

161 A.A. Should any person so nominated die before election day, or decline the nomination, as in this article provided, the vacancy or vacancies thus occasioned may be filled in the manner required for original nominations; if, however the original nomination was made by a party convention which had delegated to a committee the power to fill vacancies, such committee may, upon the occurring of such vacancies, proceed to fill the same; the chairman and secretary of such committee shall thereupon shall make and file with the officers with whom the original certificates of nomination were filed, a certificate setting forth the cause of the vacancy, the name of the person now nominated, the office to which he was nominated, the name of the person for whom the new nominee is to be substituted, the fact that the committee was authorized to fill vacancies, and such further information as is required to be given in an original certificate of nomination, the certificate so made shall be executed and acknowledged in the manner prescribed for the original certificate of nomination, and shall have the same force and effect; but if such new nomination shall be made after the time in this article provided for the filing of certificates of nomination and nomination papers then such new certificate of nomination or nomination papers may be filed with the board of supervisors of election at any time before the ballots shall have been printed, and the name of any person so nominated shall then be printed on the ballots.

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161 B.B. All ballots for use at any election other than primary elections, to be held in the city of Hagerstown, shall be prepared, printed and furnished by the said board of supervisors of elections; every ballot shall contain the names of all candidates whose nominations for any offices specified in the ballot has been duly made and not withdrawn, in accordance with the provisions of this article and no other names; the names of the candidates for each office nominated as required by the provisions of this article shall be grouped together under a heading designating for what office said candidates have been nominated, and at the end of the name of each of said candidates shall be printed the name of the political party by which said candidate shall have been nominated; when a party name is given in any nomination paper in connection with the name of any nominee, it shall be stated in the ballot, but if there shall have been a nomination by a party convention or lawful primary election claiming the same party name for the same office, duly certified as provided in this article, the word "Independent" shall precede the party name of the person or persons nominated by nomination papers, if the same party

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