

~~PARTY CONVENTION SHALL PROVIDE WRITTEN NOTICE TO THE STATE BOARD OF THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE PRESIDENTIAL AND VICE PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEES TO BE PLACED ON THE BALLOT AT THE NEXT SUCCEEDING GENERAL ELECTION.~~

(3) IF MORE THAN ONE WRITTEN NOTICE NAMING DIFFERENT PRESIDENTIAL AND VICE PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEES IS PROVIDED TO THE STATE BOARD BY PERSONS PURPORTING TO BE THE PRESIDING OFFICER OF THE SAME PARTY CONVENTION, THE STATE BOARD SHALL REQUIRE THE CHAIRMAN OF THE STATE PARTY TO PROVIDE WRITTEN REAFFIRMATION OF THE PARTY'S NOMINEES WITHIN 5 DAYS AFTER THE STATE BOARD'S DEMAND.

5-502.

(a) Subject to § 5-402 of this title, an individual who has filed a certificate of candidacy may withdraw the candidacy by filing a certificate of withdrawal on the form prescribed by the State Board within 10 days after the filing date established under § 5-303 of this title.

(B) AN INDIVIDUAL WHO HAS FILED A CERTIFICATE OF CANDIDACY AND A PETITION IN ACCORDANCE WITH § 8-502(D)(1)(I) OF THIS ARTICLE, OR A CANDIDATE FOR DELEGATE TO THE DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL CONVENTION SUBJECT TO § 5-303(A)(2) OF THIS TITLE, MAY WITHDRAW THE CANDIDACY BY FILING A CERTIFICATE OF WITHDRAWAL ON THE FORM PRESCRIBED BY THE STATE BOARD WITHIN ~~5~~ 4 DAYS AFTER THE FILING DATE ESTABLISHED UNDER § 5-303 OF THIS TITLE.

[(b)](C) An individual who has filed a certificate of candidacy for the special election to fill a vacancy for Representative in Congress may withdraw the certificate on the prescribed form within 2 days after the filing date established in the proclamation issued by the Governor.

8-501.

(a) Delegates and alternate delegates to the national presidential nominating convention of a political party shall be selected as provided in the national party rules of the party.

(b) The State central committee of each political party shall certify to the State Board, not later than January 1 in the year of the election:

(1) the number of delegates and alternate delegates to be selected in the State and the mode or modes of selection; and

(2) in the case of a principal political party:

(i) if delegates are to be elected by district, the number of delegates to be elected from each district;

(ii) provisions for placing on the ballot the name of a presidential candidate, or the word "uncommitted", adjacent to the name of each candidate for delegate; [and]