

(v) the Appalachian States Low Level Radioactive Waste Commission established in § 7-302 of the Environment Article;

(vi) except when a court is exercising rulemaking power, any court established in accordance with Article IV of the Maryland Constitution;

(vii) the Governor's cabinet, the Governor's Executive Council as provided in Title 8, Subtitle 1 of the State Government Article, or any committee of the Executive Council;

(viii) a local government's counterpart to the Governor's cabinet, Executive Council, or any committee of the counterpart of the Executive Council;

(ix) the governing body of a hospital as defined in § 19-301(f) of the Health - General Article; and

(x) a self-insurance pool that is established in accordance with Title 19, Subtitle 6 of the Insurance Article or § 9-404 of the Labor and Employment Article by:

1. a public entity, as defined in § 19-602 of the Insurance Article; or

2. a county or municipal corporation, as defined in § 9-404 of the Labor and Employment Article.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That:

(a) The provisions of this Act relating to the formula for determining annual appropriations for ~~the~~ The Maryland School for the Blind may not be implemented until the fiscal year beginning on July 1, 1999.

(b) The provisions of this Act created in § 8-315 of the Education Article relating to funding for the program of enhanced services for blind students who have severe disabilities shall be implemented for the fiscal year beginning on July 1, 1998.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That:

~~(a) Any person who is a member of the Board of Trustees when this Act becomes effective shall continue to serve on the Board of Trustees until the end of the person's term.~~

~~(b) Each~~ Subject to subsection (b) of this section, each vacancy occurring after the effective date of this Act shall be filled by a member appointed by the Governor and the Superintendent until the total number of members appointed by the Governor and Superintendent is five.

(b) The Governor and the Superintendent shall appoint any member of the Senate of Maryland or any member of the Maryland House of Delegates who serves on the Board of Directors on the effective date of this Act to fill any vacancy on the Board occurring after the effective date of this Act.