

deems necessary, for the ensuing election by setting all counters at zero, placing the proper ballot labels on the machines, locking the machines and removing the keys therefrom, and sealing each of said machines with a numbered seal so placed that the operating lever of each machine cannot be moved without destroying said seal. In the event a member of said Board is unable to be present at such inspection, the State Central Committee of the party with which such member is affiliated shall designate in writing some voter of the same party affiliation to attend such inspection as a substitute for such absent member of the Board. After each voting machine has been inspected and sealed as above, the members of said Board present, or their respective substitutes above provided for, shall make and sign a certificate, in the presence of each other, which shall be promptly filed in the office of the said Board of Supervisors of Elections, setting forth (1) the identifying serial number or other designation of each voting machine as inspected and prepared; (2) that each registering counter or tabulator of such machine was set at zero (000); (3) the number appearing on the exposed counter which registers every consecutive operation of the machine; (4) the number on the seal with which the machine has been sealed; (5) that the keys for each machine have been sealed in separate envelopes identified by the serial number of the voting machine; (6) the date and place of the inspection and preparation of such machine and that the proper ballot labels have been installed thereon. Each machine thus sealed, shall remain locked and sealed until the time of examination thereof immediately preceding the opening of the polls, as hereinafter provided.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1943.

Approved March 11, 1943.

CHAPTER 121.

(Senate Bill 227)

AN ACT to add a new Section to Article 13 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Harford County," sub-title "Orphans' Court," said new Section to follow Section 433 of Higinbothom's codification of said Article 13 and to be known as Section 433A; providing for the