

(h) Not later than August 1 each year, the State Board shall elect one of its members as chairman.

(i) Each member shall receive:

(1) per diem compensation as provided in the State budget for each day that the member is actually engaged in the discharge of official duties, as authorized by the State Board and in accordance with the State budget; and

(2) reimbursement for all necessary and proper expenses, as provided in the State budget.‡

~~2-101.1.~~

~~(A) THERE IS A STATE ELECTIONS ADVISORY COMMITTEE CONSISTING OF 12 MEMBERS APPOINTED AS PROVIDED UNDER SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION.~~

~~(B) (1) THE STATE ADMINISTRATOR SHALL APPOINT EIGHT MEMBERS TO THE COMMITTEE AS FOLLOWS:~~

~~(I) TWO MEMBERS WHO HAVE EXPERTISE IN STATE ELECTIONS ADMINISTRATION;~~

~~(II) THREE MEMBERS WHO HAVE EXPERTISE IN LOCAL ELECTIONS ADMINISTRATION, WHO SHALL INCLUDE A REPRESENTATIVE OF A SMALL, A MEDIUM, AND A LARGE JURISDICTION;~~

~~(III) ONE MEMBER WHO HAS EXPERTISE IN INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY AND SECURITY;~~

~~(IV) ONE MEMBER WHO IS A REPRESENTATIVE OF COUNTY GOVERNMENT, CHOSEN FROM A LIST SUBMITTED TO THE STATE ADMINISTRATOR BY THE MARYLAND ASSOCIATION OF COUNTIES; AND~~

~~(V) ONE MEMBER WHO REPRESENTS THE DISABLED.~~

~~(2) THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE OF MARYLAND SHALL APPOINT TO THE COMMITTEE TWO SENATORS, ONE FROM EACH OF THE PRINCIPAL POLITICAL PARTIES.~~

~~(3) THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES SHALL APPOINT TO THE COMMITTEE TWO DELEGATES, ONE FROM EACH OF THE PRINCIPAL POLITICAL PARTIES.~~

~~(C) EACH MEMBER OF THE COMMITTEE SHALL SERVE AT THE PLEASURE OF THE MEMBER'S APPOINTING AUTHORITY.~~

~~(D) THE COMMITTEE SHALL ELECT A CHAIR FROM AMONG ITS MEMBERS.~~

~~(E) A MEMBER OF THE COMMITTEE MAY NOT RECEIVE COMPENSATION BUT SHALL RECEIVE REIMBURSEMENT FOR REASONABLE EXPENSES INCURRED IN THE PERFORMANCE OF THE MEMBER'S DUTIES, AS PROVIDED FOR IN THE STATE BUDGET.~~