

[13-206.

(a) This section applies only to a candidate who elects to use a personal treasurer to conduct campaign finance activity.

(b) A candidate may not receive or disburse money or any other thing of value through a personal treasurer unless the candidate establishes a personal treasurer in accordance with the requirements of this section.

(c) To establish a personal treasurer, an individual shall:

(1) appoint a treasurer on a form that the State Board prescribes and that includes the treasurer's name and address; and

(2) subject to subsection (d) of this section, file the form with the board where the individual is required to file a certificate of candidacy.

(d) An individual may not file a form appointing a treasurer, and the appointee may not act as treasurer, until:

(1) the appointee accepts the appointment in writing on a form that the State Board prescribes; and

(2) the acceptance form is filed with the board where the individual is required to file a certificate of candidacy.

(e) (1) A treasurer may resign by completing a resignation form that the State Board prescribes and filing the form with the board where the personal treasurer was established.

(2) If a vacancy occurs in the office of treasurer, the candidate promptly shall appoint a new treasurer in accordance with this section.]

13-208.

(a) This section applies to a political committee other than a political club.

(b) A political committee shall provide, with the filing required by § 13-207(c) of this subtitle, a statement of organization that includes its name and a statement of purpose.

(c) The statement of purpose shall specify:

(1) each candidate or ballot question, if any, that the political committee was formed to promote or defeat; [and]

(2) the identity of each special interest, including any business or occupation, that the organizers of or contributors to the political committee have in common; AND

(3) WHETHER THE POLITICAL COMMITTEE WILL PARTICIPATE IN PRESIDENTIAL, GUBERNATORIAL, BALTIMORE CITY, OR MULTIPLE ELECTIONS.

(d) (1) A political committee may not use a name that is intended or operates to deceive people as to the political committee's true nature or character.