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THERE IS A GOVERNOR'S ADVISORY COMMISSION ON MARYLAND WINE AND GRAPE GROWING.

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(a) (1) The [Board] COMMISSION consists of 9 members.

(2) Of the 9 [Board] COMMISSION members:

(i) [The Secretary shall serve as an ex officio member] 2 MEMBERS SHALL REPRESENT WINERIES OF THE STATE;

(ii) [3 shall be operators of wineries] 2 MEMBERS SHALL REPRESENT GRAPE GROWERS OF THE STATE;

(iii) 1 MEMBER shall be a [commercial grape grower who is not affiliated with a winery] REPRESENTATIVE OF THE OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER;

(iv) 1 member shall represent the College of Agriculture AND NATURAL RESOURCES [at] OF the University of Maryland;

(v) 1 member shall [represent the wholesaling segment of the wine industry] BE A MEMBER OF THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES APPOINTED BY THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE;

(vi) 1 member shall [represent the retailing segment of the wine industry] BE A MEMBER OF THE SENATE APPOINTED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE; and

(vii) 1 MEMBER shall be a [consumer member] REPRESENTATIVE OF THE DEPARTMENT.

(3) The Governor shall appoint the appointed members [from a list submitted to the Governor by the Secretary] AND SHALL DESIGNATE A CHAIRMAN FROM AMONG THE MEMBERS. [The number of names on the list shall be 3 times the number of vacancies.]

(b) Before taking office each appointee to the Board shall take the oath required by Article I, § 9 of the Maryland Constitution.

(c) (1) The term of an appointed member is 3 years.

[(2) The terms of the appointed members serving on July 1, 1987 expire as follows:

(i) 2 members in 1988;

(ii) 3 members in 1989; and

(iii) 3 members in 1990.]

[(3)](2) At the end of a term, a member continues to serve until a successor is appointed and qualifies.