

No voter, in the use of a voting machine, shall be permitted to occupy more than two minutes while other voters are waiting to use the same.

In the polling places of election precincts where voting machines are used, the polls shall be opened at six o'clock A. M. and shall be closed at six o'clock P. M. and, in such polling places, Judges of election, when acting as such, shall be compensated at the rate of \$10.00 a day and no more.

Wherever possible, the provisions hereof shall be construed in harmony with existing laws. If any of the provisions hereof shall be judicially declared to be invalid or unconstitutional, the remaining provisions hereof shall not be thereby affected, but shall remain in full force and effect.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That nineteen new sections be and they are hereby added to said Article 33 of Bagby's Annotated Code of Public General Laws of Maryland, Edition 1924, title "Elections," sub-title "Voting Machines," said new sections to follow immediately after Section 224D of said Article 33 (as enacted by Chapter 532 of the General Assembly of Maryland of 1935), to be known as Sections 224-E to 224-W, inclusive, of said Article 33, and to read as follows:

224-E. As used in this sub-title:

(1) The word "ballot-labels" shall mean the cards, paper, or other material, containing the names of offices and candidates and statements of questions to be voted on;

(2) The word "diagram" shall mean an illustration of the official ballot, when placed upon the machine, showing the names of the parties, offices, and candidates, and statements of the questions, in their proper places, together with the voting devices therefor, and shall be considered a specimen ballot;

(3) The word "question" shall mean a statement of such constitutional amendment or other proposition as shall be submitted to a popular vote at any election;

(4) The words "vote indicator" shall mean the levers, knobs or handles attached to the face of the machine by means of which the voter indicates his choice of candidates or decision of question;

(5) The words "candidate counters" and "question counters" shall mean the counters on which are registered numerically the votes cast for candidates, and on questions, respectively;

(6) The words "public counter" shall mean a counter or other device which shall, at all times, publicly indicate how many times the machine has been voted on at an election;