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## 3-21. Registration appeals; how taken; hearing; further appeal.

- (a) Any person who feels aggrieved at any action of a board or of a board of registry shall have the right of appeal from a refusal to register him as a qualified voter, the removal or misspelling of his or of any other person's name, or the registration or non-registration of any fictitious, deceased or disqualified person. Such appeal may be brought at any time, except that it may not be later than the third Tuesday preceding the election. The appeal shall be taken by filing a petition, verified by affidavit, in the circuit court for the county, or if the cause of complaint arises in Baltimore City, in the Superior Court of said City, setting forth the ground of the application and asking to have the registry corrected.
- (b) The court may upon the presentation of evidence satisfactory to it, in its discretion dispose of the matter summarily or in its discretion otherwise set the matter for hearing and direct summons to be issued. Upon appropriate order of court the board shall make the required corrections indicating that such changes have been made pursuant to order of court.
- (c) In determining whether any person is or is not a resident of any precinct, it shall be presumed that if a person is shown to have acquired a residence in one locality, he retains the same until it is affirmatively shown that he has acquired a residence elsewhere.
- (d) An appeal may be taken from any ruling of such court to the Court of Appeals of Maryland. Any such appeal shall be taken within five days from the date of the decision complained of and the appeal shall be heard and decided by the Court of Appeals as soon after the transmission of the record as practicable.

## 3-22. Copies of registration lists.

- (a) The board shall furnish to anyone making written application therefor, within ten days after such application has been received, a certified copy, under their hands, of the names, addresses and party affiliations, of all persons registered in any precinct for the sum of one-half cent for each voter's name OR THE COST THERE-OF, WHICHEVER IS THE LESSER AMOUNT. Any such application must be filed at least forty-five days prior to a primary election and at least thirty days prior to a general election.
- (b) The boards may also furnish a list of the names, addresses, and party affiliations of all new registrants in any precinct in any current year for the sum of one-half cent for each voter's name on the registry OR THE COST THEREOF, WHICHEVER IS THE LESSER AMOUNT.