

**APPRENTICESHIP AND TRAINING COUNCIL**

*Chairperson:* Bernard A. Carpenter, 1992

Appointed by Governor with Senate advice & consent and advice of Secretary of Economic & Employment Development: Richard L. Kershner, 1989; Richard D. Beals, 1990; Joseph A. Boston, Jr., 1990; Jack F. Beck, 1992; Mary Podmasko, 1992.

Audrey Theis, *Director of Apprenticeship & Training*

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The Apprenticeship and Training Council was created in 1966 (Chapter 671, Acts of 1966). It was placed within the Department of Employment and Training in 1983 (Chapter 64, Acts of 1983). In 1987, the Council became part of the Department of Economic and Employment Development (Chapter 311, Acts of 1987).

The Council reviews and approves apprenticeship programs and fosters their development. It sets standards for registered apprenticeship programs.

The Council's nine members are appointed by the Governor with the advice of the Secretary of Economic and Employment Development and Senate advice and consent. Members serve four-year terms.

The Director of Apprenticeship and Training is appointed by the Secretary of Economic and Employment Development. The Director promotes apprenticeship and other forms of on-the-job training assisted by the Bureau of Apprenticeship and Training, U.S. Department of Labor, and other federal and State agencies (Code 1957, Art. 83A, secs. 3-401 through 3-408).

**APPRENTICESHIP INFORMATION CENTER  
ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

*Chairperson:* Vacancy

Appointed by Governor: Armilda Beard; L. Thelma Cook; Lorene Costantino; Lawrence Emge, Sr.; Michael Galiazzo; Myra L. Gary; Sherrie C. Harden-Kober; David Hertel; Earl Jones; Edward Kareski; Velma Martin; Donna May; Andrew Myer; Margaret Nusbaum; James Protzman; Richard Scott; Ellen Smith; Sandy Smookler; Michelle Taylor; Rebecca Tucker; Linda Wilkins; Edna Winik; J. W. Zebley, Jr.; C. E. Bo Zerhusen.

Apprenticeship Information Center

1100 N. Eutaw St., Room 204

Baltimore, MD 21201

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The former Department of Employment Security established an Apprenticeship Information Center in 1964 under the direction of the Bureau of Apprenticeship and Training, U.S. Department

of Labor. To assist the Center, the Governor and the Mayor of Baltimore City jointly appointed a Citizens Advisory Committee. In 1970, the Governor reactivated the Committee as the Apprenticeship Information Center Advisory Committee.

The Committee reviews laws and official decisions affecting apprenticeship. The Committee also promotes employment for youth as apprentices, consults and advises groups about apprenticeship, and encourages equal opportunity practices. The Committee advocates the establishment of formal apprenticeship programs and studies ways and means of providing apprenticeship jobs.

Appointed by the Governor, the Committee represents employer groups, labor, minorities, the public, and State and local government.

**OFFICE OF EMPLOYMENT SERVICES**

Paulette Hall, *Director*

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The Office of Employment Services, formerly the Maryland Job Service, provides a statewide public labor exchange to match employers with job seekers. The Office also carries out programs for Alien Registration, National Job Bank, Targeted Jobs Tax Credit, Statewide Vocational Counseling and Testing, Disabled Veterans Outreach, Local Veterans Employment Representative, Unemployment Insurance Work Test, Work Incentive, and Migrant and Seasonal Farm Workers.

**JOB SERVICE EMPLOYER COMMITTEE**

**STATEWIDE STEERING COMMITTEE**

*Chairperson:* John F. (Jack) Kralle

*Vice-Chairperson:* Bert Cooperstein

Richard Aarons; Esther F. Lupton; P. Howard Marshall; Andrew Mroz; Jean Paterson; George Weeks; Norman Yoder.

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The Job Service Employer Committee consists of a statewide steering committee and 19 local committees that audit and advise local Job Service offices.

**OFFICE OF UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE**

Thomas Wendel, *Executive Director*

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Baltimore, MD 21201

333-5306

The Office of Unemployment Insurance originated in 1936 as the Unemployment Compensation Board (Chapter 1, Acts of Special Session of 1936). The Board was superseded by the Department of Employment Security in 1937 (Chapter 314, Acts of 1937). The Department's Unemploy-