

(2) -- 1 -- MEMBER -- SHALL -- BE -- A -- RESIDENT -- OF -- ANNE -- ARUNDEL COUNTY, CALVERT COUNTY, ST. MARY'S COUNTY, OR CHARLES COUNTY;

(3) -- 1 -- MEMBER -- SHALL -- BE -- A -- RESIDENT -- OF -- A -- COUNTY -- ON -- THE EASTERN SHORE OF THE STATE;

(4) -- 1 -- MEMBER -- SHALL -- BE -- A -- RESIDENT -- OF -- GARRETT COUNTY, ALLEGANY COUNTY, WASHINGTON COUNTY, FREDERICK COUNTY, OR CARROLL COUNTY, AND

(5) -- 1 -- MEMBER -- SHALL -- BE -- A -- RESIDENT -- OF -- BALTIMORE CITY, BALTIMORE COUNTY, HOWARD COUNTY, OR HARFORD COUNTY;

(A) THE AUTHORITY CONSISTS OF 5 MEMBERS APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR WITH THE ADVICE AND CONSENT OF THE SENATE. IN MAKING APPOINTMENTS TO THE AUTHORITY THE GOVERNOR SHALL ENSURE THAT THE GEOGRAPHIC AREAS OF THE STATE ARE REPRESENTED.

(B) THE GOVERNOR SHALL DESIGNATE 1 OF THE MEMBERS AS CHAIRMAN.

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

(2) THE TERMS OF APPOINTED MEMBERS ARE STAGGERED AS REQUIRED BY THE TERMS PROVIDED FOR MEMBERS ON JULY 1, 1986.

(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.

(5) UPON THE END OF THE TERM OF A MEMBER, OR UPON THE RESIGNATION OR REMOVAL OF A MEMBER, THE GOVERNOR SHALL APPOINT A MEMBER TO THE AUTHORITY WITH THE ADVICE AND CONSENT OF THE SENATE.

(D) THE GOVERNOR MAY REMOVE A MEMBER FOR INCOMPETENCE OR MISCONDUCT, OR FAILURE TO PERFORM THE DUTIES OF THE POSITION.

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(A) FIVE THREE MEMBERS OF THE AUTHORITY CONSTITUTE A QUORUM FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONDUCTING BUSINESS.

~~(B) -- EXCEPT FOR ACTIONS LISTED IN -- SUBSECTION -- (C) -- OF -- THIS SECTION, -- ACTIONS -- OF -- THE BOARD MUST RECEIVE THE AFFIRMATIVE VOTE OF AT LEAST 5 MEMBERS;~~

~~(C) -- ACTIONS OF THE BOARD MUST RECEIVE THE AFFIRMATIVE -- VOTE OF AT LEAST 6 MEMBERS IF THEY RELATE TO:~~

~~(1) -- CONDEMNATION;~~