

## ARTICLE 89.

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1. The office of Commissioner of Labor and Statistics is hereby created. The Commissioner shall be appointed by the Governor, for a term of four

<sup>1</sup> As to the inspectors of steam boilers in the city of Baltimore to be appointed by the Commissioner of Labor and Statistics, see the act of 1916, ch. 207. (Baltimore City Charter, 1938 Ed., secs. 657-674.)

See art. 27, sec. 367, *et seq.*