

FOR the purpose of adding consumer members to the Maryland State Board of Public Accountancy; providing for the initial terms of the consumer members and the staggering of their terms of office; providing for the reappointment of the initial consumer members; making stylistic changes; and generally relating to the Maryland State Board of Public Accountancy.

BY repealing

Article 75A - Public Accountancy
Section 1(a)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1980 Replacement Volume and 1982 Supplement)

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SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article 75A - Public Accountancy

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[(a) The Maryland Board of Examiners of Public Accountants is continued under the name Maryland State Board of Public Accountancy. The State Board of Public Accountancy shall be a part of the Department of Licensing and Regulation. It shall consist of five members appointed by the Governor, with the advice of the Secretary of Licensing and Regulation. All members shall be citizens of the United States and residents of this State. Three members shall be Maryland certified public accountants currently enrolled under § 11 of this article to practice as such, one member shall be a full-time college professor in the field of accounting at an accredited institution who holds a Maryland CPA certificate, and one member shall be an attorney-at-law practicing and in good standing in the courts of Maryland, each of whom shall hold office for a term of three years. The attorney-at-law shall not be a certified public accountant.]

(A) (1) THERE IS A MARYLAND STATE BOARD OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTANCY IN THE DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING AND REGULATION.

(2) THE BOARD ~~CONSIST~~ CONSISTS OF 7 MEMBERS APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR WITH THE ADVICE OF THE SECRETARY OF LICENSING AND REGULATION. ALL MEMBERS SHALL BE CITIZENS OF THE UNITED STATES