tion of Delegates to the House of Delegates, that every person entitled to vote in the election of Delegates to the General Assembly, shall be entitled to vote with reference to the question of a Convention to frame a New Constitution and Form of Government, by expressing in writing or in printed form on the ballot he may cast, the words "For a Convention," or the words "Against a Convention," as the case may be, and in case there be any blank ballots cast at said election, the same shall not be counted; the sheriff of the several counties and the city of Baltimore, shall give notice of the day on which by the provisions of this act, the people are to vote for or against the said Convention, in the same manner as notice is now given of the election of Delegates to the General Assembly.

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SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That it shall be the duty of the several judges of election of this State, who shall be appointed in the same manner as in cases of judges of election for Delegates to the General Assembly, to receive, accurately count and duly return the number of ballots so cast for and against a Convention, as the case may be, to the Clerks of the Circuit Courts, re-STATE OF THE PARTY OF spectively, in the several counties of this State, and to the Clerk of the Superior Court of Baltimore city, as the same are now required to be returned in the election of Delegates to the House of Delegates; and the several Clerks aforesaid, shall make return to the Governor, within twenty days after said election, of the number of ballots given for and against the call of a Convention, in the same manner as they return the number of ballots in the case of an election for the Governor of this State; and the laws regulating the return for the election of said Governor, shall regulate, govern and apply to the vote taken by the provisions of this act.

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SEC. 3. And be it enacted, That as soon as the Governor shall receive the returns as aforesaid, of the number of ballots cast in this State for and against a Convention, it shall be the duty of said Governor to count and cast up the same, and if upon counting and casting up the returns as made to him, it shall appear to the Governor, that a majority of the ballots cast are in favor of

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