

5. THE SUBMISSION AND PROCESSING OF A PROPOSED PROGRAM AMENDMENT OR REFINEMENT; AND

6. PROVISIONS APPLICABLE TO AREAS REQUESTED FOR EXCLUSION FROM THE CRITICAL AREA;

(XV) IN CONSULTATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT, SURFACE MINING IN THE CRITICAL AREA; AND

(XVI) THE APPLICATION FOR AND PROCESSING OF A VARIANCE, WITH RESPECT TO:

1. AMENDING A VARIANCE APPLICATION;

2. ADVANCE NOTICE TO THE COMMISSION;

3. THE CONTENTS OF A COMPLETE VARIANCE APPLICATION;

4. ENSURING THAT COMMISSION RECOMMENDATIONS ARE MADE PART OF THE VARIANCE RECORD;

5. THE USE OF VARIANCE STANDARDS; AND

6. NOTICE OF A VARIANCE DECISION; AND

(2) PROVIDE FLEXIBILITY WHEREVER POSSIBLE IN ORDER TO ACCOMMODATE VARIATIONS AMONG LOCAL PROGRAMS.

(C) The members of the Commission who reside in the Atlantic Coastal Bays Watershed shall serve on any committee established under subsection (a)(4) of this section.

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(c) (1) (I) [At a minimum,] NOTWITHSTANDING ANY PROVISION IN A LOCAL LAW OR ORDINANCE, OR THE LACK OF A PROVISION IN A LOCAL LAW OR ORDINANCE, ALL OF THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS SUBTITLE SHALL APPLY TO, AND BE APPLIED BY, A LOCAL JURISDICTION AS MINIMUM STANDARDS FOR a program sufficient to meet the goals [stated in subsection (b) of this section includes] OF THE CRITICAL AREA PROGRAM.