

precinct of their respective counties or of said city in which paper ballots shall be used, accurate sample copies of the ballots to be used in such precinct, at the then approaching election; such sample copies shall be printed on light card-board or heavy sized paper of dimensions and type of the same size as that used in printing the official ballots, and one of them at least shall be placed upon the exterior of each building in which the polls will be held, so that the same can be readily seen and examined by persons passing on the street or road.

60. The Supervisors of Elections shall provide for each election precinct in the several counties and in the City of Baltimore in which paper ballots shall be used, a package of ballots containing at least as many ballots as there are voters shown by the last preceding registration in said precinct, and shall cause such package to be sealed and clearly marked on the outside of its wrapper with the name of the precinct or polling place for which it is intended and the number of ballots enclosed. The said package of ballots shall be delivered to the judges of elections with the ballot boxes, poll books, blanks and stationery, as provided in Section 61 of this Article. The Supervisors of Elections shall also cause to be printed a surplus number of ballots equal to ten per centum of the total number of voters as shown by the registry books in those precincts of any county, congressional, legislative or councilmanic or other district in which paper ballots shall be used, and said surplus ballots in the counties shall be retained by the Supervisors of Elections and in Baltimore City, shall be delivered to the Police Commissioner of Baltimore City, and it shall be the duty of said Supervisors of Elections and the said Police Commissioner to have said surplus ballots on the day of election in their charge, or that of an officer designated by them, and to supply them to any judges of elections who shall then make requisition therefor in writing, stating their first supply of ballots has been exhausted or that for any cause the additional ballots are needed. Said Police Commissioner shall receipt for all surplus ballots delivered to him and keep a record of all such surplus ballots delivered by him to the judges of elections, and on the day after election he shall return all ballots not so delivered to the Board of Supervisors of Elections of Baltimore City. All surplus ballots shall be destroyed within ten days after the election unless the destruction thereof be stayed by an order of Court pending a contest. The several Boards of Supervisors shall keep a record of the number of ballots printed in their respective counties or city, and shall preserve the same for at least six months after the election for which it was made.