

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

(2) THE TERMS OF MEMBERS ARE STAGGERED AS REQUIRED BY THE TERMS PROVIDED FOR MEMBERS OF EACH BOARD ON JULY 1, 1982. THE TERMS OF THOSE MEMBERS END AS FOLLOWS:

(I) 2 IN 1983;

(II) 2 IN 1984;

(III) 2 IN 1985; AND

(IV) 1 IN 1986.

(3) AT THE END OF A TERM, A MEMBER CONTINUES TO SERVE UNTIL A SUCCESSOR IS APPOINTED AND QUALIFIES.

(4) A MEMBER WHO IS APPOINTED AFTER A TERM HAS BEGUN SERVES ONLY FOR THE REST OF THE TERM AND UNTIL A SUCCESSOR IS APPOINTED AND QUALIFIES.

(5) (I) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBPARAGRAPH (II) OF THIS PARAGRAPH, A MEMBER MAY NOT SERVE MORE THAN WHO SERVES 2 CONSECUTIVE FULL 4-YEAR TERMS MAY NOT BE REAPPOINTED FOR 4 YEARS AFTER THE COMPLETION OF THOSE TERMS.

(II) AN INITIAL MEMBER OF A BOARD MAY NOT SERVE MORE THAN WHO SERVES 3 CONSECUTIVE FULL 4-YEAR TERMS MAY NOT BE REAPPOINTED FOR 4 YEARS AFTER THE COMPLETION OF THOSE TERMS.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Article 59A, § 19F(b) through (d).

Subsection (c)(5) of this section is revised in standard language used to state a limitation on successive terms. Thus, the word "consecutive" is added to modify the reference to "full 4-year terms" and the phrase "may not be reappointed for 4 years after completion of those terms" is substituted for the ambiguous reference "may not serve". This revision prevents appointment of the member to succeed some other member whose term, e.g., expires in this same year. This revision also clarifies that the prohibition addresses a 4-year period and does not prohibit appointment after that period. This substitution is patterned after the limitation on successive terms for members of county advisory councils on alcoholism, in § 8-313 of this article.

As to subsection (c)(2) of this section, the Commission to Revise the Annotated Code notes that the current members of each Board are