

Md. 481 (1927) and Grooms v. LaVale Zoning Board, 27 Md. App. 266 (1975).

In subsection (a)(2)(i) of this section, the reference to the "Department at large" is substituted for the reference to the former State Department of Health. See the General Revisor's Note to this article.

In subsection (a)(2)(ii) of this section, the reference to the "Mental Hygiene Administration" is substituted for the obsolete reference to the "State Department of Mental Hygiene".

In subsection (a)(2)(v) of this section, the reference to the "State Social Services Administration" is substituted for the obsolete reference to the "State Department of Social Services".

Subsection (c)(5) of this section is revised in standard language used to state a limitation on successive terms. Thus, the word "full" is added to modify the reference to "3-year terms". This addition resolves any ambiguity that a member appointed to serve the remainder of a vacant term might be limited to that term and then only 1 full term. Under this revision, a member who is appointed to the remainder of a term is eligible for reappointment to 2 additional full terms.

Similarly, the phrase "may not be reappointed for 3 years after completion of those terms" is substituted for the ambiguous reference to "the term immediately following the second of those terms", which could be interpreted as a reference to a 3-year period or only to the specific 3-year term of that member's successor. The latter interpretation would permit appointment of the member to succeed some other member. This substitution is patterned after the limitation on successive terms for members of county advisory councils on alcoholism, in § 8-313 of this article.

The former, specific references to the initial terms of the members, in the second sentence of former Article 52A, § 3(a) and the entire third sentence of (a-1), are deleted as obsolete. The continuing stagger created under those provisions is covered now under subsection (c)(2) of this section.

The fifth sentence of former Article 52A, § 3(a-1), which, as to the 6 additional members,