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The Joint State Government Commission was created in 1937 as the primary and central nonpartisan, bicameral research and policy development agency for the General Assembly of Pennsylvania.¹

A fourteen-member Executive Committee comprised of the leadership of both the House of Representatives and the Senate oversees the Commission. The seven Executive Committee members from the House of Representatives are the Speaker, the Majority and Minority Leaders, the Majority and Minority Whips, and the Majority and Minority Caucus Chairs. The seven Executive Committee members from the Senate are the President Pro Tempore, the Majority and Minority Leaders, the Majority and Minority Whips, and the Majority and Minority Caucus Chairs. By statute, the Executive Committee selects a chairman of the Commission from among the members of the General Assembly. Historically, the Executive Committee has also selected a Vice-Chair or Treasurer, or both, for the Commission.

The studies conducted by the Commission are authorized by statute or by a simple or joint resolution. In general, the Commission has the power to conduct investigations, study issues, and gather information as directed by the General Assembly. The Commission provides in-depth research on a variety of topics, crafts recommendations to improve public policy and statutory law, and works closely with legislators and their staff.

A Commission study may involve the appointment of a legislative task force, composed of a specified number of legislators from the House of Representatives or the Senate, or both, as set forth in the enabling statute or resolution. In addition to following the progress of a particular study, the principal role of a task force is to determine whether to authorize the publication of any report resulting from the study and the introduction of any proposed legislation contained in the report. However, task force authorization does not necessarily reflect endorsement of all the findings and recommendations contained in a report.

Some studies involve an appointed advisory committee of professionals or interested parties from across the Commonwealth with expertise in a particular topic; others are managed exclusively by Commission staff with the informal involvement of representatives of those entities that can provide insight and information regarding the particular topic. When a study involves an advisory committee, the Commission seeks consensus among the members.² Although an advisory committee member may

¹ Act of July 1, 1937, P.L.2460, No.459; 46 P.S. § 65; amended by the act of June 26, 1939, P.L.1084, No.380; the act of March 8, 1943, P.L.13, No.4; the act of May 15, 1956 (1955), P.L.1605, No.535; the act of December 8, 1959, P.L.1740, No.646; & the act of November 20, 1969, P.L.301, No.128.

² Consensus does not necessarily reflect unanimity among the advisory committee members on each individual policy or legislative recommendation. However, it does, at a minimum, reflect the views of a substantial majority of the advisory committee, gained after lengthy review and discussion.

represent a particular department, agency, association, or group, such representation does not necessarily reflect the endorsement of the department, agency, association, or group of all the findings and recommendations contained in a study report.

Over the years, nearly one thousand individuals from across the Commonwealth have served as members of the Commission's numerous advisory committees or have assisted the Commission with its studies. Members of advisory committees bring a wide range of knowledge and experience to deliberations involving a particular study. Individuals from countless backgrounds have contributed to the work of the Commission, such as attorneys, judges, professors and other educators, state and local officials, physicians and other health care professionals, business and community leaders, service providers, administrators and other professionals, law enforcement personnel, and concerned citizens. In addition, members of advisory committees donate their time to serve the public good; they are not compensated for their service as members. Consequently, the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania receives the financial benefit of such volunteerism, along with the expertise in developing statutory language and public policy recommendations to improve the law in Pennsylvania.

The Commission periodically reports its findings and recommendations, along with any proposed legislation, to the General Assembly. Certain studies have specific timelines for the publication of a report, as in the case of a discrete or timely topic; other studies, given their complex or considerable nature, are ongoing and involve the publication of periodic reports. Completion of a study, or a particular aspect of an ongoing study, generally results in the publication of a report setting forth background material, policy recommendations, and proposed legislation. However, the release of a report by the Commission does not necessarily reflect the endorsement by the members of the Executive Committee, or the Chair or Vice-Chair of the Commission, of all the findings, recommendations, or conclusions contained in the report. A report containing proposed legislation may also contain official comments, which may be used in determining the intent of the General Assembly.³

Since its inception, the Commission has published more than 350 reports on a sweeping range of topics, including administrative law and procedure; agriculture; athletics and sports; banks and banking; commerce and trade; the commercial code; crimes and offenses; decedents, estates, and fiduciaries; detectives and private police; domestic relations; education; elections; eminent domain; environmental resources; escheats; fish; forests, waters, and state parks; game; health and safety; historical sites and museums; insolvency and assignments; insurance; the judiciary and judicial procedure; labor; law and justice; the legislature; liquor; mechanics' liens; mental health; military affairs; mines and mining; municipalities; prisons and parole; procurement; state-licensed professions and occupations; public utilities; public welfare; real and personal property; state government; taxation and fiscal affairs; transportation; vehicles; and workers' compensation.

Following the completion of a report, subsequent action on the part of the Commission may be required, and, as necessary, the Commission will draft legislation and statutory amendments, update research, track legislation through the legislative process, attend hearings, and answer questions from legislators, legislative staff, interest groups, and constituents.

³ "The comments or report of the commission... which drafted a statute may be consulted in the construction or application of the original provisions of the statute if such comments or report were published or otherwise generally available prior to the consideration of the statute by the General Assembly." 1 Pa.C.S. § 1939.



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Administrative Staff: GLENN J. PASEWICZ Executive Director STEPHEN F. REHRER Counsel Dear Members of the General Assembly of Pennsylvania:

This report, *Staff Update to the 2003 Report on Gubernatorial Reports Requiring Senatorial Advice and Consent*, is presented as an update to the report released in March 2003. Over the past 12 years a number of changes have occurred that made this update necessary. The nature of the gubernatorial appointment system, however, is substantially the same.

This update provides the current alphabetical index of gubernatorial appointments, listing each by its agency (or position), statute, and term.

Respectfully submitted,

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Joint State Government Commission originally reported on the gubernatorial appointments requiring the advice and consent of the Senate in 1995. The report was updated in 1997, 1999, and 2003. A number of agencies and positions have been eliminated, modified, or created since 2003, necessitating another update. However, much of the background information remains applicable. This report includes enactments through March 31, 2015.

The table included in this report lists gubernatorial appointments requiring the advice and consent of the Senate. Appointments made by the Governor that do not require the advice and consent of the Senate are excluded from this list. Appointments that the Governor is authorized to make to fill vacancies in elected offices and other irregularly occurring appointments, regardless of any requirement of senatorial consent, are also excluded.

The first column provides the official name of the agency or position, and the table is alphabetized based on the contents of the first column.

The second column provides the citation to the specific act or section of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, as well as the citation in Purdon's Pennsylvania Statutes, that relates to the agency or position. When more than one section relates to the agency or position, the section relating to membership is provided.

The third column provides the number of appointments made by the Governor that require the advice and consent of the Senate, and excludes appointments made by the Governor that do not require the advice and consent of the Senate. For example, the act establishing the Pennsylvania Public Television Network Commission provides that the Governor appoints 15 members, who serve six-year terms, with the advice and consent of the Senate, and two members, who serve at the Governor's pleasure, that do not require the advice and consent of the Senate.⁴ The table therefore lists 15 members, rather than 17, in the third column.

The fourth column provides the term of the appointees. The descriptions of the terms are as close to statutory language as possible, although minor editorial changes have been made to improve readability and to reflect modern notions of political correctness. Many of the initial appointees' terms were different in length from their successors' terms in order to create staggered terms. The standard, ongoing term lengths are provided in the table rather than the varied, initial terms. The terms of appointments made to fill vacancies are also excluded.

⁴ Act of November 20, 1968, P.L.1075, No.329, § 2; 71 P.S. § 1188.2.

The concept of separation of powers, at its core, relies on the notion that a government functions best when power is not concentrated in a single authority, and instead is separated among different authorities or branches.⁵ The concept emerged during the Enlightenment in Europe, a period that began in the seventeenth century and lasted until shortly before the American Revolution.⁶ The framers of the US Constitution were informed by the Enlightenment, and had the benefit of a blank slate upon which they built a new government.⁷ They separated the power of the new government between three branches: the executive, the legislative, and the judicial.⁸ For example, the framers granted the president the power to make certain appointments, but limited the president's power by subjecting the appointments to senatorial advice and consent.⁹

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania did not subject executive appointments to senatorial confirmation until 1838, when it began to reflect the federal scheme insofar as it required senatorial advice and consent for gubernatorial appointments of all judicial officers of courts of record,¹⁰ and allowed laws to direct appointment of officers not provided for in the constitution.¹¹ A new constitution was adopted in 1874 that expanded the role of senatorial confirmation of gubernatorial appointments by including nominations of other officers of the Commonwealth and by requiring senatorial advice and consent of a supermajority for gubernatorial appointments to assure meritorious selection of officers rather than political selection of officers.¹²

By 1973, the constitutional provision relating to appointing power¹³ had been amended twice, and the President Pro Tempore of the Senate appointed a committee "to review and study the entire Senate confirmation procedure including but not limited to the laws that provide for the approval of the Senate and the procedure that the Senate follows upon receipt of a nomination."¹⁴ The special committee reported that:

Careful review of confirmations over the past decades reveals that actual practice has not always been in consistent compliance with the constitutional and statutory provisions governing confirmation of gubernatorial appointments. Confusion exists concerning which

⁵ American Bar Association, "Part I: What is Separation of Powers?," *available at* http://www.americanbar.org/ content/dam/aba/migrated/publiced/features/sepdialogue1.authcheckdam.pdf, at p. 1.

⁶ Id. ⁷ Id.

⁸ U.S. Const. arts. 1-3.

⁹ *Id.* at art. 2, § 2, cl. 2.

¹⁰ Pa. Const. art. II, § 8 (1838).

¹¹ *Id.* at art. VI, § 8 (1838).

¹² See Debates of the Convention to Amend the Constitution of Pennsylvania Convened at Harrisburg, November 12, 1872 (Harrisburg: Benjamin Singerly, State Printer, 1873); vol. 5, 208-09.

¹³ *Supra* note 10, at art. IV, § 8.

¹⁴ 1973 Senate Resolution 11.

appointees require confirmation and why some positions require confirmation and others do not.¹⁵

As a result, the special committee unanimously recommended procedural changes to remove or reduce "the inefficiencies and serious abuses that... undermine the system."¹⁶

Subsequent to transmission of the report, laws (including the constitution) were changed.¹⁷ Prior to the 1975 amendment, the level of consent required was two-thirds of the members elected to the Senate. The year following this constitutional amendment, the Administrative Code of 1929 was also amended to specify which gubernatorial appointments required consent of two-thirds of the members elected to the Senate, and which gubernatorial appointments required consent of a majority of the members elected to the Senate.

As indicated in the preceding paragraph, reform was legislated relatively soon thereafter; however, there has been no particular review by the General Assembly of the resulting reforms which occurred almost 40 years ago.

Between the amendment of Article 4, § 8 in 1967, and its amendment in 1975 (which retained the senatorial consent requirement of a supermajority and added the option of a simple majority), the Commonwealth Court determined that gubernatorial appointments required either senatorial approval from two-thirds of the members elected to the Senate or no approval.¹⁸ Thus, between 1874 and 1967, the two-thirds consent requirement applied to officers of the Commonwealth appointed by the Governor that the constitution or law may authorize, and between 1967 and 1975, the two-thirds consent requirement applied to gubernatorial appointments of "officers as may be specified by law." In other words, if the law specified consent, the supermajority level was required; if the law did not specify consent, no consent was required. Three years after this ruling, the third option, consent of a simple majority of the members elected to the Senate, was added when the section was again amended following the special committee's recommendations.

The phrase "advice and consent" is a term of art and used interchangeably with other synonymous terms. The Constitution of Pennsylvania¹⁹ uses the term "consent;" however, before it was amended in 1967, it used the more popular phrase "advice and consent." The Administrative Code uses the phrase "advice and consent." Another term used, albeit less frequently, is "confirm" or a variation thereof. Another synonymous term used relatively infrequently in this context is "approval."

¹⁵ Special Committee to Study Confirmation Procedure, Senate Confirmation of the Governor's Appointments (November 1973).

¹⁶ Id..

¹⁷ "The appointment of... officers as may be specified by law, shall be subject to the consent of two-thirds or a majority of the members elected to the Senate as specified by law." *Supra* note 10, at art. IV, § 8(a).

¹⁸ "Senatorial approval is now necessary only in those instances where senatorial approval is specifically mandated by the Constitution or by statute." *Crisconi v. Shapp*, 5 Pa. Commw. 275, 280 (Pa.Commw.Ct. 1972).

¹⁹ *Supra* note 10, at art. IV, § 8(a).

Most of the current confusion regarding the necessity or level of senatorial consent required is attributable to three factors. First, the statutes are in disarray. The current Administrative Code²⁰ dates from 1929, whereas the preceding Administrative Code²¹ existed for only six years before it was replaced. The amendments to the current Administrative Code over the last 86 years have resulted in outdated and inconsistent provisions, as well as disorganization. For example, some gubernatorial appointments originally required the advice and consent of two-thirds of the members elected to the Senate, but the later-enacted Administrative Code § 207.1 requires only the advice and consent of a majority of the members elected to the Senate, yet the previous provisions continue to exist.

The second main cause of confusion is Administrative Code § 207.1, relating to gubernatorial appointments.²² This section could contain a definitive list if it were amended as often as successive legislation created, modified, or abolished positions for gubernatorial appointment. Instead, it provides a snapshot view of those gubernatorial appointments that required the advice and consent of the Senate as they existed in November 1976, and has only been amended a few times in the past 40 years.²³ As a result, one must look well beyond the Administrative Code to discover all gubernatorial appointments requiring the advice and consent of the Senate.

The third main area of confusion is actual practice. For example, neither the establishing act,²⁴ nor the Administrative Code, requires the advice or consent of the Senate for appointments to the State Board of Occupational Therapy Education and Licensure, yet appointments traditionally have been presented to the Senate.

²⁰ Act of April 9, 1929, P.L.177, No.175; 71 P.S. §§ 51-732.

²¹ Act of June 7, 1923, P.L.498, No.274; 71 P.S. §§ 1-32.

²² Administrative Code § 207.1; 71 P.S. § 67.1.

²³ Act of April 28, 1978, P.L.202, No.53; Act of June 20, 1978, P.L.477, No.70; Act of October 15, 1980, P.L.950, No.164; Act of February 17, 1984, P.L.75, No.14; Act of December 30, 1984, P.L.1299, No.245; Act of September 30, 1985, P.L.240, No.61; Act of July 8, 1986, P.L.442, No.93; Act of July 10, 1986, P.L.1238, No.114; Act of July 1, 1989, P.L.136, No.28; Act of November 26, 1997, P.L.530, No.57; Act of December 30, 2002, P.L.2075, No.231; & Act of July 9, 2010, P.L.348, No.50.

²⁴ Act of June 15, 1982, P.L.502, No.140, § 4; 63 P.S. § 1504.

TABLE OF GUBERNATORIAL APPOINTMENTS REQUIRING SENATORIAL ADVICE AND CONSENT

Agency or Position	Citation	Number of Appts.	Term
Adjutant General	Administrative Code ²⁵ § 207.1; 71 P.S. § 67.1	One	Four years, from the third Tuesday of January following the election of a Governor, and until a successor is appointed and qualified ²⁶
Advisory Committee on Probation	61 Pa.C.S. § 6123	Seven	Four years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified, but no longer than 90 days after the expiration of the term
Agricultural Lands Condemnation Approval Board	Administrative Code § 306; 71 P.S. § 106	Two	Four years
Animal Health and Diagnostic Commission	Act of December 14, 1988, P.L.1198, No.148, § 3; 3 P.S. § 430.3	Nine	Four years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified, but no longer than six months after the expiration of the term
Appalachian States Low-Level Radioactive Waste Commission	Act of February 9, 1988, P.L.31, No.12, § 701; 35 P.S. § 7130.701	Eight ²⁷	Governor's pleasure
Architects Licensure Board	Act of December 14, 1982, P.L.1227, No.281, § 4; 63 P.S. § 34.4	Seven	Four years, or until a successor is appointed and qualified
Banking and Securities Commission	Act of May 15, 1933, P.L.565, No.111, § 1121-A; 71 P.S. § 733-1121-A	Three	Governor's pleasure

 ²⁵ Act of April 9, 1929, P.L.177, No.175; 71 P.S. §§ 51-732.
 ²⁶ Administrative Code § 208; 71 P.S. § 68.
 ²⁷ Four voting members and four alternates.

Agency or Position	Citation	Number of Appts.	Term
Bloomsburg University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education Council of Trustees	Act of March 10, 1949, P.L.30, No.14, § 2008-A; 24 P.S. § 20-2008-A	Ten	Six years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
Board of Claims	62 Pa.C.S. § 1721	Three	Eight years
Board of Finance and Revenue	Act of March 4, 1971, P.L.6, No.2, § 2703.1; 72 P.S. § 9703.1	Two	Six years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
Board of Pardons	Pa. Const. art. IV, § 9	Three	Six years ²⁸
California University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, Council of Trustees	Act of March 10, 1949, P.L.30, No.14, § 2008-A; 24 P.S. § 20-2008-A	Ten	Six years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
Cheyney University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, Council of Trustees	Act of March 10, 1949, P.L.30, No.14, § 2008-A; 24 P.S. § 20-2008-A	Ten	Six years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
Children's Trust Fund Board	Act of December 15, 1988, P.L.1235, No.151, § 4; 11 P.S. § 2234	Nine	Three years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
Clarion University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, Council of Trustees	Act of March 10, 1949, P.L.30, No.14, § 2008-A; 24 P.S. § 20-2008-A	Ten	Six years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
Clarks Summit State Hospital Board of Trustees	Administrative Code § 401; 71 P.S. § 111 ²⁹	Nine	Six years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified

²⁸ See also Administrative Code § 403; 71 P.S. § 113.
²⁹ The requirement for the advice and consent of a majority of the members elected to the Senate is located at Administrative Code § 207.1; 71 P.S. § 67.1.

Agency or Position	Citation	Number of Appts.	Term
Commissioner of Professional and Occupational Affairs	Act of July 1, 1978, P.L.700, No.124, § 305; 63 P.S. § 1401-305	One	Governor's pleasure
Commissioner of State Police ³⁰	Administrative Code § 207.1; 71 P.S. § 67.1	One	Four years, from the third Tuesday of January following the election of a Governor, and until a successor is appointed and qualified ³¹
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Council on the Arts	Act of January 25, (1966) 1965, P.L.1542, No.538, § 1; 71 P.S. § 1530.1 ³²	Fifteen	Three years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
Constables' Education and Training Board	44 Pa.C.S. § 7143	Six	Three years
Coroners' Education Board	Act of March 2, 1988, P.L.108, No.22, § 1; 16 P.S. § 9525.1	Three	Four years
County Board of Assistance in each county	Act of June 13, 1967, P.L.31, No.21, § 415; 62 P.S. § 415 ³³	Seven to seventeen ³⁴	Three years

³⁰ Identified as Superintendent of the Pennsylvania State Police in the act of June 3, 1919, P.L.366, No.179, § 7; 71 P.S. § 1192.

³¹ Supra note 26.

³² This statute requires the advice and consent of two-thirds of the members elected to the Senate; however, Administrative Code § 207.1; 71 P.S. § 67.1 (which was added November 8, 1976), requires advice and consent of a majority of the members elected to the Senate.

³³ Section 415 (62 P.S. § 415) of this act originally required the advice and consent of two-thirds of the members elected to the Senate. Administrative Code § 207.1; 71 P.S. § 67.1 (added November 8, 1976), requires the advice and consent of a majority of the members elected to the Senate. However, section 415 was amended by the Act of December 17, 2009, P.L.598, No.54, § 2, and now requires only that "[e]ach appointment by the Governor shall bear the endorsement of the Senator of the district in which the nominee resides. In the case of a vacancy in that senatorial district, the nominee shall be endorsed by the Senator of an adjacent district."

³⁴ Counties of the first and second classes have boards composed of a minimum of 11 members; other counties have boards composed of a minimum of seven members. Any county board is limited to a maximum of 15 members in addition to two county commissioners, one from each party, who are appointed by the Governor as ex officio members. Act of June 13, 1967, P.L.31, No.21, § 416(a); 62 P.S. § 416(a).

Agency or Position	Citation	Number of Appts.	Term
Danville State Hospital Board of Trustees	Administrative Code § 401; 71 P.S. § 111 ³⁵	Nine	Six years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
Delaware Valley Regional Planning Commission	Act of June 30, 1965, P.L.153, No.103, § 2; 73 P.S. § 701	One	Governor's pleasure
Department of Military Affairs general officers	Administrative Code 207.1(d)(5); 71 P.S. § 67.1(d)(5) ³⁶		
East Stroudsburg University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, Council of Trustees	Act of March 10, 1949, P.L.30, No.14, § 2008-A; 24 P.S. § 20-2008-A	Ten	Six years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
Ebensburg Center Board of Trustees	Administrative Code § 401; 71 P.S. § 111 ³⁷	Nine	Six years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
Edinboro University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, Council of Trustees	Act of March 10, 1949, P.L.30, No.14, § 2008-A; 24 P.S. § 20-2008-A	Ten	Six years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
Energy Development Authority	Administrative Code § 2803-C; 71 P.S § 720.3	Nine	Four years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
Environmental Hearing Board	Act of July 13, 1988, P.L.530, No.94, § 3; 35 P.S. § 7513	Five	Six years, or until a successor is appointed and qualified

³⁵ Supra note 29.

³⁶ "The number of general officers of the line of the Pennsylvania National Guard shall conform with the number of such officers allocated to this Commonwealth as authorized by the unit manning documents promulgated in conformity with the National Defense Act." 51 Pa.C.S. § 1103(a). The number of general officers of Pennsylvania Guard shall be determined by the Governor. 51 Pa.C.S. § 1303(a). General officers previously confirmed as such by the Senate do not require reconfirmation when thereafter promoted. *Id.*

³⁷ *Supra* note 29.

Agency or Position	Citation	Number of Appts.	Term
Hamburg Center Board of Trustees	Administrative Code § 401; 71 P.S. § 111 ³⁸	Nine	Six years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
Health Policy Board	Act of July 19, 1979, P.L.130, No.48, § 401.1; 35 P.S. § 448.401a	Fourteen	Three years
Indiana University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, Council of Trustees	Act of March 10, 1949, P.L.30, No.14, § 2008-A; 24 P.S. § 20-2008-A	Ten	Six years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
Industrial Board	Administrative Code § 445; 71 P.S. § 155 ³⁹	Six	Four years, running concurrently with the term of the Governor, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
Insurance Commissioner	Administrative Code § 207.1; 71 P.S. § 67.1	One	Four years, from the third Tuesday of January following the election of a Governor, and until a successor is appointed and qualified ⁴⁰
Kutztown University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, Council of Trustees	Act of March 10, 1949, P.L.30, No.14, § 2008-A; 24 P.S. § 20-2008-A	Ten	Six years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
Lincoln University Board of Trustees	Act of July 7, 1972, P.L.743, No.176, § 4; 24 P.S. § 2510-404 ⁴¹	Four	Four years
Lock Haven University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, Council of Trustees	Act of March 10, 1949, P.L.30, No.14, § 2008-A; 24 P.S. § 20-2008-A	Ten	Six years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified

³⁸ Id.
³⁹ Id.
⁴⁰ Supra note 26.
⁴¹ Supra note 32.

Agency or Position	Citation	Number of Appts.	Term
Mansfield University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, Council of Trustees	Act of March 10, 1949, P.L.30, No.14, § 2008-A; 24 P.S. § 20-2008-A	Ten	Six years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
Milk Marketing Board	Act of April 28, 1937, P.L.417, No.105, § 201; 31 P.S. § 700j-201 ⁴²	Three	Six years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
Millersville University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, Council of Trustees	Act of March 10, 1949, P.L.30, No.14, § 2008-A; 24 P.S. § 20-2008-A	Ten	Six years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
Municipal Police Officers' Education and Training Commission	53 Pa.C.S. § 2163 ⁴³	Fourteen	Three years
Navigation Commission for the Delaware River and Its Navigable Tributaries	Act of June 8, 1907, P.L.496, No.322, § 1; 55 P.S. § 1	Four	Four years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
Norristown State Hospital Board of Trustees	Administrative Code § 401; 71 P.S. § 111 ⁴⁴	Nine	Six years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
Pennsylvania Board of Probation and Parole	61 Pa.C.S. § 6111	Nine	Six years, or until a successor is appointed and qualified, but no longer than 90 days after the expiration of the term
Pennsylvania Cancer Control, Prevention, and Research Advisory Board	Act of December 18, 1980, P.L.1241, No.224, § 3; 35 P.S. § 5633	Ten	Four years
Pennsylvania Convention Center Authority	64 Pa.C.S. § 6005(a)(7)	Two	Concurrent with the term of the Governor

⁴² *Id.* ⁴³ *Supra* note 29. ⁴⁴ *Id.*

Agency or Position	Citation	Number of Appts.	Term
Pennsylvania Convention Center Authority, Chairperson of the Governing Board ⁴⁵	64 Pa.C.S. § 6005(a)(8)	One	Until a successor is appointed
Pennsylvania Council on Aging	Administrative Code § 2204-A; 71 P.S. § 581-4	Twenty- one	Three years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
Pennsylvania Drug, Device, and Cosmetic Board	Act of April 14, 1972, P.L.233, No.64, § 31; 35 P.S. § 780-131	Ten	Four years, or until a successor is appointed and qualified, but no longer than six months after the expiration of the term
Pennsylvania Economic Development Financing Authority Board of Directors	Act of August 23, 1967, P.L.251, No.102, § 6.1; 73 P.S. § 376.1	Eight ⁴⁶	Four years
Pennsylvania Fish and Boat Commission	30 Pa.C.S. § 301	Ten	Four years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified, but no longer than six months after the expiration of the term
Pennsylvania Game Commission	34 Pa.C.S. § 301	Eight	Four years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified, but no longer than six months after the expiration of the term
Pennsylvania Higher Education Assistance Agency, Board of Directors	Administrative Code § 401.2; 71 P.S. § 111.2	Three	Six years
Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission	37 Pa.C.S. § 104	Nine	Four years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified

⁴⁵ In the event the members of the board cannot agree on an additional member within 60 days of the office becoming vacant, the Governor shall appoint an additional member of the board who shall serve as chairperson subject to the ⁴⁶ The eighth appointee replaces the Secretary of Community Affairs. Act of June 27, 1996, P.L.403, No.58, § 1101;

⁷¹ P.S. § 1709.1101.

Agency or Position	Citation	Number of Appts.	Term
Pennsylvania Housing Finance Agency	Act of December 3, 1959, P.L.1688, No.621, § 202; 35 P.S. § 1680.202	Six	Six years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
Pennsylvania Human Relations Commission	Act of October 27, 1955, P.L.744, No.222, § 6; 43 P.S. § 956	Eleven	Five years, or until a successor is appointed and qualified
Pennsylvania Industrial Development Authority	Act of May 17, (1956) 1955, P.L.1609, No.537, § 4; 73 P.S. § 304	Eight ⁴⁷	Seven years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
Pennsylvania Labor Relations Board	Act of June 1, 1937, P.L.1168, No.294, § 4; 43 P.S. § 211.4 ⁴⁸	Three	Six years
Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board	Act of April 12, 1951, P.L.90, No.21, § 201; 47 P.S. § 2-201 ⁴⁹	Three	Four years, ending on the third Tuesday in May, and until a successor is appointed and qualified, but no longer than six months after the expiration of the term
Pennsylvania Minority Business Development Authority, Board of Directors	Act of July 22, 1974, P.L.598, No.206, § 4; 73 P.S. § 390.4	Nine ⁵⁰	Five years
Pennsylvania Public Television Network Commission	Act of November 20, 1968, P.L.1075, No.329, § 2; 71 P.S. § 1188.2	Fifteen ⁵¹	Six years, or until a successor is appointed and qualified, but no longer than six months after the expiration of the term

⁴⁷ The eighth appointee replaces the Secretary of Community Affairs. Act of June 27, 1996, P.L.403, No.58, § 1102; 71 P.S. § 1709.1102.

⁴⁸ Supra note 32.

 ⁴⁹ This statute requires the advice and consent of two-thirds of the members elected to the Senate.
 ⁵⁰ The ninth appointee replaces the Secretary of Community Affairs. Act of June 27, 1996, P.L.403, No.58, § 1110; 71 P.S. § 1709.1110.

⁵¹ This statute specifies that two additional gubernatorial appointees serve at the Governor's pleasure and do not require senatorial advice or consent.

Agency or Position	Citation	Number of Appts.	Term
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission	66 Pa.C.S. § 301	Five	Five years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified, but no longer than six months after the expiration of the term
Pennsylvania State University Board of Trustees ⁵²	Act of March 24, 1905, P.L.50, No.35, § 1; 24 P.S. § 2536	Six	Three years, beginning on the first day of July in the year of appointment ⁵³
Pennsylvania Turnpike Commission	Act of May 21, 1937, P.L.774, No.211, § 4; 36 P.S. § 652d ⁵⁴	Four	Ten years
Physician General	Act of April 27, 1905, P.L.312, No.218, § 1; 71 P.S. § 1401	One	Governor's pleasure
Polk Center Board of Trustees	Administrative Code § 401; 71 P.S. § 111 ⁵⁵	Nine	Six years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
Professional Standards and Practices Commission	Act of December 12, 1973, P.L.397, No.141, § 3; 24 P.S. § 2070.3	Thirteen	Three years
Public Employee Retirement Commission	Act of July 9, 1981, P.L.208, No.66, § 5; 43 P.S. § 1405	Five	Six years
Public School Employees' Retirement Board	24 Pa.C.S. § 8501	Two	Three years
School Reform Commission	Act of March 10, 1949, P.L.30, No.14, § 696; 24 P.S. § 6-696	Three	Five years

⁵² The statute identifies this as "The Pennsylvania State College."
⁵³ Act of March 24, 1905, P.L.50, No.35, § 2; 24 P.S. § 2537.
⁵⁴ Supra note 49.
⁵⁵ Supra note 29.

Agency or Position	Citation	Number of Appts.	Term
Scotland School for Veterans' Children Board of Trustees	Administrative Code § 401; 71 P.S. § 111 ⁵⁶	Nine	Six years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
Scranton State School for the Deaf Board of Trustees	Administrative Code § 401; 71 P.S. § 111 ⁵⁷	Nine	Six years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
Secretary of Aging	Administrative Code § 207.1; 71 P.S. § 67.1	One	Four years, from the third Tuesday of January following the election of a Governor, and until a successor is appointed and qualified ⁵⁸
Secretary of Agriculture	Administrative Code § 207.1; 71 P.S. § 67.1	One	Four years, from the third Tuesday of January following the election of a Governor, and until a successor is appointed and qualified ⁵⁹
Secretary of Banking	Administrative Code § 207.1; 71 P.S. § 67.1	One	Four years, from the third Tuesday of January following the election of a Governor, and until a successor is appointed and qualified ⁶⁰
Secretary of Community and Economic Development	Administrative Code § 207.1; 71 P.S. § 67.1	One	Four years, from the third Tuesday of January following the election of a Governor, and until a successor is appointed and qualified ⁶¹
Secretary of Conservation and Natural Resources	Administrative Code § 207.1; 71 P.S. § 67.1	One	Four years, from the third Tuesday of January following the election of a Governor, and until a successor is appointed and qualified ⁶²

- ⁵⁶ Id.
 ⁵⁷ Id.
 ⁵⁸ Supra note 26.
 ⁵⁹ Id.
 ⁶⁰ Id.
 ⁶¹ Id.
 ⁶² Id.

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Secretary of Corrections	Administrative Code § 207.1; 71 P.S. § 67.1	One	Four years, from the third Tuesday of January following the election of a Governor, and until a successor is appointed and qualified ⁶³
Secretary of Drug and Alcohol Programs	Administrative Code § 207.1; 71 P.S. § 67.1	One	Four years, from the third Tuesday of January following the election of a Governor, and until a successor is appointed and qualified ⁶⁴
Secretary of Education	Administrative Code § 207.1; 71 P.S. § 67.1	One	Four years, from the third Tuesday of January following the election of a Governor, and until a successor is appointed and qualified ⁶⁵
Secretary of Environmental Protection	Administrative Code § 207.1; 71 P.S. § 67.1	One	Four years, from the third Tuesday of January following the election of a Governor, and until a successor is appointed and qualified ⁶⁶
Secretary of General Services	Administrative Code § 207.1; 71 P.S. § 67.1	One	Four years, from the third Tuesday of January following the election of a Governor, and until a successor is appointed and qualified ⁶⁷
Secretary of Health	Administrative Code § 207.1; 71 P.S. § 67.1 ⁶⁸	One	Four years, from the third Tuesday of January following the election of a Governor, and until a successor is appointed and qualified ⁶⁹

⁶³ Id.
⁶⁴ Id.
⁶⁵ Id.
⁶⁶ Id.
⁶⁷ Id.
⁶⁸ See also Act of April 27, 1905, P.L.312, No.218, § 1(b); 71 P.S. § 1401(b).
⁶⁹ Supra note 26.

Agency or Position	Citation	Number of Appts.	Term
Secretary of Human Services ⁷⁰	Administrative Code § 207.1; 71 P.S. § 67.1	One	Four years, from the third Tuesday of January following the election of a Governor, and until a successor is appointed and qualified ⁷¹
Secretary of Labor and Industry	Administrative Code § 207.1; 71 P.S. § 67.1	One	Four years, from the third Tuesday of January following the election of a Governor, and until a successor is appointed and qualified ⁷²
Secretary of Revenue	Administrative Code § 207.1; 71 P.S. § 67.1	One	Four years, from the third Tuesday of January following the election of a Governor, and until a successor is appointed and qualified ⁷³
Secretary of the Commonwealth	Administrative Code § 207.1; 71 P.S. § 67.1	One	Governor's pleasure ⁷⁴
Secretary of Transportation	Administrative Code § 207.1; 71 P.S. § 67.1	One	Four years, from the third Tuesday of January following the election of a Governor, and until a successor is appointed and qualified ⁷⁵
Selinsgrove Center Board of Trustees	Administrative Code § 401; 71 P.S. § 111 ⁷⁶	Nine	Six years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
Shippensburg University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, Council of Trustees	Act of March 10, 1949, P.L.30, No.14, § 2008-A; 24 P.S. § 20-2008-A	Ten	Six years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified

 ⁷⁰ The Secretary of Public Welfare was redesignated as the Secretary of Human Services by the act of September 24, 2014, P.L.2458, No.132.
 ⁷¹ Supra note 26.

 ⁷² Id.
 ⁷³ Id.
 ⁷⁴ Id.

⁷⁵ *Id.* ⁷⁶ *Supra* note 29.

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Slippery Rock University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, Council of Trustees	Act of March 10, 1949, P.L.30, No.14, § 2008-A; 24 P.S. § 20-2008-A	Ten	Six years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
Small Business Advocate	Act of December 21, 1988, P.L.1871, No.181, § 3; 73 P.S. § 399.43	One	Until a successor is appointed and qualified
South Mountain Restoration Center Board of Trustees	Administrative Code § 401; 71 P.S. § 111 ⁷⁷	Nine	Six years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
State Athletic Commission	5 Pa.C.S. § 102	Three	Four years
State Board of Accountancy	Act of May 26, 1947, P.L.318, No.140, § 2.3; 63 P.S. § 9.2c	Thirteen	Four years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified, but no longer than six months after the expiration of the term
State Board of Auctioneer Examiners	Act of December 22, 1983, P.L.327, No.85, § 31; 63 P.S. § 734.31	Seven	Three years, or until a successor is appointed and qualified, but no longer than six months after the expiration of the term
State Board of Barber Examiners	Act of June 19, 1931, P.L.589, No.202, § 2.2; 63 P.S. § 552.2	Nine	Three years
State Board of Certified Real Estate Appraisers	Act of July 10, 1990, P.L.404, No.98, § 4; 63 P.S. § 457.4	Eight	Four years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified, but no longer than six months after the expiration of the term
State Board of Chiropractic	Act of December 16, 1986, P.L.1646, No.188, § 301; 63 P.S. § 625.301	Seven	Four years, or until a successor is appointed and qualified, but no longer than six months after the expiration of the term

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State Board of Cosmetology	Act of May 3, 1933, P.L.242, No.86, § 1.1; 63 P.S. § 507.1	Eleven	Three years
State Board of Crane Operators	Act of October 9, 2008, P.L.1363, No.100, § 301; 63 P.S. § 3400.301	Six	Four years, or until a successor is appointed and qualified, but no longer than six months after the expiration of the term
State Board of Dentistry	Act of May 1, 1933, P.L.216, No.76, § 2.1; 63 P.S. § 121.1	Twelve	Six years, or until a successor is appointed and qualified, but no longer than six months after the expiration of the term
State Board of Education	Act of March 10, 1949, P.L.30, No.14, § 2602-B; 24 P.S. § 26-2602-B	Seventeen	Six years, or until a successor is appointed and qualified
State Board of Examiners in Speech- Language Pathology and Audiology ⁷⁸	Act of December 21, 1984, P.L.1253, No.238, § 4; 63 P.S. § 1704	Seven	Three years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified, but no longer than six months after the expiration of the term
State Board of Examiners of Nursing Home Administrators	Act of June 22, 1970, P.L.378, No.122, § 3.1; 63 P.S. § 1103.1	Twelve	Four years, or until a successor is appointed and qualified, but no longer than six months after the expiration of the term
State Board of Funeral Directors	Act of January 14, (1952) 1951, P.L.1898, No.522, § 19; 63 P.S. § 479.19	Seven	Five years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified, but no longer than six months after the expiration of the term
State Board of Landscape Architects	Act of January 24, (1966) 1965, P.L.1527, No.535, § 2.1; 63 P.S. § 902.2a	Seven	Three years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified, but no longer than six months after the expiration of the term

⁷⁸ The State Board of Examiners in Speech Language and Hearing was redesignated as the State Board of Examiners in Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology by the act of July 2, 2014, P.L.971, No.106.

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State Board of Massage Therapy	Act of October 9, 2008, P.L.1439, No.118, § 3; 63 P.S. § 627.3	Eight	Four years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified, but no longer than six months after the expiration of the term
State Board of Medicine	Act of December 20, 1985, P.L.457, No.112, § 3; 63 P.S. § 422.3	Nine	Four years, or until a successor is appointed and qualified, but no longer than six months after the expiration of the term
State Board of Nursing	Act of May 22, 1951, P.L.317, No.69, § 2.1; 63 P.S. § 212.1	Twelve	Six years, or until a successor is appointed and qualified, but no longer than six months after the expiration of the term
State Board of Occupational Therapy Education and Licensure	Act of June 15, 1982, P.L.502, No.140, § 4; 63 P.S. § 1504 ⁷⁹	Seven	Three years
State Board of Optometry	Act of June 6, 1980, P.L.197, No.57, § 2.1; 63 P.S. § 244.2a	Eleven	Four years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified, but no longer than six months after the expiration of the term
State Board of Osteopathic Medicine	Act of October 5, 1978, P.L.1109, No.261, § 2.1; 63 P.S. § 271.2a	Nine	Four years, or until a successor is appointed and qualified, but no longer than six months after the expiration of the term
State Board of Pharmacy	Act of September 27, 1961, P.L.1700, No.699, § 6; 63 P.S. § 390-6	Seven	Six years, or until a successor is appointed and qualified, but no longer than six months after the expiration of the term
State Board of Physical Therapy	Act of October 10, 1975 P.L.383, No.110, § 2.1; 63 P.S. § 1302.1	Eleven	Four years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified, but no longer than six months after the expiration of the term
State Board of Podiatry	Act of March 2, (1956) 1955, P.L.1206, No.375, § 2.1; 63 P.S. § 42.2a	Eight	Four years, or until a successor is appointed and qualified, but no longer than six months after the expiration of the term

⁷⁹ This statute does not require the advice or consent of the Senate, but appointments have been presented to the Senate nevertheless.

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State Board of Psychology	Act of March 23, 1972, P.L.136, No.52, § 3.1; 63 P.S. § 1203.1	Eight	Four years, or until a successor is appointed and qualified, but no longer than six months after the expiration of the term
State Board of Social Workers, Marriage and Family Therapists, and Professional Counselors	Act of July 9, 1987, P.L.220, No.39, § 5; 63 P.S. § 1905	Twelve	Four years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified, but no longer than six months after the expiration of the term
State Board of Vehicle Manufacturers, Dealers, and Salespersons	Act of December 22, 1983, P.L.306, No.84, § 3; 63 P.S. § 818.3 ⁸⁰	Fourteen	Four years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified, but no longer than six months after the expiration of the term
State Board of Veterinary Medicine	Act of December 27, 1974, P.L.995, No.326, § 4; 63 P.S. § 485.4	Eight	Four years, or until a successor is appointed and qualified, but no longer than six months after the expiration of the term
State Charter School Appeal Board	Act of March 10, 1949, P.L.30, No.14, § 1721-A; 24 P.S. § 17-1721-A	Six	Four years, or until a successor is appointed and qualified
State Civil Service Commission	Act of August 5, 1941, P.L.752, No.286, § 201; 71 P.S. § 741.201	Three	Six years, or until a successor is appointed and qualified
State Conservation Commission	Act of May 15, 1945, P.L.547, No.217, § 4; 3 P.S. § 852	Six	Four years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified, but no longer than six months after the expiration of the term
State Employees' Retirement Board	71 Pa.C.S. § 5901	Six	Four years
State Farm Products Show Commission	Administrative Code § 430; 71 P.S. § 140 ⁸¹	Four	Four years

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State Harness Racing Commission	Act of December 17, 1981, P.L.435, No.135, § 201; 4 P.S. § 325.201	Three	Three years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
State Horse Racing Commission	Act of December 17, 1981, P.L.435, No.135, § 201; 4 P.S. § 325.201	Three	Three years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
State Planning Board	Administrative Code § 451; 71 P.S. § 161 ⁸²	Sixteen ⁸³	Four years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
State Real Estate Commission	Act of February 19, 1980, P.L.15, No.9, § 202; 63 P.S. § 455.202 ⁸⁴	Nine	Five years, or until a successor is appointed and qualified, but no longer than six months after the expiration of the term
State Registration Board for Professional Engineers, Land Surveyors, and Geologists	Act of May 23, 1945, P.L.913, No.367, § 4.1; 63 P.S. § 151.1 ⁸⁵	Twelve	Six years, or until a successor is appointed and qualified, but no longer than six months after the expiration of the term
State System of Higher Education Board of Governors	Act of March 10, 1949, P.L.30, No.14, § 2004-A; 24 P.S. § 20-2004-A	Fourteen	Four years ⁸⁶
State Tax Equalization Board	Act of June 27, 1996, P.L.403, No.58, § 1502; 71 P.S. § 1709.1502 ⁸⁷	Three	Four years, or until a successor is appointed and qualified

⁸⁷ *Supra* note 29.

⁸² Id.

⁸³ The sixteenth appointee replaces the Secretary of Community Affairs per the Act of June 27, 1996, P.L.403, No.58, § 1106; 71 P.S. § 1709.1106.

⁸⁴ *Supra* note 29.

⁸⁵ Id.

 ⁸⁶ This term length is for all members of the board appointed by the Governor except the students, whose terms expire upon graduation, separation, or failure to maintain good academic standards at their institution. Act of March 10, 1949, P.L.30, No.14, § 2004-A(a)(7); 24 P.S. § 20-2004-A(a)(7).

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State Transportation Commission	Administrative Code § 468; 71 P.S. § 178	Ten	Six years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified, but no longer than six months after the expiration of the term
Temple University, Board of Trustees	Act of November 30, 1965, P.L.843, No.355, § 4; 24 P.S. § 2510-4 ⁸⁸	Four	Four years
Thaddeus Stevens College of Technology Board of Trustees ⁸⁹	Act of March 10, 1949, P.L.30, No.14, § 1906-B; 24 P.S. § 19-1906-B	Nine	Six years
Third Class County Convention Center Authority, Governing Board	Act of August 9, 1955, P.L.323, No. 130, § 2399.61; 16 P.S. § 2399.61	Two	Four years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
Torrance State Hospital Board of Trustees	Administrative Code § 401; 71 P.S. § 111 ⁹⁰	Nine	Six years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
Unemployment Compensation Board of Review	Act of December 5, 1936 (Spec. Sess. 2), P.L.2897, No.1, § 203; 43 P.S. § 763 ⁹¹	Three	Six years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
University of Pittsburgh Board of Trustees	Act of July 28, 1966 (Spec. Sess. 3), P.L.87, No.3, § 4; 24 P.S. § 2510-204 ⁹²	Four	Four years
Victim Advocate	Act of November 24, 1998, P.L.882, No.111, § 301; 18 P.S. § 11.301	One	Six years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified, but no longer than 90 days after the expiration of the term

⁸⁸ Supra note 32
⁸⁹ "A statutory reference to the Thaddeus Stevens State School of Technology shall be deemed to be a reference to the Thaddeus Stevens College of Technology." Act of November 26, 1997, P.L.530, No.57, § 14.
⁹⁰ Supra note 29.
⁹¹ Supra note 32.
⁹² Id.

Agency or Position	Citation	Number of Appts.	Term
Warren State Hospital Board of Trustees	Administrative Code § 401; 71 P.S. § 111 ⁹³	Nine	Six years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
Wernersville State Hospital Board of Trustees	Administrative Code § 401; 71 P.S. § 111 ⁹⁴	Nine	Six years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
West Chester University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, Council of Trustees	Act of March 10, 1949, P.L.30, No.14, § 2008-A; 24 P.S. § 20-2008-A	Ten	Six years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
White Haven Center Board of Trustees	Administrative Code § 401; 71 P.S. § 111 ⁹⁵	Nine	Six years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified
Workers' Compensation Appeal Board ⁹⁶	Act of June 2, 1915, P.L.736, No.338, § 401.2; 77 P.S. § 710.1 ⁹⁷	Three to fifteen	Four years, from the third Tuesday of January following the election of a Governor, and until a successor is appointed and qualified ⁹⁸
Youth Development Centers, Board of Trustees	Administrative Code § 401; 71 P.S. § 111 ⁹⁹	Nine	Six years, and until a successor is appointed and qualified

 ⁹³ Supra note 29.
 ⁹⁴ Id.

⁹⁵ Id.

⁹⁶ "Any reference in a statute to the Workmen's Compensation Appeal Board shall be deemed a reference to the Workers' Compensation Appeal Board." Act of June 24, 1996, P.L.350, No.57, § 31.1.
⁹⁷ Supra note 29.
⁹⁸ Supra note 26.

⁹⁹ *Supra* note 29.