

Subsection (b)(4) of this section also is added as standard language. It follows from the requirement that there be staggered terms. An inherent aspect of staggered terms is that they must begin and end at set intervals. For circumstances under which subsection (b)(4) of this section applies, see the General Revisor's Note to this article.

Subsection (a)(2)(i) of this section is revised to provide that either the Governor or a designee of the Governor is always a member of the Commission. The second sentence of former Art. 41, § 360(b), which enabled the Governor to "designate from time to time himself or ... the Secretary of State", could be read to include the Governor, or designee, as a member only when the Governor chose. This reading seemed unintended.

Defined term: "Commission" § 9-401

9-404. OFFICERS.

FROM AMONG THE APPOINTED MEMBERS OF THE COMMISSION, THE GOVERNOR SHALL APPOINT A CHAIRMAN.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from the second clause of the first sentence of former Art. 41, § 360(b).

As to the ex officio membership of the Chairman of this Commission on the Council on the State Capital, see § 9-705(1) of this title.

Defined term: "Commission" § 9-401

9-405. MEETINGS; COMPENSATION; OFFICES; STAFF.

(A) MEETINGS.

(1) THE COMMISSION SHALL DETERMINE THE TIMES AND PLACES OF ITS MEETINGS.

(2) THE PRESIDENT MAY DESIGNATE ANY SENATOR TO REPRESENT THE PRESIDENT AT A MEETING.

(3) THE SPEAKER MAY DESIGNATE ANY DELEGATE TO REPRESENT THE SPEAKER AT A MEETING.

(B) COMPENSATION AND REIMBURSEMENT FOR EXPENSES.

A MEMBER OF THE COMMISSION:

(1) MAY NOT RECEIVE COMPENSATION; BUT