

| Headnotes  | Present Constitution  | Constitution of 1867 | Constitution of 1864 |
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| <p>Members of City and county Board of Supervisors: Start of terms.</p>                        | <p>Sec. 8. The terms of the Members of the Board of Supervisors of elections of Baltimore City and of the several counties shall commence on the first Monday of June next ensuing their appointment.</p>   |                      |                      |
|  | <p>Sec. 9. Vacant.</p>  |                      |                      |
|  | <p>Sec. 10. Vacant.</p>   |                      |                      |
| <p>Purpose of Article: To reduce number of elections.</p>                                      | <p>Sec. 11. The purpose of this Article is to reduce the number of elections, by providing that all State and county elections shall be held only in every fourth year, and at the time now provided by law for holding congressional elections; and to bring the terms of appointive officers into harmony with the changes effected in the time of the beginning of the terms of elective officers; and the administrative and judicial officers of the State shall construe the provisions of this Article so as to effectuate that purpose. For the purpose of this Article only the word "officers" shall be construed to include those holding positions and other places of employment in the State and county governments whose terms are fixed by law, but it shall not include any appointments made by the Board of Public Works, nor appointments by the Governor for terms of three years.</p> |                      |                      |
|  | <p>Sec. 12. Vacant.</p>   |                      |                      |
| <p>Inconsistencies between this and other Articles: Provisions of this Article to prevail.</p> | <p>Sec. 13. In the event of any inconsistency between the provisions of this Article and any of the other provisions of the Constitution, the provisions of this Article</p>  |                      |                      |

| Constitution of 1851 | Constitution of 1776 | Amendments to 1776 Constitution |
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