

(8B) "Independent" means any voter who has declined to affiliate with a political party.

(9) "Infamous crime" means any felony, treason, perjury, or any crime involving an element of deceit, fraud or corruption.

(10) "Judge" means any person designated as a judge of election and shall include book judges and machine attendants.

(11) The "majority party" means the principal political party to which the incumbent Governor belongs, if the incumbent Governor is a member of one of the two principal political parties; if the incumbent Governor is not a member of one of the two principal political parties, "majority party" means the principal political party whose candidate for Governor received the highest number of votes at the last preceding general election. The principal "minority party" means the other of the two principal political parties. The "principal political parties" mean the two parties whose candidates for Governor received the highest and second highest number of votes at the last preceding general election.

(12) "Partisan organization" means any combination of two or more persons formed for the purpose of assisting the promotion of the success or defeat of any candidate, political party, principle or proposition to be submitted to a vote at any election.

(13) "Political agent" means any person appointed by any candidate, his representative, a political party or partisan organization to promote or assist in the promotion of the success or defeat of any candidate, political party, principle or proposition submitted to a vote at any election.

(14) "Political committee" means any combination of two or more persons appointed by a candidate or any other person or formed in any other manner which assists or attempts to assist in any manner the promotion of the success or defeat of any candidate, candidates, political party, principle or proposition submitted to a vote at any election.

(15) "Party" or "political party" as used in this article means an organized group of the electorate that attempts to control government through the election of its candidates to office, and which either:

(i) Polled 3 percent or more of the entire vote cast in the State in the last general election held in the State; or

(ii) Filed a valid petition for the formation of a political party pursuant to § 4B-1 of this article. But, if