

Chapter 22.

AN ACT to provide for the Uniform Registration of the Names of all the Qualified Voters in this State.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the Governor shall nominate and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appoint, at the present session of the General Assembly, one capable person in each election district in every county in this State, who shall be a voter and resident in the election district for which he shall be appointed, to be an officer of registration for the said election district.

Appoint officer of registration for counties.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That the said Governor shall also nominate and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appoint, at the present session of the General Assembly, twenty capable persons from each of the three legislative districts into which the city of Baltimore was divided, on the first day of January, in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-two, to be officers of registration in the said city of Baltimore for the respective election precincts in which they shall be respectively assigned to act; each of the persons so appointed shall be a voter and resident in the legislative district from which he was appointed, as said legislative district was constituted on the day hereinbefore last named; when the wards of the city of Baltimore are newly divided, as directed by an act passed at this session of the General Assembly, he shall assign one of the officers of registration so appointed to each three of the nine election precincts of which each ward in said city of Baltimore shall then be composed; assigning to the three first election precincts in each ward, as then laid out in the regular order of their numbers, one of said officers of registration; to the second three election precincts in each ward, as then laid out in the regular order of their numbers, one of said officers of registration; and to the third three election precincts in each ward, as then laid out in the regular order of their numbers, one of the said officers of registration. The said Governor, in making said assign-

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How assigned.