

APPROVED by the Authority, and only -{ in the performance of his duties or while on the transit facilities owned, controlled, or operated by the authority in direct transit to and from a duty assignment. A member of the metro transit police is authorized to carry such weapons only while in direct transit to and from a duty assignment and is subject to such additional limitations in the use of weapons as are imposed on the duly constituted police force for the political subdivision in which he is engaged in the performance of his duties}-

{i}--IN-THE-PERFORMANCE-OF-HIS-DUTIES;

{ii}--WHILE--OTHERWISE--IN--OR--ON--THE--TRANSIT FACILITIES OWNED, OPERATED OR CONTROLLED BY THE AUTHORITY;

{iii}--IN-TRANSIT-TO-OR-FROM-A--DUTY--ASSIGNMENT OR-TO-OR-FROM-HIS-RESIDENCE;-OR

{iv}--AT--ANY--OTHER--TIME--UPON--APPLICATION--TO--AND APPROVAL--BY--THE--AUTHORITY--AND--ONLY--THEN--IF--THERE--IS--SUBSTANTIAL LIKELIHOOD--THAT--THE--APPLICANT--WILL--REQUIRE--THE--WEAPON--FOR PROTECTION--FROM--BODILY--INJURY--TO--HIMSELF--OR--A--MEMBER--OR--MEMBERS OF--HIS--FAMILY--DOMICILED--WITH--HIM-

{2}--THE---DETERMINATION---THAT---AN---APPLICANT---HAS DEMONSTRATED SUFFICIENT CAUSE TO BE AUTHORIZED TO CARRY A--WEAPON IS--COMMITTED--TO--THE--SOLE--DISCRETION--OF--THE--AUTHORITY--AND--MAY--NOT BE--THE--SUBJECT--OF--ANY--COLLECTIVE--BARGAINING--PROCEEDINGS--OR AGREEMENT---REVIEW--OF--THE--EXERCISE--OF--SUCH--DISCRETION--BY--THE AUTHORITY--IS--LIMITED--TO--THAT--OF--A--COURT--OF--COMPETENT--JURISDICTION IF--SUCH--COURT--FINDS--THAT--THE--AUTHORITY--HAS--ACTED--ARBITRARILY, CAPRICIOUSLY,---OR---FRAUDULENTLY---IN--GRANTING--OR--WITHHOLDING AUTHORIZATION--TO--OR--FROM--A--MEMBER--OF--THE--METRO--TRANSIT--POLICE--TO CARRY--A--WEAPON--ISSUED--BY--THE--AUTHORITY-

(c) Members of the metro transit police shall have power to execute on the transit facilities owned, controlled, or operated by the Authority any traffic citation or any criminal process issued by any court of any signatory or of any political subdivision of a signatory, for any felony, misdemeanor or other offense against laws, ordinances, rules, or regulations of the Authority, or of the signatory or its political subdivision as specified in subsection (a). [However, with] WITH respect to offenses committed upon, to, or against the transit facilities owned, controlled or operated by the Authority, the metro transit police shall have power[, except in Maryland,] to execute criminal process within the transit zone.

(d) Upon the apprehension or arrest of any person by a member of the metro transit police pursuant to the provisions of subsection (b), the arresting officer, as required by the law of the place of arrest, shall either issue a summons or a citation against the person, or book or deliver the person to the duly constituted judicial officer of the signatory or political subdivision where the arrest is made, for disposition as required by law.