

2-1246 OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT ARTICLE, TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY SETTING FORTH ALL PERSONNEL POSITIONS, CLASSIFICATIONS, AND SALARIES IN THE COMMISSION AS OF THE END OF THE PRECEDING CALENDAR YEAR.

2-110.

(b) (1) (i) Subject to paragraphs (2) and (3) of this subsection, the costs and expenses of the Commission AND THE OFFICE OF PEOPLE'S COUNSEL shall be borne by the public service companies that are subject to the Commission's jurisdiction.

(ii) The costs and expenses shall be assessed as provided in this section.

(2) An appropriation for the costs and expenses of the Commission AND THE OFFICE OF PEOPLE'S COUNSEL shall be included in the State budget and paid from the State treasury.

(3) The State treasury shall be reimbursed from the money collected under this section FOR THE COSTS AND EXPENSES OF THE COMMISSION AND THE OFFICE OF PEOPLE'S COUNSEL.

2-203.

(a) The State budget shall provide sufficient money for the Office of People's Counsel to hire necessary staff in addition to the staff assistance that is provided under § 2-205(c)(2) of this subtitle.

(B) (1) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION OR OTHERWISE BY LAW, ALL PERSONNEL OF THE OFFICE OF PEOPLE'S COUNSEL ARE SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF THE STATE PERSONNEL AND PENSIONS ARTICLE.

(2) THE FOLLOWING ARE IN THE EXECUTIVE SERVICE, MANAGEMENT SERVICE, OR ARE SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS IN THE STATE PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM:

(I) THE PEOPLE'S COUNSEL;

(II) THE DEPUTY PEOPLE'S COUNSEL; AND

(III) ATTORNEYS THAT ARE IN THE MANAGEMENT SERVICE OR ARE SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS;

~~(IV) ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICERS THAT ARE SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS; AND~~

~~(V) ADMINISTRATORS THAT ARE IN THE SKILLED SERVICE OR ARE SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.~~

(C) THE COMPENSATION OF THE FOLLOWING PERSONNEL SHALL BE DETERMINED BY THE PEOPLE'S COUNSEL AND, IF POSSIBLE, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE STATE PAY PLAN:

(1) THE DEPUTY PEOPLE'S COUNSEL;