

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 19, § 8B(a) through (c) and the first sentence of (d).

In subsections (c) and (d) of this section, the requirement that "the acting comptroller shall serve" is substituted for the former, specific references to the "chief deputy comptroller", to reflect that, under subsection (b) of this section, another individual may serve.

In subsection (c)(1) of this section, the words "in the notice" are added for clarity.

In subsection (c)(2) of this section, specific reference to "the Board ... and the acting comptroller" is added for clarity. This addition is based on the second sentence of former Art. 19, § 8B(d), which required notice "be given to all parties". Similarly, in subsection (d)(2) of this section, the specific reference to the "Comptroller and the acting comptroller" is added. Therefore, the second sentence of former Art. 19, § 8B(d) is deleted as unnecessary.

Generally, the General Assembly is unable to confer original jurisdiction on the Court of Appeals. The purported authority for subsection (e) of this section is Md. Constitution, Art. XV, § 5.

4-106. AUTHORITY OVER UNITS.

(A) IN GENERAL.

SUBJECT TO THE LIMITATION IN SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION, THE COMPTROLLER MAY TRANSFER ANY STAFF, FUNDS, OR EQUIPMENT FROM ANY UNIT IN THE OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER TO ANOTHER UNIT IN THE OFFICE.

(B) EFFECT ON STAFF.

THE CLASS AND GRADE OF STAFF WHO ARE TRANSFERRED MAY NOT BE REDUCED BY REASON OF THE TRANSFER.

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The former reference to "increasing the efficiency ... of his administration" is deleted as surplusage.

As to the substitution of "unit" for the former words "office", "division", and "bureau", see the General Revisor's Note to this article.