

shall name which of the thirteen regular members of the Advisory Board for Correction, Parole and Probation shall be chairman as of July 1, 1970, and thereafter the Secretary of Public Safety and Correctional Services, with the approval of the Governor, shall name one of the regular members as chairman from time to time.

(b) The appointments to the Advisory Board for Correction, Parole and Probation shall be without regard to political affiliation. Members of the Advisory Board shall be interested, and preferably experienced, in one or more of the fields of penology, corrections, parole and probation, law and social welfare. They shall be persons of ability and understanding, and of respected position in their several respective communities. All of them shall be residents of this State. Members of the Advisory Board shall receive no compensation for their services, but they may be reimbursed for necessary and proper expenses incurred in their duties as such, in accordance with standard travel regulations.

(c) The Advisory Board for Correction, Parole and Probation shall meet at least bimonthly, at a time and place designated by it or its chairman. In addition, the Advisory Board shall meet at such other times as requested by the Secretary of Public Safety and Correctional Services [or the deputy secretary for correctional services].

(d) The Advisory Board for Correction, Parole and Probation shall study and observe procedures in and the development and progress of the correction, parole and probation systems of this State. The Board shall make suggestions and give advice with respect to the State's correction, parole and probation systems to the Secretary, [the deputy secretary for correctional services,] the Commissioner of Correction, the Board of Parole, and the Director of Parole and Probation.

#### Article 38A - Fires and Investigations

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(a) The State Fire Prevention Commission shall select a chairman and vice-chairman from among its members and shall hold regular meetings at least once every two months and special meetings when called by its chairman or the Secretary of Public Safety and Correctional Services [or the deputy secretary for public safety]. In the absence of the chairman, the vice-chairman shall exercise the powers and duties of chairman.

#### Article 88B - State Police

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