

Any person who shall knowingly make any false statement or shall [falsely] FALSIFY or permit to be falsified any record or records of this retirement system in any attempt to defraud such system as a result of such act, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be punishable therefor under the laws of the State of Maryland. Should any change or error in the records result in any member or beneficiary receiving from the retirement system more or less than he would have been entitled to receive had the records been correct, the board of trustees shall correct such error, and, as far as practicable, shall adjust the payment in such a manner that the actuarial equivalent of the benefit to which such member or beneficiary was correctly entitled shall be paid.

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(a) (1) The board of trustees shall consist of nine members; one member of the rank of major or higher, one captain, one lieutenant, one sergeant, three patrolmen, one civilian employee of the department, and the director of fiscal affairs division. With the exception of the director of fiscal affairs, members of the board of trustees shall be elected at large, and shall serve a term of four years. Elections will be held biannually with the terms of the major or higher rank, sergeant and two patrolmen terminating at alternate two-year periods with those of the captain, lieutenant, one patrolman and civilian representative. The first election will be held during the year of enactment of this [act] SUBTITLE, at which time the captain, lieutenant and one patrolman (the patrolman member of the board of trustees having held office the longest period of time will stand for election) and the civilian member will be elected.

(2) In years when elections are to be held, nominations will be submitted to the secretary of the board of trustees in writing and signed by not less than 20 members of the department; and no more than half of the persons signing the nomination may be from the same district or unit. Nominations must be received by the secretary not less than 15 days prior to the date established for such election. The nominees corresponding with the number of members to be elected who receive the highest number of votes shall be declared elected. Persons so elected shall serve a term of four years and until their respective successors are elected and qualified. Election of members to the board of trustees of the Death Relief Fund may be held concurrent with the election of members to the Personnel Service Board as provided in the Code of Public Local Laws of Baltimore City, 1969 Edition, § 16-12.

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(f) "Judge" means a judge of a court. For the purpose of this subsection, a judge also includes any commissioner of the Workmen's Compensation Commission, and any master in chancery or master in juvenile causes appointed in any county by the circuit court for that county and who serves on a full-time basis as a