

[6-202.

(a) The head of the Administration is the Maryland Port Administrator, who shall be appointed by the Secretary with the approval of the Governor.

(b) (1) The Administrator serves at the pleasure of the Secretary and shall report directly to him.

(2) Subject to the authority of the Secretary, the Administrator is responsible for carrying out:

(i) The powers and duties vested by law in the Administration; and

(ii) Those powers and duties vested in the Secretary and delegated to the Administrator by the Secretary.

(c) The Administrator is entitled to the salary provided in the State budget.]

6-202.

~~THERE IS A MARYLAND PORT ADMINISTRATION WHICH--IS--THE OPERATING-ARM-OF-THE-COMMISSION.~~

[6-203.

(a) The exercise of the powers and duties of the Administration is subject to the authority of the Secretary and, where applicable, the Maryland Transportation Authority.

(b) By regulation or directive, the Secretary or, where applicable, the Maryland Transportation Authority may require that the exercise of any power or duty of the Administration be subject to the prior approval of the Secretary or the Maryland Transportation Authority, as the case may be.

(c) The exercise of powers under this title is an essential governmental function of this State.]

6-203.

(A) THE HEAD OF THE ADMINISTRATION IS THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR.

(B) (1) THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR ~~IS RESPONSIBLE~~ SHALL REPORT DIRECTLY TO THE COMMISSION.

(2) SUBJECT TO THE AUTHORITY OF THE COMMISSION, THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR IS RESPONSIBLE FOR CARRYING OUT: