

sufficient in number to affect the results of the election. Copies of such objections shall immediately be served upon each of the other parties by the party filing them, and proof of service shall be made to the [Department] DIVISION of Labor and Industry.

(c) If objections are filed to the conduct of the election or conduct affecting the result of the election, or if the challenged ballots are sufficient in number to affect the result of the election, the Commissioner or his duly authorized representatives shall investigate such objections, challenges or both, and shall prepare and cause to be served upon the parties a report on challenged ballots, objections, or both, including recommendations. Within ten days from the date of issuance of the report on challenged ballots, objections, or both any party may file with the [Department] DIVISION of Labor AND INDUSTRY, four copies of exceptions to such report. Immediately upon the filing of such exceptions, the party filing the same shall serve a copy thereof upon each of the other parties. Proof of service shall be made to the [Department] DIVISION of Labor and Industry. If no exceptions are filed to such report, the Commissioner or his duly authorized representatives, upon the expiration of the period for filing such exceptions, may decide the matter forthwith upon the record or may make other disposition of the case.

(f) The Commissioner of the [Department] DIVISION of Labor and Industry is empowered to adopt such rules and regulations of procedure as may be necessary for the carrying out of the provisions of this section and § 12 of this article, such rules and regulations of procedure to conform as nearly as practical to the rules and regulations of procedure of the federal National Labor Relations Board applicable to the holding of consent elections, intervention and decertification.

DRAFTER'S NOTE: This corrects outdated references in Article 89 §§ 10 and 13(a), (c), and (f).

The Department of Labor and Industry became a division of the Department of License and Regulation in Ch. 402 of the Acts of 1970.

The outdated references were noted by the Computer Division of the Department of Legislative Reference and by the professional staff of the Legislative Division of the Department of Legislative Reference.

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(c) Any independent contractor or employer to whom information is not supplied under subsections (a) and (b) of this section may obtain a chemical information list or material safety