SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That if any provision of this Act or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid for any reason, the invalidity shall not affect the other provisions or any other application of this Act which can be given effect without the invalid provisions or application, and to this end all the provisions of this Act are declared to be severable.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1983.

Approved May 31, 1983.

CHAPTER 610

(House Bill 524)

AN ACT concerning

Election Laws - Polling Place - Posting Signs

- FOR-the-purpose-of-requiring-election-judges--to--post--signs--at polling---places---to--mark---areas---where---eanvassing, electioneering,--or--posting--campaign--literature--may--not occur;-providing-that-the-chief-judges-at-each-polling-place shall--post--signs--at--a--convenient--location--prohibiting election-signs-within-a-100-foot-radius-of-the-entrance--and exit-to-a-polling-place:
- FOR the purpose of providing that certain election judges at each polling place shall post signs establishing limits inside which certain electioneering activities are prohibited; providing for certain discretion and guidelines in the placement of the signs; specifying certain requirements regarding the text of the signs; and generally relating to electioneering at polling places.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 33 - Election Code Section 24-23 Annotated Code of Maryland (1976 Replacement Volume and 1982 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article 33 - Election Code