

ARTICLE V.

REGIONAL AUTHORITY COMPOSITION; TERMS OF SERVICE; ORDER OF BUSINESS;
ACCOUNTING.

1. ~~(A)~~ (I) THE REGIONAL AUTHORITY SHALL BE COMPOSED OF 11 "VOTING MEMBERS," AS FOLLOWS:

~~(A)~~ (I) THE STATE OF MARYLAND SHALL BE ENTITLED TO THREE VOTING MEMBERS, TO BE APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR;

~~(B)~~ (II) THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA SHALL BE ENTITLED TO THREE VOTING MEMBERS, TO BE APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR;

~~(C)~~ (III) THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA SHALL BE ENTITLED TO THREE VOTING MEMBERS, TO BE APPOINTED BY THE MAYOR;

~~(D)~~ (IV) THE CITY OF BALTIMORE SHALL BE ENTITLED TO ONE VOTING MEMBER, TO BE APPOINTED BY THE MAYOR; AND

~~(E)~~ (V) THE WASHINGTON/BALTIMORE REGIONAL 2012 COALITION, A NOT FOR PROFIT CORPORATION CREATED FOR THE SOLE PURPOSE OF BRINGING THE OLYMPIC GAMES TO THE REGION, OR THE OCOG, SHALL BE ENTITLED TO ONE VOTING MEMBER, TO BE APPOINTED IN A MANNER CONSISTENT WITH ITS USUAL PROCEDURE;

~~(F)~~ (B) THE REGIONAL AUTHORITY SHALL CAUSE TO BE FORMED A REGIONAL AUTHORITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE, WHICH SHALL BE COMPRISED OF REPRESENTATIVES ("ADVISORY MEMBERS") FROM EACH OF THE LOCAL JURISDICTIONS SUBSTANTIALLY IMPACTED BY HOSTING THE OLYMPIC GAMES IN THE REGION, IN A MANNER TO BE DETERMINED BY THE REGIONAL AUTHORITY;

~~(G)~~ (C) REASONABLE EFFORTS SHOULD BE MADE TO ENSURE THAT APPOINTMENTS OF VOTING MEMBERS AND ADVISORY MEMBERS:

(I) ARE RESIDENTS OF THE REGIONAL COMMUNITY WITH RELEVANT AND USEFUL EXPERIENCE, AND WITH SUFFICIENT TIME TO DEVOTE TO THE DUTIES OF THE REGIONAL AUTHORITY, TO HELP FACILITATE THE SUCCESSFUL HOSTING OF THE OLYMPIC GAMES;

(II) REFLECT THE GEOGRAPHICAL DIVERSITY INHERENT IN THE REGIONAL NATURE OF WBRC 2012'S BID PROPOSAL; AND

(III) REFLECT THE CULTURAL, ETHNIC, AND RACIAL DIVERSITY INHERENT IN THE CHESAPEAKE REGION; AND

~~(H)~~ (D) VOTING MEMBERS SHALL NOT BE FINANCIALLY COMPENSATED FOR THEIR SERVICE ON THE REGIONAL AUTHORITY; SUCH SERVICE SHALL BE CONSIDERED VOLUNTARY. VOTING MEMBERS MAY BE REIMBURSED BY THE REGIONAL AUTHORITY FOR NORMAL AND CUSTOMARY EXPENSES INCURRED IN THE PERFORMANCE OF THEIR DUTIES.