

for registration purposes by a certain date; and specifying that certain individuals engaged in voter registration may not be deemed to be agents of an election board.

BY adding to

Article 33 - Election Code
Section 3-10(e) and 3-12(d)
Annotated Code of Maryland
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BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 33 - Election Code
 Section ~~3-1(a) and (e)~~, ~~3-11(a)~~, and ~~3-12(a) and (e)~~ 3-12(a)
 Annotated Code of Maryland
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SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article 33 - Election Code

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~~(a) -- {After July 17, 1967,} A UNIFORM SYSTEM OF continuous registration -- of -- voters -- in -- the -- State -- shall -- be -- conducted continuously -- under -- the -- direction -- of -- THE -- STATE -- ADMINISTRATIVE BOARD -- OF -- ELECTION -- LAWS -- AND -- the -- various -- boards, -- except -- at -- such times -- when -- registration -- is -- closed -- as -- required -- under -- this -- article. Except -- as -- otherwise -- expressly -- provided -- in -- this -- article, -- no -- places of -- registration -- need -- be -- provided -- in -- the -- respective -- precincts, -- but all -- matters -- of -- registration -- may -- be -- conducted -- in -- the -- office -- of -- the board.~~

~~(e) -- A -- voter -- registration -- by -- mail -- program -- shall -- be established -- and -- administered -- by -- general -- rules -- and -- regulations promulgated -- by -- the -- State -- Administrative -- Board -- of -- Election -- Laws for -- all -- federal, -- State, -- and -- local -- elections, -- following -- the general -- registration -- requirements -- of -- this -- article. {Registration} UNIFORM -- REGISTRATION -- forms -- shall -- be -- designed -- BY -- THE -- STATE ADMINISTRATIVE -- BOARD -- OF -- ELECTION -- LAWS -- to -- require -- the -- applicant -- to supply -- information -- required -- by -- this -- article, -- for -- the -- registration of -- voters -- to -- ascertain -- the -- qualifications -- of -- the -- voter -- applying for -- registration -- by -- mail, -- and -- to -- prevent -- fraudulent registrations. -- The -- information -- required -- on -- these -- forms -- shall -- be supplied -- by -- the -- applicant -- under -- penalties -- of -- perjury. Registration -- by -- mail -- under -- this -- subsection -- may -- be -- made -- from -- and after -- January -- 17, -- 1974.~~

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