

*of the geographic boundaries of the State with respect to all expenditures of funds within the State of Maryland.*

SEC. 3. *Be it further enacted by the General Assembly, That Sections 3-2 (a) and 3-2 (c) of Article 33 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1971 Replacement Volume), title "Election Code," subtitle "Registration of Voters—General Provisions" be and they are hereby repealed in their entirety and that new Section 3-2 (a), to follow immediately after Section 3-1 thereof, and new Section 3-2 (c), to follow immediately after Section 3-2 (b) be and they are hereby enacted in lieu thereof and to stand in their place, to read as follows:*

[(a) *Registration days, hours and places.*—Each board shall be open for registration on the first and third Tuesday of each month, except in Anne Arundel County where it shall be open on the first and third Saturday of each month during the eight (8) weeks immediately prior to the closing of the books of registration prior to each primary election, and on such other days as each board may prescribe except as otherwise provided. Each board shall prescribe the hours and places of registration on days when it conducts the registration of voters.]

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*(a) Each board shall be open for registration on such days and during such hours, as each board may prescribe provided that: any board where there are less than ~~ten thousand (10,000)~~ TWENTY THOUSAND (20,000) registered voters in the county, shall be open not less than two days per week; any board where there are more than ~~ten thousand (10,000)~~ TWENTY THOUSAND (20,000) but not more than ~~twenty thousand~~ FIFTY THOUSAND (50,000) registered voters in the county, shall be open not less than three days per week; any board where there are more than ~~twenty thousand (20,000)~~ FIFTY THOUSAND (50,000) registered voters in the county shall be open five days per week, all which days continuously during the regular business hours for the county court house and the county business offices.*

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[(c) The requirements for all places of registration shall be the same as those for polling places as provided in Section 2-11 of this article.]

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*(c) The location of places of registration shall be at sites which meet the requirements of polling places as provided in Section 2-11 of this Article except that a local board, in its discretion, may determine that the selection of other sites is necessary in order to provide greater opportunity to the public to register to vote.*

SEC. 4. *Be it further enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Sections 2-11 (c) and 17-5 (d) of Article 33 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1971 Replacement Volume), title "Election Code," subtitles "Election Boards and Employees" and "Board of Canvassers" be and they are hereby repealed in their entirety:*