## SUBTITLE 2. RESPONSIBILITIES OF APPOINTING AUTHORITIES IN STATE PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM.

6-201.

THIS SUBTITLE ONLY APPLIES TO THE APPOINTING AUTHORITIES OF UNITS WHOSE EMPLOYEES ARE GOVERNED BY THE STATE PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM LAWS.

6-202.

- (A) AN APPOINTING AUTHORITY SHALL TAKE ANY PERSONNEL ACTION GOVERNED BY DIVISION I OF THIS ARTICLE CONSISTENT WITH THE PROVISIONS OF DIVISION I AND THE REGULATIONS REGULATIONS, GUIDELINES, POLICIES, AND PROCEDURES ADOPTED UNDER IT.
- (B) AN APPOINTING AUTHORITY SHALL COOPERATE WITH THE SECRETARY TO ENSURE THAT DIVISION I OF THIS ARTICLE IS PROPERLY ENFORCED.
  6–203.

AN APPOINTING AUTHORITY MAY APPOINT AN EMPLOYEE TO A POSITION IN THE SKILLED SERVICE, PROFESSIONAL SERVICE, MANAGEMENT SERVICE, OR EXECUTIVE SERVICE ONLY IF THE POSITION HAS BEEN ASSIGNED TO A CLASS IN ACCORDANCE WITH TITLE 4, SUBTITLE 2 OF THIS ARTICLE.

SUBTITLE 3. POSITIONS IN STATE PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM. [ 1–202.] 6–301.

Except to the extent otherwise provided by law, the following positions in State government are excluded from the State Personnel Management System:

- (1) [any] A position to which an individual is elected by popular vote; and
- (2) [any] A position to which an individual's election or appointment is provided for by the Maryland Constitution.

[1-203.] 6-302.

- (a) Except as provided in this subsection or otherwise by law, all positions in the executive branch of State government are in the State Personnel Management System[, including all classified service, unclassified service, full-time, part-time, permanent, temporary extra, emergency, and contractual employees].
- (b) Except to the extent otherwise provided by law, [any position] ALL POSITIONS in a unit in the executive branch of State government with an independent personnel system [is] ARE excluded from the State Personnel Management System.

[1-204.] 6-303.

All positions in the judicial branch of State government are excluded from the State Personnel Management System except: