1992; Elizabeth Scanlan, R.N., 1992; Robert H. Shimer, 1992; Thomas J. Baginski, 1993; Keith R. Fairfax, Jr., 1993; Michael J. Lavelle, 1993; Robert J. Smith, 1993; Robert N. Dempsey, 1994; Stephen D. Halford, 1994; James D. Mooney, 1994.

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In 1976, the Maryland Fire-Rescue Education and Training Commission was established within the State Board for Higher Education (Chapter 682, Acts of 1976). The Commission was placed under the Maryland Higher Education Commission in 1988 (Chapter 246, Acts of 1988).

The Maryland Fire-Rescue Education and Training Commission develops standards for fire, rescue, and emergency medical education and training in Maryland. The Commission develops and maintains a statewide master plan to coordinate an emergency services training system. For this purpose, the Commission collects and disseminates data and reviews research relevant to fire-rescue education. The Commission works in cooperation with the University of Maryland System.

The Commission consists of thirteen members appointed to four-year terms by the Governor with Senate advice and consent. The Governor designates the chairperson (Code Education Article, sec. 12-113).

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BOARD OF DIRECTORS
H. Palmer Hopkins, *Chairperson,* 1994
Marge Stanley, *Vice-Chairperson,* 1992

Appointed by Governor (who also designates chair & vice-chair) with Senate advice & consent: William S. Phelps, 1992; Carl W. Stearn, 1992; Robert J. Davis, 1994; David H. Nevins, 1994; June E. Streckfus, 1996; Kathryn C. Turner, 1996; Margie B. Warres, 1996.

Ex officio: Ronald A. Phipps, designee of Secretary of Higher Education; Janice Breslin Doyle, Director, State Scholarship Administration; Ulysses S. Glee, designee of Chancellor, University of Maryland System.

James A. Leamer, Jr., *Executive Director*

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LENDING SERVICES
Harry E. Knapp, *Director* . . .333-6555

The Maryland Higher Education Loan Corporation was created in 1963 (Chapter 589, Acts of 1963). The Corporation lends money or directly guarantees loans made by approved lenders to State residents who attend or plan to attend colleges or vocational, trade and technical schools. Aid may extend to dependent undergraduate, graduate, or professional students; independent undergraduates; or the parents of such students to help meet students' educational expenses. Eligible displaced homemakers also may receive such aid (Chapter 773, Acts of 1984).

The Corporation establishes rules and regulations for the grant, administration, and repayment of student loans. It also may accept gifts, bequests, and governmental appropriations or grants for its purposes.

In addition, the Corporation may enter into agreements with the U.S. Department of Education by which the federal government provides repayable advance funds to be added to the student loan reserve. Such agreements also may make Maryland residents eligible to receive a federal subsidy for part of the interest on their loans.

The Maryland Higher Education Loan Corporation is subject to the supervision and examination of the State Bank Commissioner.

The Corporation's Board of Directors has twelve members. With Senate advice and consent, the Governor appoints nine members for six-year terms. Three members serve ex officio. The Governor designates the chairperson and vice-chairperson (Code Education Article, secs. 18-1001 through 18-1014).