

(3) BY ANY OFFICER, DIRECTOR, OR EMPLOYEE OF THE FORMER MARYLAND SAVINGS-SHARE INSURANCE CORPORATION.

(C) NOTHING HEREIN CONTAINED SHALL BE CONSTRUED TO RESTRICT THE CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION CURRENTLY BEING CONDUCTED BY THE OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, AS AUTHORIZED BY THE GOVERNOR, ON THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS SUBTITLE. THE ATTORNEY GENERAL SHALL PROVIDE THE SPECIAL COUNSEL WITH ALL OF THE INFORMATION RELATED TO THE INVESTIGATION THAT IS REQUESTED BY THE SPECIAL COUNSEL, UNLESS SUCH DISCLOSURE IS PRECLUDED BY LAW.

(D) (1) (I) THE SPECIAL COUNSEL MAY ISSUE A SUBPOENA TO A PERSON TO REQUIRE THE APPEARANCE OF THE PERSON OR THE PRODUCTION OF TELEPHONE, BUSINESS, GOVERNMENTAL, OR CORPORATE RECORDS OR DOCUMENTS.

(II) THE SPECIAL COUNSEL MAY ADMINISTER OATHS AND AFFIRMATIONS.

(2) (I) A SUBPOENA ISSUED UNDER THIS SUBSECTION MAY BE SERVED IN THE SAME MANNER AS IF ISSUED FROM A CIRCUIT COURT.

(II) IF ANY PERSON FAILS TO OBEY A SUBPOENA LAWFULLY SERVED UNDER THIS SUBSECTION, THE SPECIAL COUNSEL IMMEDIATELY MAY REPORT THE DISOBEDIENCE AND PROVIDE A COPY OF THE SUBPOENA AND PROOF OF SERVICE TO A CIRCUIT COURT.

(III) THE CIRCUIT COURT SHALL CONDUCT A HEARING AND MAY GRANT APPROPRIATE RELIEF AFTER PROVIDING THE PERSON WHO ALLEGEDLY FAILED TO COMPLY WITH A SUBPOENA AN OPPORTUNITY TO BE HEARD AND BE REPRESENTED BY COUNSEL.

(3) (I) A PERSON HAS THE RIGHT TO HAVE COUNSEL PRESENT DURING ANY CONTACT UNDER THIS SUBSECTION WITH THE SPECIAL COUNSEL OR HIS AGENTS.

(II) THE SPECIAL COUNSEL SHALL ADVISE A PERSON OF THE RIGHT TO COUNSEL WHEN THE SUBPOENA IS SERVED.

(4) THIS SUBSECTION IS NOT INTENDED TO ALLOW THE CONTRAVENTION, DENIAL, OR ABROGATION OF ANY PRIVILEGE OR RIGHT RECOGNIZED BY LAW.

(E) IF THE SPECIAL COUNSEL FINDS THAT AN ALLEGED VIOLATION OF THE CRIMINAL LAW SET-FORTH-IN, WITHIN THE SCOPE OF SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION, HAS OCCURRED, THE SPECIAL COUNSEL SHALL MAKE A CONFIDENTIAL REPORT OF HIS FINDINGS, TOGETHER WITH ANY RECOMMENDATIONS FOR PROSECUTION, TO THE GOVERNOR FOR REFERRAL TO THE APPROPRIATE PROSECUTOR.

(F) IF THE SPECIAL COUNSEL FINDS THAT CIVIL OTHER ACTION MAY BE WARRANTED, THE SPECIAL COUNSEL SHALL MAKE A CONFIDENTIAL REPORT OF HIS FINDINGS TO THE GOVERNOR, TOGETHER WITH RECOMMENDATIONS, ~~FOR INSTITUTING SUCH CIVIL ACTION TO THE GOVERNOR FOR APPROPRIATE REFERRAL~~ FOR APPROPRIATE ACTION.