

(2) OF THE 13 MEMBERS:

(I) ONE MEMBER SHALL REPRESENT A TELEPHONE COMPANY OPERATING IN THE STATE;

(II) ONE MEMBER SHALL REPRESENT THE WIRELESS TELEPHONE INDUSTRY IN THE STATE;

(III) ONE MEMBER SHALL REPRESENT THE MARYLAND INSTITUTE FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES SYSTEMS;

(IV) ONE MEMBER SHALL REPRESENT THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE POLICE;

(V) ONE MEMBER SHALL REPRESENT THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION;

(VI) ONE MEMBER SHALL REPRESENT THE ASSOCIATION OF PUBLIC-SAFETY COMMUNICATIONS OFFICIALS INTERNATIONAL, INC.;

(VII) TWO MEMBERS SHALL REPRESENT COUNTY FIRE SERVICES IN THE STATE, WITH ONE MEMBER REPRESENTING CAREER FIRE SERVICES AND ONE MEMBER REPRESENTING VOLUNTEER FIRE SERVICES;

(VIII) ONE MEMBER SHALL REPRESENT POLICE SERVICES IN THE STATE;

(IX) ONE MEMBER SHALL REPRESENT EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT SERVICES IN THE STATE; AND

(X) THREE MEMBERS SHALL REPRESENT THE PUBLIC.

(3) THE GOVERNOR SHALL APPOINT THE MEMBERS WITH THE ADVICE AND CONSENT OF THE SENATE.

(C) TENURE; VACANCIES.

(1) THE TERM OF A MEMBER IS 4 YEARS AND BEGINS ON JULY 1.

(2) THE TERMS OF THE MEMBERS ARE STAGGERED AS REQUIRED BY THE TERMS PROVIDED FOR MEMBERS OF THE BOARD ON OCTOBER 1, 2003.

(3) AT THE END OF A TERM, A MEMBER CONTINUES TO SERVE UNTIL A SUCCESSOR IS APPOINTED AND QUALIFIES.

(4) IF A VACANCY OCCURS AFTER A TERM HAS BEGUN, THE GOVERNOR SHALL APPOINT A SUCCESSOR TO REPRESENT THE ORGANIZATION OR GROUP IN WHICH THE VACANCY OCCURS.

(5) 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.

(D) CHAIRPERSON.