

DRAFTER'S NOTE:

Subsection (b) of this section is amended to reflect the establishment of the Department of State Police as a principal department of State government by Chs. 165 and 166, Acts of 1994 and to delete surplus language.

9-222.

(a) In this Part IV of this subtitle "police officer" means:

(1) any uniformed police officer; or

(2) any civilian employee of the DEPARTMENT OF [Maryland] State Police or of the Maryland Transportation Authority Police Force assigned to enforce this Part IV of this subtitle or any rule or regulation adopted under this Part IV of this subtitle, but only while acting under written authorization of the [Superintendent] SECRETARY of the [Maryland] State Police.

(b) (2) A civilian employee of the Maryland Transportation Authority Police Force shall have the authority stated in paragraph (1) of this subsection only if the individual is:

(i) acting under the immediate direction and control of a uniformed police officer; and

(ii) certified by the DEPARTMENT OF [Maryland] State Police to enforce this Part IV of this subtitle and any rule or regulation adopted under it.

DRAFTER'S NOTE:

Subsections (a) and (b)(2) of this section are amended to reflect the establishment of the Department of State Police as a principal department of State government by Chs. 165 and 166, Acts of 1994, to reflect the status of the head of the Department as a Secretary of a principal department of State government, and to delete surplus language.

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4-208.

(c) (1) In consultation with the [Superintendent] SECRETARY of the [Maryland] State Police and the Maryland Police Training Commission, the Secretary OF TRANSPORTATION shall adopt standards, qualifications, and prerequisites of character, training, education, human and public relations, and experience for Maryland Transportation Authority police officers, including standards for the performance of their duties.

(2) To the extent practicable, the Secretary OF TRANSPORTATION shall adopt standards that are similar to the standards adopted for the DEPARTMENT of [Maryland] State Police.