

(II) ~~THE STATE'S ATTORNEY OF A COUNTY IN A MAJOR METROPOLITAN AREA;~~

(III) A REPRESENTATIVE FROM A ~~VICTIMS~~ VICTIMS' ADVOCACY GROUP;

(IV) A PERSON WITH A BACKGROUND IN CRIMINAL AND JUVENILE JUSTICE WHO IS A RECOGNIZED EXPERT IN THE FIELD; ~~AND~~

(V) ~~A PERSON FAMILIAR WITH COMPUTER SYSTEMS OR DATA PROCESSING~~ EXPERT;

(VI) A PERSON WHO IS A RECOGNIZED CHILD ADVOCATE WITH EXPERIENCE IN JUVENILE JUSTICE; AND

(VII) A PERSON WHO IS A RECOGNIZED CIVIL RIGHTS ADVOCATE WITH EXPERIENCE IN JUVENILE JUSTICE.

(D) ~~THE MEMBERS~~ A MEMBER OF THE COMMISSION MAY ELECT TO SERVE PERSONALLY ON THE COMMISSION OR MAY DESIGNATE ~~A MEMBER OF THEIR AN~~ AN INDIVIDUAL FROM THE MEMBER'S RESPECTIVE OFFICE, DEPARTMENT, OR AGENCY TO REPRESENT THEM THE MEMBER AND TO ACT FOR ~~THEM THE MEMBER~~ TO THE SAME EFFECT AS IF ~~THEY~~ THE MEMBER WERE PRESENT.

(E) (1) THE SECRETARY OF JUVENILE JUSTICE SHALL SERVE AS THE CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMISSION.

(2) FROM AMONG ITS MEMBERS, THE COMMISSION AT ITS INITIAL ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING SHALL ELECT A VICE CHAIRMAN.

(F) THE COMMISSION SHALL MEET AT THE TIMES THAT THE CHAIRMAN DETERMINES.

(G) A MEMBER OF THE COMMISSION:

(1) MAY NOT RECEIVE COMPENSATION; BUT

(2) IS ENTITLED TO REIMBURSEMENT FOR EXPENSES UNDER THE STANDARD STATE TRAVEL REGULATIONS, AS PROVIDED IN THE STATE BUDGET.

(H) STAFF SUPPORT FOR THE COMMISSION SHALL BE PROVIDED BY THE DEPARTMENT.

(I) ON SEPTEMBER 30, 2000, THE COMMISSION SHALL SUBMIT A REPORT ON THE RESULTS OF ITS INVESTIGATION AND STUDY, TOGETHER WITH ANY RESULTING POLICY RECOMMENDATIONS, TO THE GOVERNOR AND, SUBJECT TO § 2-1246 OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT ARTICLE, TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Section 2 of this Act shall remain effective for a period of 2 years and, at the end of September 30, 2000, with no further action required by the General Assembly, Section 2 of this Act shall be abrogated and of no further force and effect.