

(VII) ONE SHALL BE A REPRESENTATIVE OF STATE GOVERNMENT APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR;

(VIII) ONE SHALL BE THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, OR THE DESIGNEE OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, OF THE MARYLAND SCIENCE, ENGINEERING, AND TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION; ~~AND~~

(IX) FIVE SHALL BE REPRESENTATIVES FROM INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY COMPANIES OR ASSOCIATIONS WITH EXPERTISE IN INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY OR ELECTRONIC COMMERCE, APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR;

(X) ONE SHALL BE A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE MARYLAND INDEPENDENT COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY ASSOCIATION, APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR; AND

(XI) ONE SHALL BE A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE MARYLAND ASSOCIATION OF PUBLIC LIBRARY ADMINISTRATORS, APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR.

(b) The Governor shall appoint the [public] members SPECIFIED IN SUBSECTION (A)(2)(II) AND (IX) OF THIS SECTION with the advice and consent of the Senate.

(c) The term of a ~~public~~ AN APPOINTED member is 3 years and until a successor is appointed by the Governor.

(d) ~~Public members~~ MEMBERS APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR may be reappointed, but may not serve more than two consecutive terms.

(e) The terms of the ~~public~~ members APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR are staggered, as required by the terms provided for members of the Board on July 1, 1994 AND JUNE 1, 2000.

(f) A ~~public~~ member APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR 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) The Governor may remove any member for incompetence ~~or~~, misconduct, OR THE FAILURE TO ATTEND MEETINGS.

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(a) The Governor shall appoint the Chairperson of the Board.

(b) The Chairperson may appoint subcommittees as necessary to carry out the responsibilities of the Board.

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(a) In addition to any other powers granted and duties imposed by law, and subject to any restrictions imposed by law, the Board has the following powers and duties: