

5-3.

(a) Primary elections shall be held and conducted and determined in the manner and form provided by this article for general elections and subject to all regulations, requirements and provisions as prescribed by this article for general elections, insofar as the same are or may be applicable to primary elections, except as may be herein otherwise provided.

(B) NOT LESS THAN 30 DAYS BEFORE ANY PRIMARY ELECTION, THE STATE ADMINISTRATIVE BOARD OF ELECTION LAWS SHALL CERTIFY TO THE BOARD OF EACH COUNTY AND OF BALTIMORE CITY, THE NAME, PARTY AFFILIATION AND RESIDENCE, AS SPECIFIED IN THE CERTIFICATES OF CANDIDACY, OF THOSE CANDIDATES FILED WITH THE STATE ADMINISTRATIVE BOARD OF ELECTION LAWS, QUALIFIED TO APPEAR ON THE PRIMARY ELECTION BALLOT AND FOR WHOM THE VOTERS ARE, BY LAW, ENTITLED TO CAST THEIR BALLOTS.

(C) CERTIFICATION OF CANDIDATES FOR A SPECIAL PRIMARY ELECTION CALLED PURSUANT TO SECTION 22-1(B) OF THIS ARTICLE SHALL BE MADE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 22-1(C)(1) OF THIS ARTICLE.

[(b)] (D) The ballots in such election shall be cast, counted and canvassed, and the result of the election announced and certified as now provided in this article for general elections held hereunder.

[(c)] (E) Whenever only one candidate of any such political party for such public office or position has so qualified to have his name so placed upon the official primary election ballot at the expiration of the time allowed, his name and the name of the position for which he is a candidate shall be omitted from the said official ballot, so that the official ballot of such political party shall contain only the names of such candidates for positions, offices, or delegates where there are qualified contestants for such positions.

[(d)] (F) There shall be no names of candidates written in at primary elections.

8-4.

(A) Not less than sixty-five days before a general election at which the voters elect the President of the United States, [not less than thirty days before a general election at which the voters elect the Governor of the State, and not less than twenty days before a special election called pursuant to § 22-1 (b) of this article to fill a vacancy in the office of Representative in Congress,] the State Administrative Board of Election Laws shall certify to the board of each county and of the City of Baltimore, [within which any of the voters may by law vote for candidates for any office,] the name, party affiliation and residence of each person nominated for the office, as specified in the