

and they are hereby repealed and reenacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

Article 33 - Election Code

23-1.

(a) Whenever a proposed Constitution or constitutional amendment ~~[[for]]~~ OR other question is to be submitted for popular approval to the voters of the State or local subdivisions [thereof], the State Administrative Board of Election Laws shall certify the same to the boards on or before the [fourth Monday in the month of July.] THIRD MONDAY IN THE MONTH OF ~~[[SEPTEMBER]]~~ AUGUST. Thereupon the board shall include the same in the publication provided for in § 8-5 of this article. If questions of local concern are to be submitted for approval to the vote of the people of a county or a municipality the same shall be certified to the boards within [said] THAT period by the county commissioners, county councils or treasurer of the City of Baltimore, as the case may be, and shall be advertised as [herein] provided FOR in the case of nominees for county or city offices.

(b) Questions arising under Article XIA of the Constitution of Maryland (including demands or petitions for the election of a charter board, amendments to any charter previously adopted, and any proposed charter or form of government) shall be filed with the board, mayor of Baltimore City, or president of the board of county commissioners, or the county council as the case may be, on or before the [fourth Monday in the month of July] THIRD MONDAY IN THE MONTH OF ~~[[SEPTEMBER]]~~ AUGUST in the year in which there is to be a general election at which any [such question] OF THESE QUESTIONS is to be voted upon. The filing of any [such question] OF THESE QUESTIONS with the officer of officers specified in [said] Article XIA shall be construed also to be a filing with the board for the purposes of this article.

23-3.

~~[[In every petition (including an associated or related set of petitions) under the provisions of Article XVI of the State Constitution, THE SIGNATURES SHALL BE ON SEPARATE PAPERS IN THE FORM PRESCRIBED BY THE STATE ADMINISTRATIVE BOARD OF ELECTION LAWS, EACH BEARING FULL IDENTIFICATION WITH THE PETITION FOR WHICH IT IS FILED, EACH PAPER BEING NO MORE THAN 8 1/2 INCHES IN WIDTH AND 14 INCHES IN LENGTH, BEARING ONE OR MORE SIGNATURES, AND HAVING ATTACHED TO IT THE AFFIDAVIT OF THE PERSON PROCURING THE SIGNATURES AS REQUIRED BY ARTICLE XVI OF THE STATE CONSTITUTION. [there] THERE shall be appended to the signature of each signer his residence, the [precinct and ward or precinct and election district] NAME OF THE CITY OF BALTIMORE OR THE COUNTY [wherein] IN WHICH he is registered as a voter, and immediately below~~