

member of a Governor - Lieutenant Governor unit nominated by petition, dies, withdraws or is disqualified before or after the filing deadline; and generally relating to the candidacy of a Governor and Lieutenant Governor unit.

BY adding to

Article 33 - Election Code
Section 6-1 through 6-10, inclusive, to be under the new subtitle "Candidates for Governor and Lieutenant Governor"
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1971 Replacement Volume and 1975 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That new Sections 6-1 through 6-10, inclusive, to be under the new subtitle "Candidates for Governor and Lieutenant Governor" be and they are hereby added to Article 33 - Election Code, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1971 Replacement Volume and 1975 Supplement) to read as follows:

Article 33 - Election Code

CANDIDATES FOR GOVERNOR AND LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

6-1.

EACH CANDIDATE FOR NOMINATION FOR GOVERNOR, AT THE TIME OF FILING FOR THAT OFFICE, SHALL DESIGNATE A CANDIDATE FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE II OF THE CONSTITUTION OF MARYLAND. THE NAMES OF THE CANDIDATES FOR GOVERNOR AND LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR SHALL BE LISTED JOINTLY ON THE ELECTION BALLOT, AND A VOTE CAST FOR THE CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR SHALL BE ALSO A VOTE CAST FOR THE CANDIDATE FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR. THE CANDIDATES SHALL FILE FOR NOMINATION JOINTLY AND SHALL BE CONSIDERED A UNIT FOR NOMINATION OF A PARTY TO THE OFFICES OF GOVERNOR AND LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR. THE NAME OF A CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR OR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR MAY NOT BE LISTED ON THE BALLOT WITHOUT BEING LISTED JOINTLY WITH THE NAME OF A CANDIDATE FOR THE OTHER OFFICE.

6-2.

IF EITHER OF THE CANDIDATES OF A GOVERNOR-LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR UNIT DIES OR WITHDRAWS OR BECOMES DISQUALIFIED FOR ANY REASON PRIOR TO THE FILING DEADLINE SET FORTH IN SECTION 4A-3, THE REMAINING CANDIDATE MAY DESIGNATE A SUCCESSOR WHO SHALL FILE HIS CERTIFICATE OF CANDIDACY PRIOR TO THE FILING DEADLINE OR THE SIXTH DAY FOLLOWING THE DAY OF THE DEATH, WITHDRAWAL, OR DISQUALIFICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. THE REMAINING CANDIDATE MAY ALSO WITHDRAW HIS CANDIDACY IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 9-1(A) AND FORM A NEW UNIT FOR CANDIDACY FOR THE OFFICES OF GOVERNOR AND LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR. BOTH CANDIDATES SHALL