

(V) ~~A member shall hold office until a successor has been appointed.~~

~~[(2)] (3) (i) [2] TWO members of the Council shall be appointed by the President of the Senate of Maryland and 2 members of the Council shall be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Delegates of Maryland.~~

~~(ii) [2] TWO members of the Council at all times shall be members of the General Assembly of Maryland, [1] ONE a member of the Senate of Maryland appointed by the President and the other a member of the House of Delegates of Maryland appointed by the Speaker.~~

~~(iii) A member of the General Assembly who is appointed under this paragraph serves until a successor is appointed.~~

~~(IV) If a Council member appointed under this paragraph is not a member of the General Assembly, the member shall serve for a 3 year term in accordance with paragraph [(1)(ii)] (2)(III) of this subsection.~~

~~(e) In making the appointments, the Governor shall give due consideration to the recommendations made by the representatives of civic, educational and professional organizations concerned with or engaged in the production or presentation of the performing, visual or creative arts and shall provide balanced geographic representation.~~

~~(d) Members of the Maryland State Arts Council shall serve without compensation, but each member shall be reimbursed for necessary [traveling] TRAVEL and other expenses incurred in the performance of official duties in accordance with the Standard State Travel Regulations.~~

~~(e) The Council shall select annually from its membership a chairman, a vice chairman and a secretary treasurer.~~

2-605.

~~(A) [Meetings of the] THE Council shall [be called] MEET AT TIMES DETERMINED by the chairman or the Secretary.~~

~~(B) The Council shall meet at least 4 times annually.~~

2-606.

~~(a) The Council shall have the power and authority [necessary] to carry out the duties imposed [upon it] by this subtitle and subject to the approval of the Secretary, including [but not limited to the following]:~~

~~(1) Continuing all programs and activities and assuming all assets, liabilities, contracts, leases and other [such] obligations of the body formerly known as the Governor's Council on the Arts in Maryland[.];~~

~~(2) Adopting reasonable [rules and] regulations to [effectuate] CARRY OUT the provisions of this subtitle[.];~~

~~(3) Entering into contracts and agreements[.];~~