

[(d)] (F) Before taking office, each appointee to the Board shall take the oath required by Article I, § 9 of the State Constitution.

[(e)] (G) (1) The term of a member is 4 years, except that the initial term of one of the consumer members is 3 years.

(2) The terms of members are staggered as required by the terms provided for members of the Board on July 1, 1988.

(3) At the end of a term, a member continues to serve until a successor is appointed and qualifies.

[(f)] (H) If a vacancy occurs as to a member, the Governor shall appoint a new member to serve only for the rest of the term and until a successor is appointed and qualifies.

[(g)] (I) (1) On the recommendation of the Board, the Secretary may remove any member of the Board for neglect of duty, misconduct, malfeasance, or misfeasance in office.

(2) The Governor may remove a member for incompetence or misconduct.

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(d) (1) The Secretary may employ a staff for the Board in accordance with the State budget. The Secretary may designate one of the staff as an executive director.

(2) STAFF HIRED AFTER SEPTEMBER 30, 1992 SHALL BE UNCLASSIFIED EMPLOYEES.

(3) THE SECRETARY SHALL DETERMINE THE APPROPRIATE JOB CLASSIFICATIONS AND GRADES FOR ALL STAFF.

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(a) Over the signature of an officer, the executive director, or the deputy director of the Board, the Board may issue subpoenas and administer oaths in connection with any investigation under this title and any hearings or proceedings before it.

(b) If, without lawful excuse, a person disobeys a subpoena from the Board or an order by the Board to take an oath or to testify or answer a question, then, on petition of the Board, a court of competent jurisdiction may punish the person as for contempt of court.

(c) If after due notice the individual against whom the action is contemplated fails or refuses to appear, nevertheless the Board may hear and determine the matter.

(D) (1) IF THE ENTRY IS NECESSARY TO CARRY OUT A DUTY UNDER THIS TITLE, THE BOARD'S EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OR OTHER DULY AUTHORIZED AGENT OR INVESTIGATOR OF THE BOARD MAY ENTER AT ANY REASONABLE HOUR A PLACE OF BUSINESS OF A LICENSED PHYSICIAN OR PUBLIC PREMISES.