- (2) ONE SHALL BE THE SECRETARY OR A DESIGNEE FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND MENTAL HYGIENE;
- (3) ONE SHALL BE THE SECRETARY OR A DESIGNEE FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES;
- (4) ONE SHALL BE THE SECRETARY OR A DESIGNEE FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION;
  - (5) ONE SHALL BE FROM THE HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION;
- (6) ONE SHALL BE THE SECRETARY OR A DESIGNEE FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, LICENSING, AND REGULATION;
- (7) ONE SHALL BE THE SECRETARY OR A DESIGNEE FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT; AND
- (8) ONE SHALL BE THE SUPERINTENDENT OR A DESIGNEE FROM THE MARYLAND SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF; AND
  - (9) EIGHT SHALL BE FROM THE GENERAL PUBLIC.
- $\underline{\rm (D)}$   $\underline{\rm (1)}$   $\underline{\rm THE}$  EIGHT MEMBERS FROM THE GENERAL PUBLIC SHALL BE CHOSEN FROM DIFFERENT GEOGRAPHICAL AREAS OF THE STATE.
  - (2) OF THE EIGHT MEMBERS FROM THE GENERAL PUBLIC:
    - (I) FIVE SHALL BE DEAF AND HARD OF HEARING INDIVIDUALS:
- OR EXPERTISE RELATING TO SERVICES TO DEAF AND HARD OF HEARING INDIVIDUALS;
- (IV) ONE SHALL BE FROM A PRIVATE AGENCY PROVIDING SERVICES
  TO DEAF AND HARD OF HEARING INDIVIDUALS.
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  - (A) THE TERM OF A MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL IS 3 YEARS.
- (B) THE TERMS OF THE MEMBERS ARE STAGGERED AS REQUIRED BY THE TERMS PROVIDED FOR MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL ON OCTOBER 1, 2001.
- (C) AT THE END OF A TERM, A MEMBER CONTINUES TO SERVE UNTIL A SUCCESSOR IS APPOINTED AND QUALIFIES.
- (D) A MEMBER WHO IS APPOINTED AFTER A TERM HAS BEGUN SERVES ONLY FOR THE REST OF THE TERM AND UNTIL A SUCCESSOR IS APPOINTED AND QUALIFIES.
- $\underline{\text{(E)}}$  A MEMBER MAY NOT SERVE CONSECUTIVELY MORE THAN TWO 3–YEAR TERMS.