

10-307. RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE LOCAL BOARD.

(A) GENERALLY.

THE MEMBERS OF EACH LOCAL BOARD SHALL BE AVAILABLE AS NEEDED ON AN ELECTION DAY.

(B) ASSISTANCE TO POLLING PLACE STAFF.

THE LOCAL BOARD SHALL PROVIDE THE STAFF OF EACH POLLING PLACE WITH THE MEANS TO CONTACT AND OBTAIN SUPPORT FROM THE OFFICE OF THE LOCAL BOARD ON ELECTION DAY.

DRAFTER'S NOTE: This section is new language. Subsection (a) of this section repeats a provision already provided under the responsibilities of the local boards set forth in § 2-302(b)(2).

10-308. ACCESS TO VOTING ROOM.

AN ELECTION JUDGE SHALL ALLOW THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS TO HAVE ACCESS TO THE VOTING ROOM AT A POLLING PLACE:

- (1) A VOTER;
- (2) AN INDIVIDUAL WHO ACCOMPANIES A VOTER IN NEED OF ASSISTANCE IN ACCORDANCE WITH § 10-310 (C) OF THIS SUBTITLE;
- (3) POLLING PLACE STAFF;
- (4) A MEMBER OR OTHER REPRESENTATIVE OF THE STATE BOARD OR LOCAL BOARD;
- (5) AN ACCREDITED WATCHER OR CHALLENGER UNDER § 10-311 OF THIS SUBTITLE;
- (6) A CHILD UNDER THE AGE OF 11 WHO ACCOMPANIES A VOTER IN ACCORDANCE WITH § 10-310(C) OF THIS SUBTITLE; AND
- (7) ANY OTHER INDIVIDUAL AUTHORIZED BY THE STATE BOARD OR LOCAL BOARD.

10-309. RESPONSIBILITIES OF ELECTION JUDGES ON ELECTION DAY - BEFORE THE POLLS OPEN.

(A) GENERALLY.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH INSTRUCTIONS PROVIDED BY THE ELECTION DIRECTOR, AN ELECTION JUDGE SHALL ARRIVE AT THE POLLING PLACE AND, UNDER THE DIRECTION OF THE CHIEF JUDGE, SET UP THE POLLING PLACE TO ASSURE THAT THE POLLS WILL BE OPEN AND OPERATIONAL AT 7 A.M.

(B) ADMISSION OF CHALLENGERS AND WATCHERS.