copulation of twenty-eight thousand, and less than forty housand souls, shall be entitled to four Delegates; and very County having a population of forty thousand, and ess than fifty-five thousand souls, shall be entitled to five belegates; and every County having a population of fty-five thousand souls, and upwards, shall be entitled o six Delegates, and no more; and each of the three egislative Districts of the City of Baltimore shall be utitled to the number of Delegates to which the largest county shall or may be entitled, under the aforegoing pportionment. And the General Assembly shall have ower to provide by law, from time to time, for altering nd changing the boundaries of the three existing Legisative Districts of the City of Baltimore, so as to make hem, as near as may be, of equal population; but said districts shall always consist of contiguous territory.

Legislative districts in Baltimore City may be changed.

[Sec. 4. As soon as may be, after the taking and pubshing of the National Census of 1900, or after the numeration of the population of this State, under the athority thereof, there shall be an apportionment of epresentation in the House of Delegates, to be made n the following basis, to wit: Each of the several ounties of the State, having a population of eighteen jousand souls or less, shall be entitled to two deleates; and every county having a population of over ghteen thousand and less than twenty-eight thousid souls, shall be entitled to three delegates; and every ounty having a population of twenty-eight thousand id less than forty thousand souls, shall be entitled to ur delegates; and every county having a population of rty thousand and less than fifty-five thousand souls, iall be entitled to five delegates; and every county aving a population of fifty-five thousand souls and owards, shall be entitled to six delegates and no more; id each of the Legislative Districts of the City of Balmore shall be entitled to the number of delegates to hich the largest county shall or may be entitled under ie aforegoing apportionment, and the General Asembly shall have the power to provide by law, from me to time, for altering and changing the boundaries the existing legislative districts of the City of Baltiore, so as to make them as near as may be of equal opulation; but said district shall always consist of conguous territory.]*

Basis of representation.

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^{*}Thus amended by Act of 1900, Chapter 432, ratified by the people at Nomber election, 1901.