

**JOINT COMMITTEE ON MANAGEMENT OF PUBLIC FUNDS**

*Chairperson:* John R. Hargreaves

*Vice-Chairperson:* Laurence Levitan

Members of the Senate: Rosalie S. Abrams

Members of the House of Delegates: Joseph A. Chester, Sr., Gerard F. Devlin

The Joint Committee on the Management of Public Funds was created by Chapter 635, Acts of 1973. The Committee consists of six members, three from the Senate and three from the House of Delegates, appointed by the President and the Speaker. The chairperson and vice-chairperson are designated by the President and Speaker jointly and serve at their pleasure.

The functions of the Committee are to review policies and procedures of the State Treasurer regarding investment and management of State funds in the Treasury, State funds not in the Treasury (excluding retirement system funds), and public funds by local government.

The Committee reports annually to the General Assembly (Code 1957, Art. 40, secs. 92-96).

**MARYLAND COMMISSION ON INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION**

*Chairperson:* Lucille Maurer

*Vice-Chairperson:* John Carroll Byrnes

Members from the Senate: Tommie Broadwater, Jr., Julian L. Lapides.

Members from the House of Delegates: Thomas B. Cumiskey, Walter R. Dean, Jr., R. Clayton Mitchell, Jr.

Ex officio members from the Senate: James Clark, Jr., *President of the Senate*; Rosalie S. Abrams, *Majority Floor Leader*; Edward J. Mason, *Minority Floor Leader*.

Ex officio members from the House of Delegates: Benjamin L. Cardin, *Speaker of the House of Delegates*; Donald B. Robertson, *Majority Floor Leader*; Raymond E. Beck, *Minority Floor Leader*.

Burton R. Hoffman, *President, Maryland Association of Counties, Inc.*

William E. Hanna, Jr., *Designee of the President, Maryland Municipal League, Inc.*

*Advisory Committee:* Thomas E. Schmidt, *Secretary, Department of Budget and Fiscal Planning*; vacancy, *Executive Assistant to the Governor*; vacancy, *Assistant Attorney General*; Carl T. Richards, *Director, Maryland National Relations Office*; Constance Lieder, *Secretary, Department of State Planning*.

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The Maryland Commission on Intergovernmental Cooperation, originally created by Chapter 331, Acts of 1937, had its membership reconstituted by Chapter 37, Acts of 1964, by Chapter 34, Acts of 1975, and by Chapter 281, Acts of 1976. The Commission consists of eighteen members appointed by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Delegates. Eight members are selected from the Senate and eight from the House of Delegates. These members include the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Delegates, and the majority and minority leaders of both Houses, all of whom serve ex officio. Appointments to the Commission are at the pleasure of the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House, who also designate the chairperson and vice-chairperson. Two members of the Commission are the President of the Maryland Association of Counties, Inc., and the President of the Maryland Municipal League, Inc., or their designees.

The Advisory Committee consists of five members, two of whom are appointed by the Governor. The other members are the Secretary of Budget and Fiscal Planning or an alternate, the Secretary of State Planning or an alternate, and the Attorney General or an alternate.

It is the function of this Commission to carry further the involvement of the State of Maryland as a member of The Council of State Governments. The Commission participates in activities of the National Conference of State Legislatures and the Southern Legislative Conference of The Council of State Governments. It encourages the cooperative exchange of information and research with officials and employees of other states, the federal government, and local units of government. It fosters and maintains contacts and liaison with agencies and representatives of the federal government concern-