NOMINEE, THE GOVERNOR MAY APPOINT ANY OF THE NOMINEES SUBMITTED.]] The Governor may reject the nominee [[OR ALL NOMINEES ONLY]] for cause, in which event the Commission shall submit another nominee [[OR ALL NOMINEES]]. The Governor, if he [reject] REJECTS the nominee [[OR NOMINEES]], shall state in writing to the Commission the reasons for his rejection. This statement is confidential, secret, and privileged; however, the Commission may make it public. A COPY OF THE STATEMENT SHALL BE FURNISHED TO THE NOMINEE. THE STATEMENT SHALL BE CONFIDENTIAL AND PRIVILEGED UNLESS SUCH PRIVILEGE IS DEEMED WAIVED BY THE NOMINATING COMMISSION BY THE ACTS OF THE NOMINEE IN PRESENTING TO THE PUBLIC THE REASON FOR HIS REJECTION.

(E) THE GOVERNOR SHALL EXERCISE HIS POWER OF APPOINTMENT OR REJECTION WITHIN 30 DAYS OF RECEIPT OF THE COMMISSION'S REPORT.

33F.

- (a) The Commission may reprimand or recommend to the Governor the removal from office of the State [[prosecutor]] Prosecutor if after a hearing, it finds that he is guilty of misconduct in office, persistent failure to perform the duties of his office, or conduct prejudicial to the proper administration of justice.
- (b) The proceedings, testimony, and other evidence before the Commission are confidential and privileged. However, the Commission, upon taking final action in the matter, may make its order and the proceedings, testimony and other evidence public.
- (c) The Commission is empowered to investigate allegations made against the State [[prosecutor]] Prosecutor which, if true, may warrant his removal or discipline, upon complaint or upon its own motion. It may conduct hearings, administer oaths and affirmations, issue process to compel the attendance of witnesses and the production of evidence, and require persons to testify and produce evidence by granting them immunity from prosecution, penalty, or forfeiture.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Section 34 of Article 10 — Attorneys at Law and Attorneys in Fact, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1968 Replacement Volume and 1975 Supplement) be and it is hereby repealed and reenacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

Article 10 - Attorneys at Law and Attorneys in Fact

34.

The State's [[attorney]] Attorney for each county and the City of Baltimore shall, in such county or city, prosecute and defend, on the part of the State, all cases