

5-502. CEASE FIRE COUNCIL.

(A) ESTABLISHED.

THERE IS A CEASE FIRE COUNCIL IN THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE POLICE.

(B) MEMBERSHIP; APPOINTMENT.

(1) THE COUNCIL CONSISTS OF 11 MEMBERS.

(2) OF THE 11 MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL:

(I) ONE SHALL BE THE SECRETARY OF JUVENILE JUSTICE OR A DESIGNEE;

(II) ONE SHALL BE THE SECRETARY OF STATE POLICE OR A DESIGNEE;

(III) ONE SHALL BE THE SECRETARY OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND CORRECTIONAL SERVICES OR A DESIGNEE;

(IV) ONE SHALL BE THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF CRIME CONTROL AND PREVENTION OR A DESIGNEE;

(V) TWO SHALL BE STATE'S ATTORNEYS WHO ARE RECOMMENDED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE MARYLAND STATE'S ATTORNEYS' ASSOCIATION, APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR;

(VI) ONE SHALL BE A SHERIFF, APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR;

(VII) ONE SHALL REPRESENT THE MARYLAND CHIEFS OF POLICE ASSOCIATION, APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR;

(VIII) ONE SHALL REPRESENT THE MARYLAND MUNICIPAL POLICE EXECUTIVES ASSOCIATION, APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR; AND

(IX) TWO SHALL REPRESENT THE PUBLIC, APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR.

(C) TENURE; VACANCIES.

(1) THE APPOINTED MEMBERS SERVE AT THE PLEASURE OF THE GOVERNOR.

(2) THE TERM OF AN APPOINTED MEMBER IS 3 YEARS.

(3) THE TERMS OF THE APPOINTED MEMBERS ARE STAGGERED AS REQUIRED BY THE TERMS PROVIDED FOR APPOINTED MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL ON OCTOBER 1, 2003.

(4) AT THE END OF A TERM, AN APPOINTED MEMBER CONTINUES TO SERVE UNTIL A SUCCESSOR IS APPOINTED AND QUALIFIES.

(D) CHAIRMAN.