

Board or pass its examination before being registered and licensed to practice.

The Governor appoints the Board's seven members to five-year terms with the advice of the Secretary of Licensing and Regulation and with Senate advice and consent. Five members must be architects who have engaged in independent practice for at least ten years. At least three members must be graduates of approved schools of architecture. Two members represent the public. The Governor designates the chairperson. Authorization for the Board continues until July 1, 1993 (Code 1957, Art. 56, secs. 463-478).

#### STATE BOARD OF MASTER ELECTRICIANS

*Chairperson:* James Brown, 1989

Appointed by Governor with Senate advice & consent: Robert R. Miley, 1989; Donald L. Stegner, 1989; Dennet L. Butler, 1990; Wade H. Sheriff, Jr., 1990; Rudolph C. Worch III, 1990; Jack W. McCorkle, 1991; Calvin Mims, 1991; Francis X. O'Connor, 1991.

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The State Board of Master Electricians was created as the Maryland Statewide Electrical Licensing Board in 1984 (Chapter 731, Acts of 1984). The Board received its present name in 1988 (Chapter 648, Acts of 1988). The Board examines and licenses master electricians desiring to work on a statewide or multi-county basis.

With Senate advice and consent, the Governor appoints the Board's nine members. Six are master electricians and three represent the public. Members serve three-year terms (Code 1957, Art. 56A, secs. 2-101 through 2-702).

#### BOARD OF EXAMINING ENGINEERS

*Chairperson:* Lawrence L. Vallario, 1988

Appointed by Governor with advice of Secretary of Licensing & Regulation: Vincent J. Rose, Jr., 1988; Carol D. Stockley, 1989; Walter T. Stankowski, 1989; *one vacancy*.

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The Board of Examining Engineers dates to 1892 (Chapter 448, Acts of 1892). The Board examines applicants for certificates of proficiency to operate stationary or portable engines in Baltimore City. Certificates must be renewed biennially. The Board also may inspect industries and places of business where licensed engineers are employed to ensure compliance with the law.

The Governor appoints the Board's five members with the advice of the Secretary of Licensing and Regulation. Three members must be engineers with at least ten years of practical experience operating steam engines, boilers, and stationary or portable engines. Members serve three-year terms (Public Local Laws of Baltimore City, 1969, Art. 4, secs. 1-6).

#### STATE BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR FORESTERS

*Chairperson:* Tunis J. Lyon, 1991

Appointed by Governor with Senate advice & consent: Henry C. Daniels, 1989; John C. Houser, 1989; John F. Kundt, 1990; John E. Michel, 1992; Earl Sheble, 1993; *one vacancy*.

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In 1972, the State Board of Registration for Foresters was created (Chapter 638, Acts of 1972). The Board was assigned to the Department of Licensing and Regulation in 1974 (Chapter 4, Acts of the Special Session of 1973). The Board examines and licenses persons in the practice of forestry in Maryland.

The Board consists of seven members appointed to five-year terms by the Governor with Senate advice and consent. Five members must be registered professional foresters appointed from nominees of the Maryland Chapter, Society of American Foresters. They must have engaged in the practice of forestry for at least ten years prior to appointment. Authorization for the Board continues until July 1, 1994 (Code 1957, Art. 56, secs. 299-319A).

#### BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR HEARING AID DEALERS

*Chairperson:* Thomas A. Fisher, 1989

Appointed by Governor with Senate advice & consent: James Gerlach, M.D., 1989; J. Michael Canary, 1991; Michael Kahn, 1992; Victor S. Gladstone, M.D., 1993; M. Elizabeth Froehlinger Powell, 1993.

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The Board of Examiners for Hearing Aid Dealers originated in 1969 (Chapter 634, Acts of 1969). The Board registers and regulates persons furnishing hearing aids. It also tests audiometric testing equipment and inspects the facilities of persons who fit hearing aids.

The Board's six members are appointed to five-year terms by the Governor with Senate advice and