

Headnotes	Present Constitution	Constitution of 1867	Constitution of 1864
<p>Constitution alterable only as prescribed.</p>			<p>Art. 45. That the Legislature shall pass no law providing for an alteration, change or abolishment of this Constitution, except in the manner therein prescribed and directed.</p>

Constitution of 1851	Constitution of 1776	Amendments to 1776 Constitution
<p>Art. 43. That this Constitution shall not be altered, changed or abolished, except in the manner therein prescribed and directed.</p>	<p>force as laws, unless altered by this Convention or the legislature of this State.</p> <p>42. That this declaration of rights, or the form of government to be established by this Convention, or any part of either of them, ought not to be altered, changed or abolished by the legislature of this State, but in such manner as this Convention shall prescribe and direct.</p> <p><i>This declaration of rights was assented to and passed in Convention of the delegates of the freemen of Maryland, begun and held at Annapolis the 14th day of August, anno domini 1776.</i></p>	