

1. 3 SHALL BE ENGAGED ACTIVELY IN THE PRACTICE OF CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANCY; AND

2. 1 SHALL BE A FULL-TIME PROFESSOR OF ACCOUNTING AT AN ACCREDITED COLLEGE;

(II) 2 SHALL BE CONSUMER MEMBERS; AND

(III) 1 SHALL BE A LAWYER WHO:

1. PRACTICES LAW IN THE STATE;
2. IS IN GOOD STANDING WITH THE COURT OF APPEALS; AND

3. IS NOT A CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT.

(3) THE GOVERNOR SHALL APPOINT THE MEMBERS WITH THE ADVICE OF THE SECRETARY.

(B) QUALIFICATIONS.

EACH MEMBER OF THE BOARD SHALL BE:

(1) A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES; AND

(2) A RESIDENT OF THE STATE.

(C) OATH.

BEFORE TAKING OFFICE, EACH APPOINTEE TO THE BOARD SHALL TAKE THE OATH REQUIRED BY ARTICLE I, § 9 OF THE MARYLAND CONSTITUTION.

(D) TENURE; VACANCIES.

(1) THE TERM OF A MEMBER IS 3 YEARS.

(2) THE TERMS OF MEMBERS ARE STAGGERED AS REQUIRED BY THE TERMS PROVIDED FOR MEMBERS OF THE BOARD 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) A MEMBER MAY NOT SERVE MORE THAN 2 TERMS CONSECUTIVELY, BUT FOLLOWING THE 2ND TERM, MAY SERVE AGAIN AFTER AN INTERVAL OF AT LEAST 3 YEARS.

(E) REMOVAL.

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