

(VIII) 2 SHALL BE REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE HEALTH CARE INDUSTRY, INCLUDING THE PHARMACEUTICAL INDUSTRY AND THIRD PARTY PAYORS; AND

(IX) 2 SHALL BE ARTHRITIC PATIENTS OR FAMILY MEMBERS OF ARTHRITIC PATIENTS.

(B) (1) THE TERM OF A MEMBER IS 4 YEARS.

(2) THE TERMS OF MEMBERS ARE STAGGERED AS REQUIRED BY THE TERMS PROVIDED FOR MEMBERS OF THE COMMISSION ON JULY 1, 1989.

(3) AT THE END OF A TERM, A MEMBER CONTINUES TO SERVE UNTIL A SUCCESSOR IS APPOINTED AND QUALIFIES.

(4) A MEMBER WHO IS APPOINTED AFTER A TERM HAS BEGUN SERVES ONLY FOR THE REST OF THE TERM AND UNTIL A SUCCESSOR IS APPOINTED AND QUALIFIES.

(C) THE GOVERNOR MAY REMOVE A MEMBER FOR INCOMPETENCE OR MISCONDUCT.

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FROM AMONG THE MEMBERS OF THE STATE COMMISSION, THE GOVERNOR SHALL APPOINT A CHAIRMAN FOR A 2-YEAR TERM.

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(A) A MAJORITY OF THE MEMBERS THEN SERVING ON THE COMMISSION IS A QUORUM.

(B) THE COMMISSION SHALL DETERMINE THE TIMES AND PLACES OF ITS MEETINGS.

(C) A MEMBER OF THE COMMISSION:

(1) MAY NOT RECEIVE COMPENSATION; BUT

(2) IS ENTITLED TO REIMBURSEMENT FOR EXPENSES UNDER THE STANDARD STATE TRAVEL REGULATIONS, AS PROVIDED IN THE STATE BUDGET.

(D) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL PROVIDE SUFFICIENT STAFF FOR THE COMMISSION TO ALLOW IT TO CARRY OUT ITS RESPONSIBILITIES UNDER THIS SUBTITLE.

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IN ADDITION TO THE POWERS AND DUTIES SET FORTH ELSEWHERE IN THIS SUBTITLE, THE COMMISSION HAS THE FOLLOWING POWERS AND DUTIES: