

(8) (I) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN PARAGRAPH (II) OF THIS ITEM OR OTHERWISE BY LAW, ALL PERSONNEL OF THE COMMISSION ARE SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF THE STATE PERSONNEL AND PENSIONS ARTICLE.

(II) THE FOLLOWING ARE IN THE EXECUTIVE SERVICE, MANAGEMENT SERVICE, OR ARE SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS IN THE STATE PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM:

1. EACH COMMISSIONER OF THE COMMISSION;
2. THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR;
3. THE GENERAL COUNSEL AND EACH ASSISTANT GENERAL COUNSEL;
4. THE PEOPLE'S COUNSEL;
5. THE COMMISSIONERS' PERSONAL STAFF MEMBERS; AND
6. EACH LICENSE HEARING OFFICER.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 78, §§ 16, 17, 18, and 19.

In subsections (a)(1) and (d)(3) of this section, the former reference to the Commission selecting a place for its office and retaining experts "from time to time" is deleted as inherent in the authority to perform those activities.

In subsection (c) of this section, the word "official", which formerly modified "seal", is deleted as surplusage.

In subsection (d)(1) and (7) of this section, the former reference to performing and delegating functions "under this article" is deleted. The Commission's staff performs the functions of the Commission wherever codified.

In subsection (d)(2) of this section, the former reference to hiring experts "to meet the needs" of the Commission is deleted in light of the broad authority of the Commission to hire experts "as ... necessary".

In subsection (d)(8)(ii) of this section, the former reference to the "[s]horhand reporter of the Commission" is deleted as obsolete.

In subsection (d)(8)(ii)6 of this section, the reference to each "license hearing officer" is substituted for the former reference to the "[t]axicab license hearing officer" to reflect the current title used by the Commission. See also, § 10-110 of this article.

Defined terms: "Commission" § 1-101

"Proceeding" § 1-101

"Rate" § 1-101