

BALTIMORE COUNTY

CHAIRMAN OF]] THE COUNTY COUNCIL. THE TWO EXECUTIVE APPOINTEES SHALL NOT BE MEMBERS OF THE SAME POLITICAL PARTY. THE BOARD SHALL ELECT ONE OF ITS MEMBERS AS CHAIRMAN. THE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD SHALL EACH HOLD OFFICE FOR A TERM OF FOUR YEARS, COEXTENSIVE WITH THE TERM OF THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE AND SHALL CONTINUE IN OFFICE UNTIL THEIR RESPECTIVE SUCCESSORS ARE APPOINTED. VACANCIES ON THE BOARD SHALL BE FILLED PROMPTLY FOR THE UNEXPIRED TERM THEREOF BY WHICHEVER APPOINTING AUTHORITY APPOINTED THE MEMBER WHOSE POSITION IS BEING FILLED. MEMBERS OF THE BOARD SHALL BE ELIGIBLE FOR REAPPOINTMENT. NO OFFICER OR EMPLOYEE OF BALTIMORE COUNTY OR CANDIDATE FOR PUBLIC OFFICE SHALL BE ELIGIBLE TO SERVE ON THE BOARD. EACH MEMBER OF THE BOARD SHALL RECEIVE PER DIEM COMPENSATION AS PROVIDED IN THE BUDGET FOR EACH DAY ACTUALLY ENGAGED IN THE DISCHARGE OF THAT MEMBER'S OFFICIAL DUTIES, AS WELL AS REIMBURSEMENT FOR ALL NECESSARY AND PROPER EXPENSES. THE BOARD SHALL HAVE SUCH STAFF AS PROVIDED IN THE BUDGET. MEETINGS SHALL BE HELD AT THE CALL OF THE CHAIRMAN, OR ANY TWO MEMBERS OF THE BOARD. TWO MEMBERS SHALL CONSTITUTE A QUORUM AND THE CONCURRENCE OF AT LEAST TWO MEMBERS SHALL BE REQUIRED FOR ANY ADVISORY DECISION OR OPINION RENDERED BY THE BOARD. WITHIN THIRTY (30) DAYS FROM THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS ARTICLE, THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE AND [[THE CHAIRMAN OF]] THE COUNTY COUNCIL SHALL APPOINT THE INITIAL MEMBERS TO THE BOARD TO SERVE UNTIL THE THIRD WEDNESDAY OF JANUARY 1975, OR UNTIL THEIR SUCCESSORS HAVE BEEN DULY APPOINTED, IF LATER.

(B) IT SHALL BE THE FUNCTION OF THE PUBLIC DISCLOSURE ADVISORY BOARD:

(1) TO RECOMMEND TO THE DIRECTOR OF FINANCE FROM TIME TO TIME, SUCH FORMS AS IT MAY DEEM ADVISABLE FOR USE IN THE FILING OF THE STATEMENTS REQUIRED BY THIS ARTICLE.

(2) TO INVESTIGATE COMPLAINTS OF ALLEGED VIOLATIONS OF THIS ARTICLE;

(3) TO REPORT VIOLATIONS OF THIS ARTICLE, WITH APPROPRIATE NOTICE THEREOF TO THE PERSON SO CHARGED, TO THE COUNTY SOLICITOR;

(4) TO ISSUE, UPON WRITTEN REQUEST OF ANY PERSON REQUIRED TO FILE A STATEMENT UNDER THIS ARTICLE, ADVISORY OPINIONS WITH RESPECT TO ANY MATTER IN WHICH SUCH PERSON IS INVOLVED CONCERNING THE APPLICABILITY OF THIS ARTICLE, BUT NO SUCH REQUEST, INVESTIGATION MADE PURSUANT THERETO, OR OPINION SHALL BE MADE PUBLIC WITHOUT THE CONSENT OF THE PERSON REQUESTING THE OPINION;

(5) TO ISSUE AND PUBLISH, UPON WRITTEN