

BY: Economic and Environmental Affairs Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 823

(Third Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 2, strike “ - Salaries”; in line 4, after the first “of” insert “establishing the position of executive director of the Board of License Commissioners for Prince George’s County; establishing certain duties of the executive director;”; in the same line, strike “chairman,”; in the same line, strike “administrator,”; in line 5, strike “, and” and substitute “and certain”; in lines 5 and 6, strike “for Prince George’s County;” and substitute “; setting the annual salary of the executive director; eliminating the position of administrator of the Board of License Commissioners;”; in line 6, strike “salaries of certain officials of the”; in line 10, after “Section” insert “15-101(r),”; in the same line, after “15-109(r)” insert a comma; and in the same line, strike “15-112(r)(3)” and substitute “15-112(r)(2) and (3)”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, after line 15, insert:

“15-101.

(r) (1) This subsection applies in Prince George's County.

(2) (I) THERE IS AN EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS.

(II) THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR SHALL BE APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR WITH THE ADVICE AND CONSENT OF THE SENATE.

(III) THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR SHALL MEET THE STANDARDS SET BY THE PRINCE GEORGE’S COUNTY MERIT BOARD AND SHALL BE CERTIFIED BY THE PERSONNEL DIRECTOR AS MEETING THESE STANDARDS.

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(IV) THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR IS ENTITLED TO THE PROVISIONS OF THE COUNTY MERIT SYSTEM.

(V) THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR HAS THE DUTIES SET BY AND SHALL REPORT TO THE BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS.

[2] (3) (i) The Board of License Commissioners consists of 5 members.

(ii) The Governor shall appoint 4 of the 5 Commissioners from the political party obtaining the highest number of votes in the last gubernatorial general election in the County, and the Governor shall appoint 1 Commissioner from the political party obtaining the next highest number of votes in County election.

(iii) Before making the appointments or filling any vacancy, the Governor shall request the central committees for Prince George's County representing each of the 2 leading political parties of the State to designate at least 4 eligible candidates for each position; and the Governor shall appoint one of the persons so designated unless in his judgment all of the persons are unfit or incompetent, in which case he shall file a written statement to that effect with the Secretary of State. The statement shall set forth the facts and the grounds therefor and shall call upon the committees for Prince George's County for another list of 6 names for each position to be filled, from which list and the original list the Governor shall make the appointments.

[3] (4) The term of a member is 3 years. The terms of the members are staggered as required by the terms provided for members of the Board on July 1, 1985.

[4] (5) Not more than 4 of the appointees shall belong to the same political party.”.

On page 1, in line 19, in each instance, strike the bracket; and in the same line, strike “\$18,530”.

### AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, in line 1, in each instance, strike the bracket; in line 2, strike “\$19,620”; after line 2, insert:

“(3) THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE BOARD SHALL RECEIVE AN ANNUAL SALARY THAT IS COMPARABLE TO OR THE SAME AS THE ANNUAL SALARY

OF THE CHIEF INSPECTOR.”;

in line 3, strike “(3)” and substitute “(4)”; strike in their entirety lines 4 through 9, inclusive; and strike beginning with the third “the” in line 18 down through “herein,” in line 19.

On page 3, strike in their entirety lines 1 and 2; in line 3, strike “(iv)” and substitute “(III)”; in line 5, strike “or (iii)”; after line 6, insert:

“(r) (2) The Board shall appoint [an administrator,] an attorney[, ] and all inspectors for the Board.”;

in line 7, strike “(r)”; and in line 24, strike “\$10,104” and substitute “\$10,427”.