

~~manner, information on the electoral process, including a publication that includes the text of this article, relevant portions of the Maryland Constitution, and information gathered and maintained regarding elections;~~

~~(10) subject to §§ 2-106 and 13-241 of this article, receive, maintain, and serve as a depository for elections documents, materials, records, statistics, reports, certificates, proclamations, and other information prescribed by law or regulation;~~

~~(11) prescribe all forms required under this article; and~~

~~(12) serve as the official designated office in accordance with the Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act for providing information regarding voter registration and absentee ballot procedures for absent uniformed services voters and overseas voters with respect to elections for federal office. ]~~

~~2-102.~~

~~(A) THE COMMITTEE SHALL MEET:~~

~~(1) AT LEAST ONCE EVERY 3 MONTHS AT A TIME AND LOCATION ESTABLISHED BY THE STATE ADMINISTRATOR; AND~~

~~(2) AS REQUESTED BY THE STATE ADMINISTRATOR.~~

~~(B) THE COMMITTEE SHALL PROVIDE GUIDANCE AND RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE STATE ADMINISTRATOR ON ANY POLICY, REGULATION, FORM, OR PROGRAM ESTABLISHED BY THE STATE ADMINISTRATOR.~~

~~(C) IN THE EVENT OF A VACANCY IN THE OFFICE OF THE STATE ADMINISTRATOR, THE COMMITTEE SHALL SUBMIT A LIST OF RECOMMENDED APPOINTEES FOR THE VACANCY TO THE STATE ADMINISTRATOR APPOINTMENT AND REMOVAL COMMISSION.~~

~~2-103.~~

(a) There is a State Administrator of Elections.

(b) The State Administrator shall:

(1) be appointed by THE STATE BOARD, WITH THE ADVICE AND CONSENT OF THE SENATE OF MARYLAND, ~~and serve at the pleasure of the State Board ] THE STATE ADMINISTRATOR APPOINTMENT AND REMOVAL COMMISSION WITH THE ADVICE AND CONSENT OF THE SENATE;~~

(2) receive a salary as provided in the State budget;

(3) as provided in the State budget, employ and supervise:

(i) a deputy administrator, WHO SHALL SERVE AS STATE ADMINISTRATOR IN THE EVENT THE STATE ADMINISTRATOR RESIGNS, BECOMES DISABLED, OR DIES, PENDING THE APPOINTMENT OF A SUCCESSOR STATE ADMINISTRATOR; and