

FEEES, IT MAY ONLY PROVIDE FOR REASONABLE ATTORNEY'S FEES TO BE SET BY THE COURT IN THE EVENT OF THE FILING OF SUIT.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1974.

Approved April 30, 1974.

CHAPTER 414

(House Bill 43)

AN ACT concerning

Special Election - House of Representatives

FOR the purpose of providing that the Governor's proclamation directing that an election be held to fill a vacancy in the office of Representative in Congress must be issued ~~[[at]]~~ within a certain time, and to clarify the language therein.

BY repealing and re-enacting, with amendments,

Article 33 - Election Code
Section 22-1(b)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1971 Replacement Volume and 1973 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That Section 22-1(b) of Article 33 - Election Code, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1971 Replacement Volume and 1973 Supplement) be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

Article 33 - Election Code

22-1.

(b) If a vacancy in the office of Representative in Congress should occur by death, resignation or otherwise, the Governor shall, except as hereinafter provided, issue a proclamation directing that a special primary election and a special election be held to fill the vacancy. HE SHALL ISSUE THIS PROCLAMATION WITHIN TEN DAYS AFTER THE VACANCY OCCURS OR ~~[[WAS MADE KNOWN OR BECAME]]~~ BECOMES KNOWN TO HIM.