

~~(VI)~~ (V) ONE FROM THE AMERICAN SOCIETY OF CRIME LABORATORY DIRECTORS/LABORATORY ACCREDITATION BOARD; AND

~~(VII)~~ (VI) THREE DIRECTORS OF FORENSIC LABORATORIES IN THE STATE, INCLUDING:

1. ONE FROM A FORENSIC LABORATORY OPERATED BY THE STATE;

2. ONE FROM A FORENSIC LABORATORY OPERATED BY A COUNTY; AND

3. ONE FROM A FORENSIC LABORATORY OPERATED BY A MUNICIPAL CORPORATION.

(C) (1) THE TERM OF AN APPOINTED MEMBER IS 3 YEARS.

(2) THE TERMS OF APPOINTED MEMBERS ARE STAGGERED AS REQUIRED BY THE TERMS PROVIDED FOR APPOINTED MEMBERS OF THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON OCTOBER 1, 2007.

(D) THE GOVERNOR SHALL DESIGNATE THE CHAIR OF THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE.

(E) A MAJORITY OF THE MEMBERS SERVING ON THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE REPRESENTS A QUORUM TO CONDUCT BUSINESS.

(F) A MEMBER OF THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE MAY NOT RECEIVE COMPENSATION BUT IS ENTITLED TO REIMBURSEMENT FOR EXPENSES UNDER THE STANDARD STATE TRAVEL REGULATIONS, AS PROVIDED IN THE STATE BUDGET.

(G) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL PROVIDE STAFF FOR THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE.

~~17-2A-16.~~

~~(A) THERE IS A SPECIAL FUND CALLED THE MARYLAND FORENSIC LABORATORY IMPROVEMENT FUND.~~

~~(B) THE FUND SHALL CONTAIN SUCH FUNDS AS PROVIDED IN THE STATE BUDGET.~~