

(1) A PERSON AGGRIEVED BY A DETERMINATION MADE UNDER § 6-202, § 6-206, OR § 6-208(A)(2) OF THIS SUBTITLE MAY SEEK JUDICIAL REVIEW:

(I) IN THE CASE OF A STATEWIDE PETITION, OR A PETITION FOR A CONGRESSIONAL OR GENERAL ASSEMBLY CANDIDACY, IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY; OR

(II) AS TO ANY OTHER PETITION, IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY IN WHICH THE PETITION IS FILED.

(2) THE COURT MAY GRANT RELIEF AS IT CONSIDERS APPROPRIATE TO ASSURE THE INTEGRITY OF THE ELECTORAL PROCESS.

(3) JUDICIAL REVIEW SHALL BE EXPEDITED BY EACH COURT THAT HEARS THE CAUSE TO THE EXTENT NECESSARY IN CONSIDERATION OF THE DEADLINES ESTABLISHED BY LAW.

(B) DECLARATION RELIEF.

PURSUANT TO THE MARYLAND UNIFORM DECLARATORY JUDGMENTS ACT AND UPON THE COMPLAINT OF ANY REGISTERED VOTER, THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE COUNTY IN WHICH A PETITION HAS BEEN OR WILL BE FILED MAY GRANT DECLARATORY RELIEF AS TO ANY PETITION WITH RESPECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF THIS TITLE OR OTHER PROVISIONS OF LAW.

6-210. SCHEDULE OF PROCESS.

(A) REQUEST FOR ADVANCE DETERMINATION.

(1) A REQUEST FOR AN ADVANCE DETERMINATION UNDER § 6-202 OF THIS SUBTITLE SHALL BE SUBMITTED AT LEAST 30 DAYS, BUT NOT MORE THAN 2 YEARS AND 1 MONTH, PRIOR TO THE DEADLINE FOR THE FILING OF THE PETITION.

(2) WITHIN 5 BUSINESS DAYS OF RECEIVING THE REQUEST FOR AN ADVANCE DETERMINATION, THE ELECTION AUTHORITY SHALL MAKE THE DETERMINATION.

(B) NOTICE.

WITHIN 2 BUSINESS DAYS AFTER AN ADVANCE DETERMINATION UNDER § 6-202 OF THIS SUBTITLE, OR A DETERMINATION OF DEFICIENCY UNDER § 6-206 OR § 6-208 OF THIS SUBTITLE, THE CHIEF ELECTION OFFICIAL OF THE ELECTION AUTHORITY SHALL NOTIFY THE SPONSOR OF THE DETERMINATION.

(C) VERIFICATION AND COUNTING.

THE VERIFICATION AND COUNTING OF VALIDATED SIGNATURES ON A PETITION SHALL BE COMPLETED WITHIN 20 DAYS AFTER THE FILING OF THE PETITION.

(D) CERTIFICATION.

WITHIN 2 BUSINESS DAYS OF THE COMPLETION OF THE VERIFICATION AND COUNTING PROCESSES, OR, IF JUDICIAL REVIEW IS PENDING, WITHIN 2 BUSINESS