

PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (B).

(B) VERIFICATION OF SIGNATURES AND CERTIFICATION.

ANY PAPER WHICH IS PART OF A PETITION SHALL BE SUBMITTED TO THE BOARD OF THE COUNTY IN WHICH THE SIGNERS ON THE PAPER ARE ALLEGED TO RESIDE. THE BOARD SHALL GIVE A SIGNED RECEIPT TO THE PERSON SUBMITTING THE PAPER STATING THAT THE PAPER IS FILED WITH THE BOARD. EACH BOARD SHALL VERIFY THE SIGNATURES OF ALLEGED VOTERS REGISTERED IN THAT COUNTY ACCORDING TO A METHOD PRESCRIBED BY THE FAIR CAMPAIGN FINANCING COMMISSION. FOLLOWING VERIFICATION, AN AUTHORIZED EMPLOYEE OF THE BOARD SHALL STATE ON EACH PAPER THE NUMBER OF SIGNATURES VERIFIED BY THE EMPLOYEE, AND ENDORSE AND SIGN THE PAPER. EXCEPT FOR THE CANDIDATE PROVIDED IN §4A-2, THE DETERMINATION OF THE SUFFICIENCY OF THE PERCENTAGE OF REGISTERED VOTERS SHALL BE BY EACH COUNTY BOARD. PAPERS REQUIRED TO BE FILED WITH THE STATE ADMINISTRATIVE BOARD OF ELECTION LAWS PURSUANT TO §4A-2, AFTER VERIFICATION AND ENDORSEMENT AS PROVIDED IN THIS SUBSECTION, SHALL BE MAILED OR DELIVERED BY THE BOARD TO THE STATE ADMINISTRATIVE BOARD OF ELECTION LAWS NOT LESS THAN 70 DAYS BEFORE THE PRIMARY ELECTION. IN THIS CASE, THE STATE ADMINISTRATIVE BOARD OF ELECTION LAWS SHALL DETERMINE THE SUFFICIENCY OF THE PERCENTAGE OF REGISTERED VOTERS. THE COMMISSION SHALL INFORM EACH BOARD OF THE NUMBER OF SIGNATURES NECESSARY FOR A MINIMUM, MAXIMUM, OR PERCENTAGE OF THE MAXIMUM, PUBLIC CAMPAIGN DONATION.

(C) BOARD TO COMPLETE FORM.

ON FINDING SUFFICIENT SIGNATURES TO QUALIFY FOR A DONATION, THE BOARD SHALL COMPLETE A FORM PROVIDED BY THE COMMISSION AND WHICH SHALL BE CERTIFIED BY A NOTARY THAT THE FORM WAS SIGNED IN HIS PRESENCE BY AN EMPLOYEE OF THE BOARD. THE FORM SHALL PROVIDE FOR THE:

- (1) NAME OF THE CANDIDATE;
- (2) OFFICE THE CANDIDATE SEEKS;
- (3) ELECTION DISTRICT OR AREA IN WHICH THE CANDIDATE IS STANDING FOR ELECTION;
- (4) NAME OF THE BOARD VERIFYING THE SIGNATURES;
- (5) NUMBER OF VERIFIED SIGNATURES FILED WITH THE BOARD; AND
- (6) SIGNATURE AND TYPED NAME OF THE BOARD EMPLOYEE COMPLETING THE FORM.