

- (2) Chesapeake Bay and Coastal Zone Advisory Commission;
- (3) [Commercial] TIDAL Fisheries Advisory Commission;
- (4) Forest Advisory Commission;
- (5) Parks Advisory Commission;
- (6) Sport Fisheries Advisory Commission;
- (7) Water Resources Advisory Commission; AND
- (8) Wildlife Advisory Commission.

(c) Unless otherwise provided by this article, each advisory commission created by law consists of five members appointed by the Governor, with the advice of the Secretary to serve at the pleasure of the Governor. From and after July 1, 1974, the Sport Fisheries Advisory Commission shall have one additional member who shall be a resident of western Maryland. A member shall be knowledgeable in the area of interest of the advisory commission on which he serves. Each advisory commission shall advise the Secretary or the administration of the appropriate department unit, pursuant to rules and regulations the Secretary adopts. The members of each advisory commission annually shall elect a chairman of the commission and may adopt procedures to conduct its meetings. An advisory commission member [received] RECEIVES the compensation provided in the department budget. Every member shall be reimbursed for necessary travel expenses incurred in performing any official duty, pursuant to rules and regulations the Secretary adopts.

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(a) (1) There is a [Commercial] TIDAL Fisheries Advisory Commission in the Department.

(2) THE COMMISSION IS COMPOSED OF UP TO 12 MEMBERS APPOINTED AND SERVING IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROCEDURES ADOPTED UNDER § 1-102(C) OF THIS ARTICLE.

(3) UP TO ELEVEN COMMERCIAL WATERMEN AND ONE MEMBER OF THE SPORTS FISHERIES ADVISORY COMMISSION SHALL COMPRISE THE COMMISSION.

(4) THE TERM OF A MEMBER IS 2 YEARS.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1980.

Approved May 20, 1980.