

(d) The exterior of the voting machine, and every part of the polling-place, shall be in plain view of the judges of election and watchers. Every voting machine shall be located in the polling-place, at least six feet back of the guard-rail, in such a position that, unless its construction shall require otherwise, the ballot-labels on the face of the machine can be seen plainly by the judges of election and watchers when the machine is not occupied by a voter. The judges of election shall not themselves be, nor allow any other person to be, in any position that will permit one to see or ascertain how a voter votes, or how he has voted. The said judges, or one of them, shall inspect the face of the machine at frequent intervals, to see that the ballot-labels are in their proper places, and that the machine has not been injured or tampered with.

(e) During an election, the door, or other covering of the compartment containing the counters of the machine, shall not be unlocked or opened, or the counters exposed, except by the action of the proper custodian of voting machines for good and sufficient reason, a statement of which shall be made in writing and signed by him and attested by the signatures of the judges of election, or except upon the written order of the Board of Supervisors of Elections for good and sufficient reason which shall be stated in the order.

(f) Except in Baltimore City, where the procedure shall be as heretofore specified in Section 65 of this Article, one of the judges of election shall issue to each voter found upon the registers to be qualified, an official voter's certificate on a form provided by the Board of Supervisors of Elections, whereon said judge shall enter a number corresponding with said voter's number on the poll book, the name of the voter, and the original signature or initials of said judge, written in ink. At the same time the other judge of election shall enter on the poll book the number and name of the voter to whom such voter's certificate was issued. The two judges of election not in charge of the registers shall be in charge of the operation of the voting machines, and they shall permit no one to register a vote upon any voting machine unless the voter applying to them shall produce and surrender to them or one of them an official voter's certificate duly signed or initialed by the judge; and in the event any voter shall leave the voting machine booth without registering a vote the judge holding such voter's certificate shall endorse a memorandum of that fact on the certificate of such voter, and sign his name; and at the close of the polls the judges in charge of the voting machines shall account for all certificates surrendered to them, to be returned to the Board of Supervisors of Elections wrapped and sealed in a package marked "Surrendered Voters' Certificates," bearing the signatures of the judges. The unused and spoiled