

- ~~(2) negotiate, enter into, and sign predetermined parole release agreements as provided under subsection (b) of this section;~~
- ~~(3) hear cases for parole in which:
  - ~~(i) the Commissioner of Correction, after reviewing the recommendation of the appropriate managing official, objects to a parole;~~
  - ~~(ii) the inmate was convicted of a homicide;~~
  - ~~(iii) the inmate is serving a sentence of life imprisonment; or~~
  - ~~(iv) the parole hearing is open to the public under § 7-304 of this title;~~~~
- ~~(4) hear exceptions to recommendations of a hearing examiner or a commissioner acting as a hearing examiner;~~
- ~~(5) review summarily all recommendations of a hearing examiner or a commissioner acting as a hearing examiner to which an exception has not been filed;~~
- ~~(6) hear a case for parole in absentia when an individual who was sentenced in this State to serve a term of imprisonment is in a correctional facility of a jurisdiction other than this State;~~
- ~~(7) hear cases of parole revocation; and~~
- ~~(8) if delegated by the Governor, hear cases involving an alleged violation of a conditional pardon.~~

~~(b) (1) (i) The Commission may negotiate, enter into, and sign a predetermined parole release agreement with the Commissioner of Correction and an inmate under the jurisdiction of the Commission.~~

~~(ii) The agreement may provide for the release of the inmate on parole at a predetermined time if, during the inmate's term of confinement, the inmate participates in the programs designated by the Commission and fulfills any other conditions specified in the agreement.~~

~~(2) This subsection does not affect any diminution of an inmate's term of confinement awarded under Title 3, Subtitle 7 and §§ 9-506 and 9-513 of this article.~~

~~(c) Each commissioner has visitorial powers over any correctional facility in which an individual is confined on a criminal charge, whether the correctional facility is operated by the State or by a county or municipal corporation of the State.~~

~~(d) As necessary to carry out its duties, the Commission may:~~

- ~~(1) issue subpoenas requiring the attendance and testimony of witnesses;~~
- ~~(2) administer oaths; and~~