELECTED OFFICIAL FROM A LOCAL GOVERNING BODY.

(3) EACH MEMBER OF THE COMMISSION OTHER THAN THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, SECRETARY OF GENERAL SERVICES, AND SECRETARY OF STATE PLANNING SHALL SERVE A TERM OF OFFICE WHICH IS 3 YEARS, EXCEPT THAT, OF THE INITIAL MEMBERS, THREE SHALL BE APPOINTED FOR A TERM OF 1 YEAR, FOUR SHALL BE APPOINTED FOR A TERM OF 2 YEARS, AND THREE SHALL BE APPOINTED FOR A TERM OF 3 YEARS.

(4) THE COMMISSION, AT ITS INITIAL ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING AND THEREAFTER ANNUALLY, SHALL ELECT A CHAIRMAN AND VICE CHAIRMAN FROM AMONG ITS MEMBERS.

(5) THE COMMISSION SHALL MEET AT SUCH TIMES AS A MAJORITY OF ITS MEMBERS OR ITS CHAIRMAN MAY DETERMINE.

(6) A SIMPLE MAJORITY OF THE MEMBERS OF THE COMMISSION SHALL CONSTITUTE A QUORUM FOR THE TRANSACTION OF ANY BUSINESS, THE PERFORMANCE OF ANY DUTY, OR THE EXERCISE OF ANY OF ITS AUTHORITY.

(7) THE MEMBERS OF THE COMMISSION SHALL RECEIVE NO SALARY FOR SERVICE ON THE COMMISSION, BUT SHALL BE REIMBURSED, AS PROVIDED IN THE BUDGET, FOR THEIR REASONABLE EXPENSES LAWFULLY INCURRED IN THE PERFORMANCE OF THEIR OFFICIAL FUNCTION IN ACCORDANCE WITH STANDARD TRAVEL REGULATIONS.