

~~(B)~~ (C) "DEPARTMENT" MEANS THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION.

~~(E)~~ (D) "SECRETARY" MEANS THE STATE SECRETARY OF TRANSPORTATION.

[(d)] ~~(F)~~ (E) "Transportation agency" means the Department, any of its units, or the Maryland Transportation Authority.

[2-302.] 9-102.

There is a Transportation Professional Services Selection Board in the Department, REFERRED TO IN THIS SUBTITLE AS THE TRANSPORTATION SELECTION BOARD.

[2-303.] 9-103.

(a) The TRANSPORTATION SELECTION Board consists of four permanent members and one temporary member.

(b) (1) The four permanent members of the TRANSPORTATION SELECTION Board are:

(i) The Secretary, ex officio, or his designee;

(ii) One member appointed from the Department by the Governor on recommendation of the Secretary, which member serves at the pleasure of the Governor; and

(iii) Two members appointed from the general public by the Governor, at least one of whom is not an architect or engineer and each of whom serves a term of 4 years and until his successor is appointed and qualifies.

(2) On recommendation of the Secretary, the Governor may appoint an alternate member to serve in the absence of the regular member appointed under this subsection from the Department.

(c) The transportation agency that is presenting a request to the TRANSPORTATION SELECTION Board shall appoint a temporary member of the TRANSPORTATION SELECTION Board. The temporary member serves only for the purposes of considering and acting on the request of the transportation agency by which he is appointed.

[2-304.] 9-104.

(a) The members of the TRANSPORTATION SELECTION Board may be removed by the Governor for misconduct, incompetency, neglect of duty, or other sufficient cause.

(b) A permanent member appointed to fill a vacancy in an unexpired term serves only for the remainder of that term.