

(2) BEFORE REMOVING A MEMBER, THE STATE BOARD SHALL SEND THE MEMBER A COPY OF THE CHARGES AGAINST THE MEMBER AND GIVE THE MEMBER AN OPPORTUNITY WITHIN 10 DAYS TO REQUEST A HEARING.

(3) IF THE MEMBER REQUESTS A HEARING WITHIN THE 10-DAY PERIOD:

(I) THE STATE BOARD PROMPTLY SHALL HOLD A HEARING, BUT A HEARING MAY NOT BE SET WITHIN 10 DAYS AFTER THE STATE BOARD SENDS THE MEMBER A NOTICE OF THE HEARING; AND

(II) THE MEMBER SHALL HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY TO BE HEARD PUBLICLY BEFORE THE STATE BOARD IN THE MEMBER'S OWN DEFENSE, IN PERSON OR BY COUNSEL.

(4) A MEMBER REMOVED UNDER THIS SUBSECTION HAS THE RIGHT TO A DE NOVO REVIEW OF THE REMOVAL BY THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR FREDERICK COUNTY.

3-5A-02.

(A) AN INDIVIDUAL WHO IS MARRIED TO AN ADMINISTRATOR OR TEACHER OF THE COUNTY BOARD MAY NOT BE ELECTED TO OR SERVE ON THE COUNTY BOARD.

(B) AN INDIVIDUAL WHO IS MARRIED TO A MEMBER OF THE COUNTY BOARD MAY NOT BE HIRED AS AN ADMINISTRATOR OR TEACHER BY THE COUNTY BOARD UNLESS THE INDIVIDUAL'S SPOUSE FIRST RESIGNS FROM THE COUNTY BOARD.

3-5A-03.

AT ITS FIRST MEETING AFTER THE FIRST TUESDAY IN DECEMBER, THE COUNTY BOARD SHALL ELECT A PRESIDENT FROM AMONG ITS MEMBERS.

3-5A-04.

THE PRESIDENT AND THE OTHER MEMBERS ARE ENTITLED TO THE COMPENSATION PROVIDED IN THE FREDERICK COUNTY BUDGET.

3-5A-05.

(A) ALL ACTIONS OF THE COUNTY BOARD SHALL BE TAKEN AT A PUBLIC MEETING AND A RECORD OF THE MEETING AND ALL ACTIONS SHALL BE MADE PUBLIC.

(B) THE COUNTY BOARD MAY TAKE ACTIONS IN CLOSED SESSION IN ACCORDANCE WITH § 10-508 OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT ARTICLE.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the terms of the appointed members of the Frederick County Board of Education serving on December 4, 2000 shall terminate as follows:

(a) The terms of appointed members which were scheduled to end on July 1, 2001 or July 1, 2002 shall terminate at the end of December 4, 2000; and

(b) The terms of appointed members which were scheduled to end on July 1, 2003, July 1, 2004, or July 1, 2005 shall terminate at the end of December 2, 2002.