

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1987.

Approved May 14, 1987.

CHAPTER 437

(House Bill 157)

AN ACT concerning

Election Laws - Voter Registration

FOR the purpose of providing for the challenge and correction of errors in voter registration lists and records; requiring the board of elections or board of registry to hold a hearing on certain applications or challenges to voter registration lists and records; requiring the board of elections or board of registry to correct certain voter registration records and lists under certain conditions; requiring notice to be given to certain persons whose voter registration status or record is changed; and generally relating to voter registration records and lists and procedures for challenging, correcting, and changing information contained in voter registration records and lists.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 33 - Election Code
Section 3-16
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1986 Replacement Volume)

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

Article 33 - Election Code

3-16.

(A) (1) WHENEVER A BOARD OR BOARD OF REGISTRY DETERMINES THAT, AS THE RESULT OF A CLERICAL ERROR, A REGISTRATION RECORD IS ERRONEOUS, THE BOARD SHALL CORRECT THE ERROR AS SOON AS PRACTICABLE AND NOTIFY THE PERSON WHOSE RECORD HAS BEEN CORRECTED. NOTIFICATION SHALL BE BY FIRST CLASS MAIL.

(2) IF A BOARD OR BOARD OF REGISTRY DETERMINES THAT THERE IS REASON TO BELIEVE THAT, OTHER THAN AS A RESULT OF A