

THE MANNER OF ELECTION SHALL BE AS EACH COMMITTEE DETERMINES.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section formerly was Art. 41, § 4-1102(g).

The only changes are in style.

Defined term: "Committee" § 10-401

10-405. QUORUM; MEETINGS; COMPENSATION.

(A) QUORUM.

A MAJORITY OF THE MEMBERS THEN SERVING ON A COMMITTEE IS A QUORUM.

(B) MEETINGS.

(1) EACH COMMITTEE SHALL MEET AT LEAST ONCE EVERY 3 MONTHS.

(2) THE MEETINGS OF EACH COMMITTEE SHALL BE HELD:

(I) IN A STATE CORRECTIONAL FACILITY IN A SPACE DESIGNATED BY THE MANAGING OFFICIAL OF THE FACILITY; OR

(II) IF A STATE CORRECTIONAL FACILITY IS BEING PLANNED, IN A LOCATION ACCESSIBLE TO THE MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE.

(C) COMPENSATION.

A MEMBER OF A COMMITTEE MAY NOT RECEIVE COMPENSATION.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 41, § 4-1102(h) through (j).

The Correctional Services Article Review Committee notes, for consideration by the General Assembly, that former Art. 41, § 4-1102(j), which is revised in subsection (c) of this section, does not authorize reimbursement of expenses for committee members. In the absence of source law that authorizes reimbursement of expenses for members of boards, commissions, and committees, etc., the usual practice of the Committee is to add standard language that authorizes reimbursement as provided under the Standard State Travel Regulations. See COMAR 23.02.01.01 through .12. However, such language has not been added to this section because the Committee is uncertain as to whether the Standard State Travel Regulations apply to citizens' advisory committees. The Standard State Travel Regulations apply only to expenses incurred for official business undertaken by "officials and employees of units of the Executive Branch of State government". See COMAR 23.02.01.01. The General Assembly may wish to clarify whether committee members are entitled to reimbursement for expenses.

Defined terms: "Committee" § 10-401

"Managing official" § 1-101

"State correctional facility" § 1-101