

land, title "Prince George's County", sub-title "Seat Pleasant", eliminating the provision as to how often there shall be a general registration of voters in the Town of Seat Pleasant.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 1243 of the Prince George's County Code (1943 Edition), being Article 17 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Prince George's County", sub-title "Seat Pleasant", be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

1243. The Council shall annually appoint three persons as officers of registration, whose duty it shall be to enter in alphabetical order in proper and convenient books to be provided by the Council, the names of all persons applying for registration who are entitled to vote under the provisions of this charter; and for the purpose of ascertaining the facts, the said officers of registration are hereby empowered to administer oaths to applicants and witnesses, touching the qualifications of applicants for registration under the terms of this charter. Such officers of registration shall sit, with their official books, for registration of qualified applicants, from 8 A. M. to 6 P. M., on the Tuesday and Wednesday preceding every municipal election, a right of challenge and of presentation of facts, relating to qualifications, and a right of appeal to the Council from the decision of the registration officers is hereby granted to any person or persons aggrieved by the decision of such officers. The Council shall sit between the hours of 8 P. M. and 10 P. M. on Thursday before election, and at such other times as may be necessary prior to the election, to hear such appeals if any, and the evidence relative thereto. The decision of the Council on such appeals shall be final. The Council shall give at least five days' notice of the time and place of sitting of the officers of registration, by means of handbills, posted in at least ten conspicuous places, in said town, or by advertisements in one or more of the newspapers of general circulation in the said town. The said officers of registration, as soon as their sittings are finished, shall forthwith transmit to the Clerk of said town, an alphabetical list of the persons registered at such sittings. The said Clerk shall on the same day, post in his office a copy of such alphabetical list of the persons registered as aforesaid, so as to be available for public inspection.

A general registration of all voters residing in the said town shall be had before the first Municipal Election to be held under the provisions of this sub-title. Such general