

- (5) purchasing carpets, equipment, furniture, and supplies;
- (6) protecting persons and property, including dispersing any assemblage that is unlawful, is dangerous, or obstructs free passage;
- (7) preserving and protecting the public peace, health, and safety; and
- (8) controlling pedestrian and vehicular traffic, including establishing of speed limits and parking and impoundment regulations for parking garages, surface parking lots, roads, and sidewalks that are owned or leased by the State and that are within the improvements, grounds, and multiservice centers.

4-605.

(a) (1) In accordance with the provisions of the State Personnel and Pensions Article, the Secretary may establish a POLICE AND security force to protect people and property on or about improvements, grounds, and multiservice centers under the jurisdiction of the Department, AND IN THE SURROUNDING AREAS OF THE BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS IN ANNAPOLIS AND BALTIMORE CITY AS DESCRIBED IN § 4-601(1) AND (2) OF THIS SUBTITLE.

(2) The POLICE AND security force may include sworn police officers.

(b) A member of the POLICE AND security force may not be involuntarily transferred from a site to another site.

(c) A member of the POLICE AND security force has the same powers as a sheriff or police officer under § 2-101 of the Criminal Procedure Article only if the member:

(1) meets the legal requirements set forth by the Maryland Police Training Commission; and

(2) is designated by the Department as a police officer.

4-606.

(a) In this section, "Chief of Police" means:

(1) as to improvements, grounds, and multiservice centers in the City of Annapolis, the Chief of Police of the City of Annapolis;

(2) as to improvements, grounds, and multiservice centers in Baltimore City, the Police Commissioner of Baltimore City; and