

(D) RESTRICTIONS ON CONSUMER MEMBER.

WHILE A MEMBER OF THE BOARD, A CONSUMER MEMBER MAY NOT:

(1) HAVE A FINANCIAL INTEREST IN OR RECEIVE COMPENSATION FROM A PERSON REGULATED BY THE BOARD; OR

(2) GRADE ANY EXAMINATION GIVEN BY OR FOR THE BOARD.

(E) OATH.

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

(F) TENURE; VACANCIES.

(1) THE TERM OF A MEMBER IS 5 YEARS AND BEGINS ON JULY 1.

(2) THE TERMS OF MEMBERS ARE STAGGERED AS REQUIRED BY THE TERMS PROVIDED FOR MEMBERS OF THE BOARD ON OCTOBER 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.

(G) REMOVAL.

THE GOVERNOR MAY REMOVE A MEMBER FOR INCOMPETENCE OR MISCONDUCT.

REVISOR'S NOTE: Subsections (a)(1), (2)(i), (ii)2 through 4, (iii), and (iv), (3), and (4), (b), and (f)(1) of this section are new language derived without substantive change from the second sentence of former Art. 56, § 523(a), the first through fifth sentences of (b), and the second sentence of (c).

Subsection (a)(2)(ii)1 of this section is new language added to conform to the practice in appointing the audiologist member since the enactment of a licensing law for audiologists.

Subsections (c) and (d)(2) of this section are new language that repeats the provisions of present Art. 41, § 8-102(d) and (e) and the second sentence of (c).

Subsection (d)(1) of this section is standard language added as an inherent and essential corollary to subsection (c)(4) of this section.