

tion days. The duplicate forms shall be arranged for the entire city or county, as the case may be, in alphabetical order and constitute the permanent office record of the Board; they shall not be open to public inspection except in the presence of a clerk of the Board nor shall they be removed from the office of the Board except on order of Court. The registration records shall be open to public inspection under reasonable regulations at all times when the office of the Board is open for business except that during the thirty-five days preceding and the ten days following an election such records shall not be so opened to public inspection except upon the special order of the Board.

The binders containing the precinct registers shall be securely locked and the keys safely kept by the Supervisors of Elections and the cabinets containing the duplicate forms shall be securely locked and neither the binders nor the cabinets shall be unlocked except by a clerk or other employee of the Board of Supervisors upon the authorization of said Board.

22. If at any general or primary election, it shall appear that the original registration form of any person presenting himself as a voter is not among the cards constituting the precinct register for use on election day, such person may apply to the Board of Supervisors of Elections, or a majority of them, on forms to be provided by said Board, for a certificate entitling him to cast his ballot in spite of the absence of such original registration form. Upon receipt of any application for such certificate, accompanied by proof of the identity of the applicant, a majority of the Board shall inspect the duplicate registration forms retained in the office of said Board, and if such inspection discloses that the applicant is a duly registered voter, a majority of the Board shall make reasonable effort to locate the applicant's original registration form. If such form is not found, and if a majority of the Board shall be satisfied that its absence is not due to fraud or malfeasance, such Board or a majority thereof shall issue its certificate, a copy of which shall be retained by the Board, to the Judges of Elections of the precinct in which the applicant is found to be a registered voter, which certificate shall be marked "Temporary Certificate of Registration" and shall be sufficient authority to permit such voter to cast his ballot in such precinct as though his original registration form were present. Such certificate, when presented to the Judges of Elections, shall be retained by said judges and returned to the Board of Supervisors of Elections at the time prescribed for the return of the original registration forms.

At the same time a voter receiving such temporary certificate shall sign a new original registration form containing