

THE TOTAL POPULATION OF THE STATE ACCORDING TO TO THE CENSUS SHALL BE DIVIDED BY THE NUMBER SIXTY-FIVE (65). THE RESULTING QUOTIENT, COMPUTED AS THE NEAREST WHOLE NUMBER, IS THE UNIT OF POPULATION NECESSARY FOR AN ADDITIONAL DELEGATE. THE UNIT OF POPULATION, AS DIVISOR, SHALL THEN BE DIVIDED INTO THE POPULATION OF EACH COUNTY IN THE STATE AND OF EACH LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT OF BALTIMORE CITY WHICH HAS A POPULATION IN EXCESS OF THE UNIT OF POPULATION. EACH COUNTY AND LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT SHALL RECEIVE AN ADDITIONAL NUMBER OF DELEGATES EQUAL TO THE RESULTING QUOTIENT IN EACH INSTANCE, DROPPING ANY FRACTIONAL REMAINDER. IF THE TOTAL NUMBER OF DELEGATES SO APPORTIONED IS FEWER THAN ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-THREE (123), ADDITIONAL DELEGATES SHALL BE AWARDED IN DESCENDING ORDER TO THOSE COUNTIES OR LEGISLATIVE DISTRICTS HAVING THE HIGHEST FRACTIONAL SHARE OF A UNIT OF POPULATION AS A REMAINDER AFTER THE LAST MENTIONED QUOTIENTS HAVE BEEN COMPUTED, UNTIL THE TOTAL OF ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-THREE (123) DELEGATES IS APPORTIONED.

THE TOTAL POPULATION OF THE STATE ACCORDING TO THE CENSUS SHALL BE DIVIDED BY THE NUMBER ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY THREE (123). THE RESULTING QUOTIENT, TAKEN TO THE NEAREST FIGURE OF AN EVEN THOUSAND, IS THE UNIT OF POPULATION UNTIL A SIMILAR COMPUTATION IS MADE FOLLOWING THE NEXT CENSUS. THE UNIT OF POPULATION SHALL THEN BE DIVIDED INTO THE POPULATION OF EACH COUNTY IN THE STATE AND OF EACH LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT OF BALTIMORE CITY. EACH COUNTY AND LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT SHALL RECEIVE AN AGGREGATE NUMBER OF DELEGATES (WHICH INCLUDES ITS MINIMUM OF TWO DELEGATES) AS ITS POPULATION EXCEEDS THE NUMBER OF UNITS OF POPULATION LISTED IN THE FOLLOWING SCHEDULE:

WHEN THE POPULATION OF THE COUNTY OR LEGISLA- TIVE DISTRICT EXCEEDS THIS NUMBER OF UNITS OF POPULATION	THE COUNTY OR LEGIS- LATIVE DISTRICT IS EN- TITLED TO THIS TOTAL NUMBER OF DELEGATES
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ONE UNIT SUB-DIVISIONS

2	3
3	4

TWO UNIT SUB-DIVISIONS

4	5
6	6
8	7