

AN ACT

**Bill 19-829**  
**Act 19-524**  
effective  
November 2,  
2012

**Codification**  
**District of**  
**Columbia**  
**Official Code**  
**2001 Edition**

*To amend the District of Columbia Regional Airports Authority Act of 1985 to increase the total number of members of the Washington Metropolitan Airports Authority to 17 members, the number of members appointed by Virginia to 7, by the District of Columbia to 4, and by Maryland to 3, to provide that any member of the Washington Metropolitan Airports Authority shall be eligible for reappointment for one additional term and may not serve beyond the expiration of his or her term, to increase the quorum requirement to 9 members, and to increase the number of votes required to approve bond issues and the annual budget of the Washington Metropolitan Airports Authority to 10.*

**Metropolitan**  
**Washington**  
**Airports**  
**Authority**  
**Amendment**  
**Act of 2012**

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the “Metropolitan Washington Airports Authority Amendment Act of 2012”.

**Amend**  
**§ 9-904**

Sec. 2. Section 5 of the District of Columbia Regional Airports Authority Act of 1985, effective December 3, 1985 (D.C. Law 6-67; D.C. Official Code § 9-904), is amended as follows:

(a) Subsection (a) is amended to read as follows:

“(a)(1) The Authority shall consist of 17 members as follows:

“(A) Seven appointed by the Governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia;

“(B) Four appointed by the Mayor of the District of Columbia;

“(C) Three appointed by the Governor of the State of Maryland, and

“(D) Three appointed by the President of the United States.

“(2) For the purposes of doing business, 9 members shall constitute a quorum.

“(3) Members representing the District of Columbia shall be subject to confirmation by the Council of the District of Columbia.

“(4) The failure of a single appointing official to appoint one or more members, as provided in this act, shall not impair the Authority’s creation when the conditions of this creation have been met.”.

(b) Subsection (c) is amended as follows:

(1) Designate the existing text as paragraph (1).

(2) A new paragraph (2) is added to read as follows:

“(2) A member of the Authority shall be eligible for reappointment for one additional term. A member may not serve after the expiration of the member’s term or terms.”.

(c) Subsection (d) is amended by striking the word “Eight” and inserting the word “Ten” in its place.

(d) Subsection (g) is amended to read as follows:

“(g) A vacancy among the members shall be filled in the manner in which the original appointment was made. A person appointed to fill a vacancy shall serve for the unexpired term.”.

Sec. 3. Fiscal impact statement.

The Council adopts the fiscal impact statement in the committee report as the fiscal impact statement required by section 602(c)(3) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Official Code § 1-206.02(c)(3)).

Sec. 4. Effective date.

This act shall take effect following approval by the Mayor (or in the event of veto by the Mayor, action by the Council to override the veto), a 30-day period of Congressional review as provided in section 602(c)(1) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Official Code § 1-206.02(c)(1)), and publication in the District of Columbia Register.