

passed upon a yea and nay vote supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 17, 1931.

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## CHAPTER 252.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact with amendments Sections 145, 147, 148 and 149 of Article 21 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Talbot County," sub-title "Easton," and to add a new section to said Article, said new section to be known as Section 144A and to follow immediately after Section 144 of said Article, relating to elections in the Town of Easton.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That a new section be and it is hereby added to Article 21 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Talbot County," sub-title "Easton," said new section to be known as Section 144A, to follow immediately after Section 144 of said Article and to read as follows:

144A. Said official ballots shall be printed on the same leaf, with a detachable stub or coupon one inch high and three inches wide, above the upper right-hand corner of the ballot, and binding on the upper edge thereof, but separated therefrom by a line running along the entire width of said coupon. Upon said coupon shall be printed the words "Voter's Name," with a line drawn thereunder for writing said name, and under the said line the words "Number of Voter," followed by a blank space for the insertion of number. Before distribution said ballot shall be so folded in marked creases that no part of the marks or printing thereon, excepting that upon the back and outside, and that upon the detachable stub or coupon, shall be visible, and so that the folded ballot shall be of uniform width and length and of proper width to be deposited in the ballot box. All ballots when printed shall be folded as above provided, and fastened together in convenient numbers in packages, books or blocks, so that each ballot may be detached and removed separately. The Town Clerk shall four days at