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The State Board of Barber Examiners, originally created by Chapter 226, Acts of 1904, had its membership enlarged by Chapter 509, Acts of 1969, and again enlarged by Chapter 582, Acts of 1975. The Board consists of seven members appointed by the Governor with the advice of the Secretary of Licensing and Regulation for five-year terms. Five members of the Board must have been barbers for the last five years prior to their appointment. Two members represent the public. The Governor designates the President, Secretary, and Treasurer of the Board.

The Board examines and registers all applicants for barber licenses in the State of Maryland. It has authority to appoint subboards, with the approval of the Secretary of Licensing and Regulation, to assist in its inspection and licensing activities.

The Board has the power to make such rules and regulations as are reasonably necessary for the performance of its duties (Code 1957, Art. 43, secs. 311-325B).

BOARD OF ELECTRICAL EXAMINERS AND SUPERVISORS

Chairperson: Carolyn O'Hara, 1984

Secretary/Treasurer: John Baronowski, 1983

Lawrence H. Hall, 1981; James Synodinos, 1984;
Louis W. Volland, 1984.

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The Board of Electrical Examiners and Supervisors, established in 1906, consists of five members appointed by the Governor with the advice of the Secretary of Licensing and Regulation for two-year terms. Three members of the Board are practical electricians licensed in the City of Baltimore, one of whom is a member of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers of Maryland. The other two members represent the general public. All members of the Board must be residents of Baltimore City. The Board examines all persons for certificates of proficiency as master electrician. No one may install electrical lighting or wiring, or conductors for electrical light, heat, or power except under the supervision of a licensed master electrician. The Board also

adopts regulations for placing, installing, and operating electrical wires, appliances, and apparatus in Baltimore City (Public Local Laws of Baltimore City, 1969, Art. 3, secs. 1-18).

BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS

Chairperson: Walter K. O'Loughlin, 1983

Vice-Chairperson: Paul D. Belz, 1981

John C. Geyer, 1982; Dr. Arthur S. Jensen, 1984;
Earl L. Hagan, 1985.

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The Board of Professional Engineers, established by Chapter 752, Acts of 1939, consists of five members appointed by the Governor with the advice of the Secretary of Licensing and Regulation for five-year terms. Four members must be professional engineers and one represents the public. The engineers may be selected from lists of nominees recommended by the Maryland Chapter of the American Society of Civil Engineers, the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, the Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers, and the American Institute of Chemical Engineers. Professional engineers wishing to practice in the State of Maryland must apply to the Board for a certificate, supplying with their application evidence of their qualifications both in experience and training. The Board publishes annually a roster that contains the names of those authorized to practice as professional engineers. The Board is a member of the National Council of State Boards of Engineering Examiners, which aids in the reciprocal licensing of engineers and seeks to promote uniform standards of licensing in all States.

Through the cooperation of the local chapters of the engineering fraternities, the Board seeks to secure voluntary compliance with the law and the maintenance of the ethical standards of the profession. The Board also has specific powers of enforcement. These include the investigation of charges as well as the hearing of complaints of violations of the registration law, the power to subpoena witnesses and the submission of documents or other pertinent data, and the power to apply for relief by injunction to enforce the provisions of the law or to restrain any violation of it (Code 1957, Art. 75 1/2).