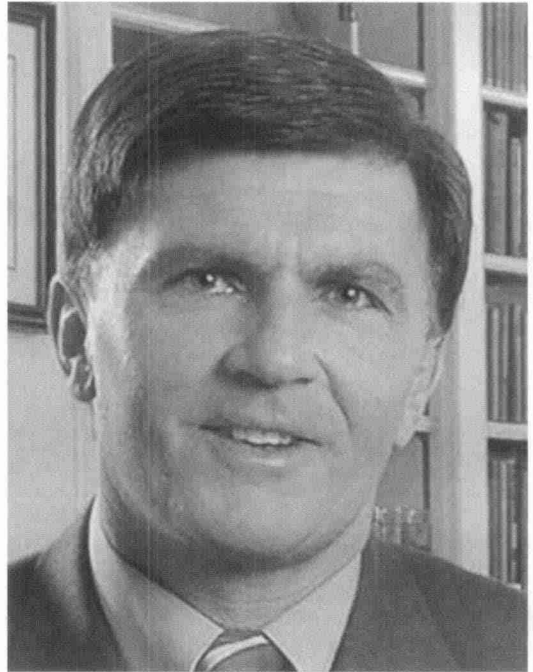

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ROBERT L. EHRLICH, JR.
Governor
(Republican)



Governor of Maryland since January 15, 2003.

Chair, Board of Public Works, 2003-. Chair, Governor's Executive Council, 2003-. Member, State Commission on the Capital City, 2003-; Maryland Environmental Trust, 2003-; Rural Maryland Council, 2003-; Maryland Veterans Home Commission, 2003-; Governor's Workforce Investment Board, 2003-. Member, Appalachian Regional Commission, 2003-; Education Commission of the States, 2003- (Maryland Education Council); Interstate Mining Commission, 2003-; Interstate Oil and Gas Compact Commission, 2003-; Interstate Commission on the Potomac River Basin, 2003-; Southern States Energy Board, 2003-; Susquehanna River Basin Commission, 2003-. Member, Southern Regional Education Board, 2003-. Member, Chesapeake Executive Council, 2003-. Member, National Infrastructure Advisory Council, 2003-.

Member of U.S. House of Representatives, January 1995 to January 7, 2003. Deputy Majority Whip, 1997-2003. Member, Energy and Commerce Committee, 2001-03 (environment & hazardous materials subcommittee; health subcommittee; telecommunications & the internet subcommittee); Congressional Steel Caucus, 1995-2003. Co-Chair, Congressional Biotechnology Caucus, 1999-2003. Member, Government Reform and Oversight Committee, 1995-96; Banking and Financial Services Committee, 1995-1996, 1997-98 (financial institutions & commercial credit subcommittee; housing & community opportunity subcommittee); Budget Committee, 1997-98; Speaker's Special Advisory Committee on Corrections, 1997-99; National Security Work Group, 1997-99; Commerce Committee, 1999-2001.

Member, House of Delegates, representing District 10 (Baltimore County) 1987-95. Member, Judiciary Committee, 1987-95; Tort and Insurance Reform Oversight Committee, 1991-93; Joint Committee on Legislative Ethics, 1991-95.

Member, Governor's Council on Child Abuse and Neglect, 1987-94; Maryland Juvenile Justice Advisory Council, 1990-93; Task Force on the Charles H. Hickey, Jr. School, 1991; Governor's Advisory Board for Justice Administration, 1994.

Born in Baltimore, Maryland, November 25, 1957. Attended Gilman School, Baltimore; Princeton University, B.A., 1979; Wake Forest University School of Law, J.D., 1982. Admitted to Maryland Bar, 1983. Attorney, Ober, Kaler, Grimes & Shriver, 1982-94. Member, American, Maryland State, Baltimore City and District of Columbia Bar Associations. Board of Directors, Exchange Club Center of Maryland. Member, Exchange Club of Towson, 1986-94; Chesapeake Bay Foundation; Izaak Walton League; Lodge no. 469, Towson Elks. Executive Committee, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, 1976-79; Princeton University Alumni Association of Maryland, 1987-90. Board member, Regional Manufacturing Institute. Guardian of Small Business, National Federation of Independent Business, 1987-90, 1995-96. Vice-Chair, National Republican Committee (finance), 1999-. Legislator of the Year, Maryland State's Attorneys Association, 1989; National Conference for the Pre-