

(10) ALTER ANY PETITION AFTER IT IS FILED WITH THE ELECTION AUTHORITY.

(B) EACH VIOLATION A SEPARATE OFFENSE.

EACH VIOLATION OF THIS SECTION SHALL BE CONSIDERED A SEPARATE OFFENSE.

(C) PENALTY.

A PERSON WHO VIOLATES THIS SECTION IS GUILTY OF A MISDEMEANOR AND IS SUBJECT TO THE PENALTIES PROVIDED IN SUBTITLE 10 OF THIS TITLE.

SUBTITLE 5. OATHS.

16-501. FALSE OATH OR AFFIRMATION.

(A) GENERALLY.

A PERSON MAY NOT WILLFULLY AND FALSELY TAKE AN OATH OR AFFIRMATION PRESCRIBED:

- (1) BY THE STATE BOARD; OR
- (2) PURSUANT TO THIS ARTICLE.

(B) SUBORNATION.

A PERSON MAY NOT WILLFULLY INDUCE OR PROCURE, OR OFFER TO INDUCE OR PROCURE, ANOTHER PERSON TO WILLFULLY AND FALSELY TAKE AN OATH OR AFFIRMATION PRESCRIBED:

- (1) BY THE STATE BOARD; OR
- (2) PURSUANT TO THIS ARTICLE.

(C) PENALTY FOR PERJURY.

ANY PERSON WHO VIOLATES SUBSECTION (A) OF THIS SECTION IS GUILTY OF PERJURY AND SHALL BE PUNISHED ACCORDING TO THE LAWS OF THE STATE FOR PERJURY.

(D) PENALTY FOR SUBORNATION OF PERJURY.

ANY PERSON WHO VIOLATES SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION IS GUILTY OF SUBORNATION OF PERJURY AND SHALL BE PUNISHED ACCORDING TO THE LAWS OF THE STATE FOR SUBORNATION OF PERJURY.

SUBTITLE 6. CANVASSING.

16-601. FALSE REPORTS.

(A) GENERALLY.