

(3) A NOTICE UNDER PARAGRAPH (1)(III) OF THIS SUBSECTION SHALL BE ADDRESSED TO THE INDIVIDUAL'S MOST RECENT ADDRESS AS REFLECTED BY THE REGISTRATION RECORDS.

(4) AN INDIVIDUAL SPECIFIED IN PARAGRAPH (1)(III) OF THIS SUBSECTION MAY APPEAR IN PERSON OR BY COUNSEL.

(D) HEARING PROCEDURES.

(1) THE LOCAL BOARD SHALL CONDUCT THE HEARING ON EACH CHALLENGE.

(2) THE WILLFUL FAILURE OF THE CHALLENGER TO APPEAR AT A HEARING UNDER THIS SECTION SHALL BE PUNISHABLE BY THE PENALTIES PROVIDED IN § 16-1001 OF THIS ARTICLE.

(3) AT THE REQUEST OF A PARTY, OR ON ITS OWN MOTION, THE LOCAL BOARD SHALL ISSUE SUBPOENAS TO WITNESSES TO APPEAR AND TESTIFY AT THE HEARINGS.

(4) WITNESSES AT THE HEARINGS SHALL BE SWORN.

(E) HEARING DECISION.

(1) ALL CHALLENGES SHALL BE DECIDED PROMPTLY AFTER THE HEARING.

(2) AN INDIVIDUAL MAY NOT BE REMOVED FROM THE REGISTRY UNLESS THE INDIVIDUAL'S INELIGIBILITY IS SUBSTANTIATED BY AFFIRMATIVE PROOF. IN THE ABSENCE OF SUCH PROOF, THE PRESUMPTION SHALL BE THAT THE INDIVIDUAL IS PROPERLY REGISTERED.

(3) IF THE LOCAL BOARD DETERMINES THAT AN INDIVIDUAL SHOULD BE ADDED TO OR REMOVED FROM THE REGISTRY, THE LOCAL BOARD IMMEDIATELY SHALL ADD OR REMOVE THE INDIVIDUAL AND NOTIFY THE INDIVIDUAL, BY FIRST CLASS MAIL, OF THE BOARD'S ACTION.

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(A) JUDICIAL REVIEW.

(1) A PARTY WHO IS AGGRIEVED BY THE FINAL DECISION IN A HEARING BY A LOCAL BOARD IS ENTITLED TO JUDICIAL REVIEW OF THE DECISION AS PROVIDED IN THIS SECTION.

(2) (I) A PETITION FOR JUDICIAL REVIEW SHALL BE FILED WITH THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE COUNTY IN WHICH THE LOCAL BOARD IS LOCATED.

(II) THE PETITION MAY BE BROUGHT AT ANY TIME, EXCEPT THAT IT MAY NOT BE LATER THAN THE THIRD TUESDAY PRECEDING THE NEXT SUCCEEDING ELECTION.

(B) ROLE OF THE COURT.