

## Chapter 15

(Senate Bill 55)

AN ACT concerning

### **Business and Economic Development – Maryland Military Installation Council – Sunset Repeal, Membership, and Terms**

FOR the purpose of repealing the termination provision applicable to the Maryland Military Installation Council; removing certain limits on the terms of certain Council members; adding certain members to the Council; altering the membership of the Council; providing for the terms of certain appointed members; removing the requirement for the issuance of a final report by the Council; repealing certain contingent provisions; and generally relating to the Maryland Military Installation Council.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
Article – Economic Development  
Section 11–203(a) and (b) and 11–207  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(2008 Volume and 2009 Supplement)

BY repealing  
Article – Economic Development  
Section 11–203(c)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(2008 Volume and 2009 Supplement)

BY adding to  
Article – Economic Development  
Section 11–203(c)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(2008 Volume and 2009 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
Chapter 634 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2006  
Section 3

BY repealing  
Chapter 306 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2008  
Section 20 and 24

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

**Article – Economic Development**

11–203.

(a) The Council consists of the following members:

(1) three members selected by the President of the Senate of Maryland to represent community interests, of which:

(i) one shall be a member of the Senate; and

(ii) two shall be citizens representing communities adjacent to military installations;

(2) three members selected by the Speaker of the House of Delegates to represent community interests, of which:

(i) one shall be a member of the House of Delegates; and

(ii) two shall be citizens representing communities adjacent to military installations;

(3) the Secretary, or the designee of the Secretary;

(4) the Secretary of Transportation, or the designee of the Secretary of Transportation;

(5) the Secretary of the Environment, or the designee of the Secretary of the Environment;

(6) the Secretary of Planning, or the designee of the Secretary of Planning;

**(7) THE SECRETARY OF VETERANS AFFAIRS, OR THE DESIGNEE OF THE SECRETARY OF VETERANS AFFAIRS;**

**(8) THE ADJUTANT GENERAL OF THE MARYLAND NATIONAL GUARD, OR THE DESIGNEE OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL;**

**[(7)] (9)** the President of the Southern Maryland Navy Alliance;

**[(8)] (10)** the President of the Army Alliance;

[(9)] (11) the President of the ~~Naval Energetics Alliance~~ INDIAN HEAD DEFENSE ALLIANCE;

[(10)] (12) the President of the Maritime Alliance;

[(11)] (13) the President of the Fort Detrick Alliance;

[(12)] (14) the President of the Fort Meade Alliance;

[(13)] (15) the President of the Andrews Business and Community Alliance; and

[(14)] (16) five members selected by the Governor.

(b) (1) The President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Delegates shall each appoint three [new] members representing community interests to serve as members of the Council [from July 1, 2009, to December 31, 2011].

(2) The chair may appoint:

(i) additional members who are presidents of other military base advocacy groups that are not-for-profit organizations and recognized by the Department; and

(ii) ex officio members as necessary to address specific issues, including a representative of the Maryland National Guard.

[(c) Except as provided in subsection (b)(1) of this section, the term of a member of the Council appointed by the President of the Senate or the Speaker of the House of Delegates expires on June 30, 2009.]

**(c) (1) THE TERM OF AN APPOINTED MEMBER IS 4 YEARS.**

**(2) THE TERMS OF THE APPOINTED MEMBERS ARE STAGGERED AS REQUIRED BY THE TERMS PROVIDED FOR APPOINTED MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL ON JULY 1, 2010.**

11-207.

[(a)] On or before December 31 of each year, the Council shall report its findings and recommendations to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly.

[(b) On or before December 1, 2011, the Council shall issue a final report to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly.]

### **Chapter 634 of the Acts of 2006**

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 2006. [Section 1 of this Act shall remain effective for a period of 5 years and 7 months and, at the end of December 31, 2011, with no further action required by the General Assembly, Section 1 of this Act shall be abrogated and of no further force and effect.]

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Section(s) 20 and 24 of Chapter 306 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2008 be repealed.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the terms of the members appointed by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Delegates under § 11–203(b) of the Economic Development Article, as enacted by this Act, shall expire as follows:

- (1) two members in 2011;
- (2) three members in 2012;
- (3) three members in 2013; and
- (4) three members in 2014.

SECTION 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 2010.

**Approved by the Governor, April 13, 2010.**