

NOMINATED AT A PRIMARY ELECTION HELD IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE PRIMARY ELECTION PROVIDED FOR IN SUBTITLE 5 OF THIS ARTICLE.

(B) IF, AT ANY TIME AFTER THE DEADLINE FOR THE WITHDRAWAL OF CANDIDACIES AND BEFORE THE PRIMARY ELECTION, THE NUMBER OF CANDIDATES HAVING FILED CERTIFICATES OF CANDIDACY IN ANY CONTEST DOES NOT EXCEED TWICE THE NUMBER OF OFFICES TO BE FILLED, A CERTIFICATE OF NOMINATION SHALL BE ISSUED IMMEDIATELY TO EACH CANDIDATE. THE NAMES OF THE CANDIDATES AND THE OFFICE SHALL BE OMITTED FROM THE PRIMARY BALLOT.

(C) IN A PRIMARY ELECTION HELD PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBTITLE, EACH REGISTERED VOTER, WITH OR WITHOUT A PARTY AFFILIATION IS ELIGIBLE TO VOTE:

(1) IN THE CONTEST OR CONTESTS FOR THE OFFICE OR OFFICES THAT APPEAR ON HIS BALLOT; AND

(2) IN EACH CONTEST, FOR THE NUMBER OF CANDIDATES FOR WHICH THERE ARE OFFICES TO BE FILLED.

(D) THE CANDIDATES IN EACH CONTEST, EQUAL IN NUMBER TO TWICE THE NUMBER OF OFFICES TO BE FILLED, WHO RECEIVE THE LARGEST NUMBER OF VOTES IN THE PRIMARY ELECTION SHALL BE THE NOMINATED CANDIDATES. IF 2 OR MORE CANDIDATES EACH RECEIVE THE LOWEST NUMBER OF VOTES NECESSARY TO QUALIFY, FOR NOMINATION, THEREBY CREATING A TIE FOR THE LAST NOMINATION OR NOMINATIONS FOR THE OFFICE OR OFFICES TO BE FILLED, EACH SHALL BE A NOMINATED CANDIDATE.

(E) IF A CANDIDATE DIES OR BECOMES DISQUALIFIED FOR AN OFFICE TOO LATE FOR HIS NAME TO BE REMOVED FROM THE BALLOT, ANY VOTES CAST FOR THAT CANDIDATE SHALL NOT BE COUNTED.

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(A) IN A GENERAL ELECTION AT WHICH 1 OR MORE MEMBERS OF A BOARD OF EDUCATION ARE TO BE ELECTED, EACH REGISTERED VOTER IS ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AND, SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF § 32-6, MAY VOTE IN EACH CONTEST FOR A NUMBER OF NOMINEES EQUAL TO THE NUMBER OF OFFICES TO BE FILLED THAT APPEAR ON HIS BALLOT.

(B) IN EACH CONTEST, THE NOMINEES EQUAL IN NUMBER TO THE NUMBER OF OFFICES TO BE FILLED, WHO RECEIVE THE LARGEST NUMBER OF VOTES IN A GENERAL ELECTION SHALL BE DECLARED ELECTED. IF 2 OR MORE NOMINEES EACH RECEIVE THE LOWEST NUMBER OF VOTES NECESSARY TO QUALIFY FOR ELECTION, THEREBY CREATING A TIE FOR THE LAST OFFICE OR OFFICES TO BE FILLED, THE OFFICE OR OFFICES SHALL BE CONSIDERED VACANT, AND EACH VACANCY SHALL BE FILLED AS IF IT HAD OCCURRED DURING THE TERM OF OFFICE FOR WHICH THE ELECTION IS BEING HELD, BY THE SELECTION OF ONE OF THOSE NOMINEES.