

As to the substitution of "Mediation Service" for the former references to the "Commissioner", "his duly authorized representatives", and "the Division of Labor and Industry", see the revisor's note to § 4-202 of this subtitle.

The Labor and Employment Article Review Committee notes, for consideration by the General Assembly, that subsection (a)(1) of this section conforms to the former federal law, for which the 5-day period excluded Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays. Under 29 C.F.R. 102.69, the period for making an objection is now 7 days.

The Committee also notes that the Mediation Service indicates that one copy of an objection is sufficient.

Defined terms: "Challenged ballot" § 4-206

"Consent election" § 4-201

"Mediation Service" § 4-201

4-214. REPORT ON INVESTIGATIONS.

AFTER INVESTIGATION OF A CONSENT ELECTION UNDER § 4-212 OR § 4-213 OF THIS SUBTITLE, THE MEDIATION SERVICE SHALL:

(1) PREPARE A REPORT, INCLUDING ANY RECOMMENDATION, ON THE INVESTIGATION; AND

(2) SERVE THE REPORT ON EACH PARTY TO THE CONSENT ELECTION.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 89, § 13(d) and, as it related to preparing a report on objections or challenges, the first sentence of (c).

The former reference to consolidation of reports on challenged ballots with reports on objections is deleted as unnecessary in light of the references to the sections on challenges and objections.

As to the substitution of "Mediation Service" for the former reference to "the Commissioner or his duly authorized representatives", see the revisor's note to § 4-202 of this subtitle.

Defined terms: "Consent election" § 4-201

"Mediation Service" § 4-201

4-215. EXCEPTION TO REPORT.

(A) AUTHORIZED.

WITHIN 10 DAYS AFTER THE MEDIATION SERVICE ISSUES A REPORT ON A CHALLENGED BALLOT OR OBJECTION UNDER § 4-214 OF THIS SUBTITLE, A PARTY TO THE CONSENT ELECTION MAY MAKE AN EXCEPTION TO THE REPORT.