MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF MARYLAND TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION January 13, 2025

The Executive Committee (the "Committee") of the Board of Directors of Maryland Technology Development Corporation ("TEDCO") convened at 5:02 p.m. on January 13, 2025, via a Zoom video conferencing link provided for that purpose. Five members of the Committee attended the meeting; a quorum was present.

A portion of the meeting took place in closed session. A summary is below.

Committee Members Present:

Ellen Flowers-Fields, Chair Kathie Callahan Brady, Vice Chair Jeff Rhoda, Treasurer Eben Smith, Ass. Treasurer Thomas Bundy. Secretary Omar Muhammad, Immediate Past Chair

Representatives, TEDCO Staff, and Guests Present:

Troy LeMaile-Stovall, CEO, TEDCO Terry Rauh, Staff Terri Collins, Staff Ira Schwartz, OAG

MINUTES OF THE OPEN SESSION

Meeting Called to Order/Roll Call

The meeting was called to order by Ms. Flowers-Fields, the Chair, at 5:04 p.m.

II. Action Items: Approval of Meeting Minutes & Executive Committee Approval Actions

- a. Approval of the Meeting Minutes from November 11, 2024
 Minutes from 11Nov24 were not approved as they were not completed
- b. Approval of edits to Executive Committee charter After discussion, the edits to the Executive Committee charter were approved. The changes made clear committee responsibilities, cadence and added the Chairs of the Investment Committee and the Governance and Nominating Committee.

III. <u>Discussion: Federal Opportunities and Affiliated Operating Models Work Groups</u> Update

Mr. Stovall gave an overview of both work groups

- Federal had 1 meeting and the session showed how useful this group will eb
 as several recommendations for compliance and funding opportunities were
 given.
- The Affiliated Operating Models Work Group had not met at the time of the EC meeting; they are scheduled to meet on January 16, 2024.

IV. FY26 Board Goals

- a. Chair Flowers-Fields led a discussion with Committee members to gain thoughts/insights on areas the Board should consider for FY26 goals. Some of the ideas proposed were
 - i. TEDCO Dashboard
 - ii. Diversification of TEDCO resources
 - iii. Operational capacity to deliver on growth
 - iv. Increased visibility and transparency via website refresh

The plan is to gather more of these and present at the February EC for review at the February Board session.

V. <u>Action Item: Motion to Close the Session</u>

Ms. Flowers-Fields provided the statutory justification under the Open Meetings Act for closing the meeting as follows: General Provisions ("GP") GP §3-305(b)(1), to discuss personnel matters that affect one or more specific individuals.

Upon motion duly made and seconded, the Committee unanimously approved entering Closed Session at 5:35 p.m. (A copy of the Statement for Closing a Meeting is attached hereto.)

- a. Attendees: Ellen Flowers-Fields, Jeff Rhoda, Eben Smith, Omar Muhammad, Thomas Bundy, Terri Collins, Ira Schwartz
- b. Topics Discussed: Ms. Collins delivered a presentation on CEO compensation levels and how they might pertain to the current CEO as regards salary, bonus/incentive targets, monthly stipend, etc. The Board requested additional data. After Ms. Collins' departure, and a discussion ensued on topics related to evaluating the CEO's compensation.
- c. Actions Taken: The Committee determined to be prepared by the May 25, 2025 Board meeting to make a recommendation to the full Board on this topic, considering the above topics as a part of the calculus.

Meeting adjourned: The meeting adjourned at 6:45 pm.