

(2) (I) {2 members} ~~1 MEMBER~~ of the Council [at all times shall be members of the General Assembly of Maryland, 1 of whom] shall be appointed by the President of the Senate of Maryland and [the other of whom] ~~1 MEMBER~~ 2 MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL shall be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Delegates of Maryland.

(II) 2 MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL AT ALL TIMES SHALL BE MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, 1 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. A MEMBER SHALL HOLD OFFICE UNTIL A SUCCESSOR HAS BEEN APPOINTED AS PROVIDED UNDER THIS PARAGRAPH.

(III) A MEMBER OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY WHO IS APPOINTED UNDER THIS PARAGRAPH SERVES UNTIL A SUCCESSOR IS APPOINTED. 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) OF THIS SUBSECTION.

(c) In making [his] THE appointments, the Governor shall give due consideration to the recommendations made [to him] 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 [his] necessary traveling and other expenses incurred in the performance of [his] 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.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act is an emergency measure, is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety, has been passed by a yea and nay vote supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, and shall take effect from the date it is enacted.

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