SERVICES AND IS ENTITLED TO THE NECESSARY EXPENSES, INCLUDING TRAVELING EXPENSES, INCURRED IN THE DISCHARGE OF THE COMMISSIONER'S DUTIES.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 44A, § 1–210.

The former reference to a legislative body "of the local jurisdiction" is deleted as implicit in the reference to a "legislative body".

Defined terms: "Authority" § 12-101 "Legislative body" § 12-101

12-308. STAFF.

- (A) STAFF.
 - (1) AN AUTHORITY MAY EMPLOY:
- (I) A SECRETARY, WHO SHALL SERVE AS EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR; AND
- (II) TECHNICAL EXPERTS AND OTHER OFFICERS, AGENTS, AND EMPLOYEES, PERMANENT AND TEMPORARY.
- (2) AN AUTHORITY SHALL DETERMINE THE QUALIFICATIONS, DUTIES, AND COMPENSATION OF ITS EMPLOYEES.
 - (B) LEGAL SERVICES.

FOR LEGAL SERVICES, AN AUTHORITY MAY USE THE CHIEF LAW OFFICER OF THE POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OR MAY EMPLOY ITS OWN COUNSEL AND LEGAL STAFF.

(C) DELEGATION OF POWERS AND DUTIES.

AN AUTHORITY MAY DELEGATE TO ONE OR MORE OF ITS AGENTS OR EMPLOYEES THE POWERS OR DUTIES IT CONSIDERS PROPER.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 44A, § 1–208(b), (c), and the second clause of the second sentence of (a).

Defined terms: "Authority" § 12–101 "Political subdivision" § 12–101

12-309. LIABILITY OF COMMISSIONERS AND STAFF.

(A) STATUS OF COMMISSIONERS AND STAFF.

EACH COMMISSIONER, THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, AND EACH EMPLOYEE OF AN AUTHORITY IS:

(1) A LOCAL OFFICIAL FOR THE PURPOSES OF TITLE 15, SUBTITLE 8, PART I OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT ARTICLE AND SUBJECT TO LOCAL ETHICS LAWS; AND