

- (1) THE AUTHORITY; AND
- (2) THE POLITICAL SUBDIVISION THAT IS TO BE SERVED.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from the eighth sentence of former HE § 9-908(a) -- as that sentence relates to the sale of bonds -- and the third sentence of (d).

In subsection (a)(1) of this section, the reference to "unit of the State government" is substituted for the former reference to "department, division, commission, board, bureau, or agency of this State", for clarity. The term "unit" is used as a general term for an organization in the State government, because "unit" is broad enough to include all of these entities.

9-934. SAME -- SPECIAL PROVISIONS IN ALLEGANY COUNTY, DORCHESTER COUNTY, AND MIDDLETOWN IN FREDERICK COUNTY.

(A) SCOPE OF SECTION.

THIS SECTION APPLIES ONLY IN ALLEGANY COUNTY, DORCHESTER COUNTY, AND THE TOWN OF MIDDLETOWN IN FREDERICK COUNTY.

(B) SUBMISSION OF QUESTION TO REGISTERED VOTERS.

(1) AN AUTHORITY MAY NOT ISSUE BONDS UNLESS THE QUESTION OF ISSUANCE OF THE BONDS IS SUBMITTED TO THE REGISTERED VOTERS WHO RESIDE WITHIN THE GEOGRAPHICAL AREA SERVED BY THE AUTHORITY.

(2) THE GOVERNING BODY AND THE BOARD OF ELECTION SUPERVISORS IN EACH POLITICAL SUBDIVISION SHALL DO WHATEVER IS NECESSARY AND PROPER TO SUBMIT THE QUESTION TO A REFERENDUM OF THE QUALIFIED VOTERS OF THE POLITICAL SUBDIVISION.

(C) QUALIFIED VOTERS.

A QUALIFIED VOTER AT A REFERENDUM UNDER THIS SECTION IS AN INDIVIDUAL WHO:

(1) LIVES WITHIN THE GEOGRAPHIC AREA SERVED BY THE AUTHORITY; AND

(2) IS QUALIFIED AND REGISTERED TO VOTE IN STATE AND COUNTY ELECTIONS IN THE AREA.

(D) DATE AND CONDUCT OF REFERENDUM.

(1) THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE AUTHORITY SHALL SET THE DATE FOR THE REFERENDUM.

(2) EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED IN THIS SUBTITLE, ARTICLE 33 OF THE CODE GOVERNS THE CONDUCT OF THE REFERENDUM.