## Michael W. Lord

Michael W. Lord became Executive Director of the State Ethics Commission on November 2, 2011. A native of North Adams, MA, Mr. Lord is a graduate of the U.S. Naval Academy and University of Virginia School of Law, and served in various positions in the Navy during the course of a 20-year career. Subsequent to his retirement from the Navy, he held the position of Executive Director of the Commissioned Officers' Association of the U.S. Public Health Service, followed by positions in the Anne Arundel County Office of Law (handling civil litigation matters) and the Maryland Office of Attorney General (serving as the Attorney General's supervisor of tort litigation), prior to assuming his current position. He and his wife, Shirley, have 3 adult daughters and 7 grandchildren.