

The Secretary of Natural Resources and the Secretary of [Health and Mental Hygiene] THE ENVIRONMENT jointly shall:

(1) Develop and implement a comprehensive program to monitor the quality of the waters and living resources of the Chesapeake Bay;

(2) Cooperate with other states in the Chesapeake Bay region and with the United States Environmental Protection Agency and other State and federal agencies, as appropriate; and

(3) Report every 2 years to the General Assembly on the results of this monitoring program and the status of the resources of the Chesapeake Bay.

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(a) There is a Herring Run Public Watershed Association Commission.

(b) The Commission is composed of:

(1) The Secretary of Natural Resources or his designee;

(2) The Secretary of State Planning or his designee;

(3) The Secretary of [Health and Mental Hygiene] THE ENVIRONMENT or his designee;

(4) Two members from Baltimore City selected by the Mayor of Baltimore City;

(5) Two members from Baltimore County selected by the County Executive of Baltimore County; and

(6) Two members selected by the Baltimore Regional Planning Council.

(c) Of the six county and city members, there shall be at least:

(1) One member of the county or city legislative body; and

(2) One member of the General Assembly of Maryland.

(d) The Commission shall appoint an advisory committee composed of interested citizens and determine the number, terms, and qualifications of its members.

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