

## Chapter 267

**(Senate Bill 172)**

AN ACT concerning

**Maryland Veterans Trust – Board of Trustees – Membership**

FOR the purpose of altering the membership of the Board of Trustees of the Maryland Veterans Trust to include the Secretary of Disabilities; and generally relating to the Board of Trustees of the Maryland Veterans Trust.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
Article – State Government  
Section 9–914(b)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(2021 Replacement Volume and 2024 Supplement)

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

**Article – State Government**

9–914.

(b) The Board of Trustees shall consist of the following ~~[11]~~ **12** members:

(1) the Secretary, ex officio, or the Secretary’s designee, who shall serve as the chair;

(2) the Secretary of Aging, ex officio, or the Secretary’s designee;

(3) the Secretary of Labor, ex officio, or the Secretary’s designee;

(4) the Secretary of Health, ex officio, or the Secretary’s designee;

(5) the Secretary of Human Services, ex officio, or the Secretary’s designee;

(6) **THE SECRETARY OF DISABILITIES, EX OFFICIO, OR THE SECRETARY’S DESIGNEE;**

(7) the Adjutant General of the Military Department, ex officio, or the Adjutant General’s designee;

~~[(7)]~~ **(8)** one representative of each of the following organizations, appointed by the Governor:

- (i) a veterans service organization;
- (ii) a nonprofit organization that serves veterans; and
- (iii) the business community;

**[(8) (9)]** a member of the House of Delegates appointed by the Speaker of the House; and

**[(9) (10)]** a member of the Senate appointed by the President of the Senate.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2025.

**Approved by the Governor, May 6, 2025.**