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SECURE COMMONWEALTH PANEL

Code Reference: § 2.2-306

Purpose, Powers and Duties:

Panel responsibilities shall include: to monitor and assess the implementation of statewide prevention, preparedness, response and recovery initiatives and where necessary to review, evaluate and make recommendations relating to the emergency preparedness of government at all levels in the Commonwealth. Additionally, the Panel shall facilitate cabinet-level coordination among the various agencies of state government related to emergency preparedness and shall facilitate private sector preparedness and communication.

Composition:

The Panel shall consist of 30 members as follows: three members of the House of Delegates and two nonlegislative citizens to be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Delegates; three members of the Senate of Virginia and two nonlegislative citizens to be appointed by the Senate Committee on Rules; the Lieutenant Governor; the Attorney General; The Executive Secretary of the Supreme Court of Virginia, the Assistant to the Governor for Commonwealth Preparedness who shall serve as Chair, the Secretaries of Commerce and Trade, Health and Human Resources, Public Safety, Technology and Transportation or their designees; two local first responders; three local government representatives; two physicians with knowledge of public health; and four additional members from the private sector. Except for appointments made by the Speaker of the House of Delegates and the Senate Committee on Rules, all other appointments shall be made by the Governor. Additional ex officio members may be appointed to the Panel by the Governor at his discretion.

Chairman:

The Honorable Robert Crouch, Assistant to the Governor for Commonwealth Preparedness

Term:

Legislative members shall serve terms coincident with their terms of office or until their successors shall qualify. Nonlegislative citizen members shall serve for terms of four years.

Membership:

Gubernatorial Appointees

Paula M. Burnette, Martinsville	term expires 6/30/10
Kay C. Goss, Alexandria	term expires 6/30/10
J. Thomas Hennessey, Jr., Fairfax	term expires 6/30/10
John W. Knapp, Jr., Richmond	term expires 6/30/10
Marcus L. Martin, M.D., Charlottesville	term expires 6/30/10
Leigh B. Middleditch, Jr., Charlottesville	term expires 6/30/10
Michael P. Neuhard, Stafford	term expires 6/30/10
Norris A. Royston, M.D., Marshall	term expires 6/30/10
Henry W. Stanley, Richmond	term expires 6/30/10
Regina V. K. Williams, Norfolk	term expires 6/30/10
Charles Werner, Charlottesville	term expires 6/30/10
Eric Richard Casey, Norfolk	term expires 6/30/11
Kelly Hobbs, Alexandria	term expires 6/30/11
Carl Daniel Jenkins, Midlothian	term expires 6/30/11
Dario Marquez, Vienna	term expires 6/30/11

Senate Appointees

R. Creigh Deeds, Charlottesville	
Ralph S. Northam, Norfolk	
John C. Watkins, Midlothian	
Jack C. Sawicki, Arlington	term expires 6/30/10
Mruce W. Benson, Virginia Beach	term expires 6/30/10

House Appointees

REPORT OF THE SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH

Algie T. Howell, Jr., Norfolk
John M. O'Bannon, III, Richmond
Beverly J. Sherwood, Winchester
James F. Horton, term expires 6/30/10
Jeffrey L. Rezin, Winchester term expires 6/30/10

Designated Members

The Honorable William T. Bolling, Lieutenant Governor
The Honorable William C. Mims, Attorney General
The Honorable Robert P. Crouch, Jr., Assistant to the Governor for
Commonwealth Preparedness
The Honorable Patrick O. Gottshalk, Secretary of Commerce and Trade
The Honorable Marilyn B. Tavenner, Secretary of Health and Human Resources
The Honorable John W. Marshall, Secretary of Public Safety
The Honorable Leonard M. Pomata, Secretary of Technology
The Honorable Pierce R. Homer, Secretary of Transportation
Karl R. Hade, Executive Secretary of the Supreme Court of Virginia