

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 48, § 170.

In subsections (a) and (d) of this section, the former references to "definitions" and "rules" are deleted as included in the reference to "regulations". Similarly, in subsections (b) and (c) of this section, the former reference to "rules" is deleted. *See* General Revisor's Note to article.

Subsection (b)(2)(v) of this section is revised to reflect the current title of the Code that covers boilers.

In subsection (c) of this section, the former reference to regulations to be "promulgated" by the Commissioner is deleted as included in the reference to regulations "adopted" by the Commissioner.

Also in subsection (c) of this section, the reference to adopting regulations "in the same manner" as those of the Occupational Safety and Health Advisory Board is deleted because the regulations of that Board are not subject to approval by the Secretary. *See* LE Title 5, Subtitle 3.

In subsection (d) of this section, the reference to "amendments" to the Maryland Building Rehabilitation Code is substituted for the former reference to subsequent "revisions" to the MBRC for consistency with terminology used in this subtitle and Subtitle 10 of this title.

Defined terms: "Board" § 12-901

"Boiler" § 12-901

"Commissioner" § 12-901

"Pressure vessel" § 12-901

"Secretary" § 12-901

12-906. INSPECTORS — CHIEF BOILER INSPECTOR AND DEPUTY BOILER INSPECTORS.

(A) APPOINTMENT.

(1) WHENEVER THE POSITION OF CHIEF BOILER INSPECTOR OR DEPUTY BOILER INSPECTOR BECOMES VACANT, THE SECRETARY OF BUDGET AND MANAGEMENT AS SOON AS PRACTICABLE SHALL CONDUCT A COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH TITLE 7 OF THE STATE PERSONNEL AND PENSIONS ARTICLE.

(2) THE EXAMINATION SHALL BE THE SAME AS OR EQUIVALENT TO THE EXAMINATION GIVEN BY THE BOARD FOR SPECIAL INSPECTORS UNDER § 12-907 OF THIS SUBTITLE.

(3) WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE SECRETARY, THE COMMISSIONER SHALL APPOINT FROM THE SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES A CHIEF BOILER INSPECTOR OR DEPUTY BOILER INSPECTOR.

(B) DUTIES OF CHIEF BOILER INSPECTOR.

IF AUTHORIZED BY THE COMMISSIONER, THE CHIEF BOILER INSPECTOR SHALL: