

book or record of bylaws, and shall be open to inspection at all reasonable times by any member or qualified voter of the parish.

(f) Challenged nominations.

If, in the course of the election of any vestryman, other officer or delegate, the qualifications of any person for such office is challenged, the question shall be resolved by judges selected from one of the groups stipulated in § 299 (d) of this subheading to decide qualifications of voters.

(g) Filling vacancy in office of vestryman.

Upon the death of any member of the vestry, other than the rector, or upon the resignation, refusal to serve, or other disqualification, of any vestrymen, unless otherwise provided by the bylaws of the parish, the vestry shall fill such vacancy by a majority vote of the remaining vestrymen then in office.

The successor so appointed shall serve until the term of the member who shall have died, resigned, refused to serve, or become disqualified, has expired.

(h) Vestrymen to hold office until successors are elected and qualified.

All vestrymen, whenever and however elected or appointed, shall hold office until their successors are elected and have qualified.

(i) Election of lay delegates and alternates to conventions.

The method of election of lay delegates and alternate lay delegates to annual or special conventions held in the Diocese of Easton, the number or numbers of such delegate or delegates to represent each parish, aided parish, separate congregation, mission or the congregation of Trinity Cathedral, and the qualifications of such delegate or delegates and their alternates shall be such as may be prescribed from time to time by the constitution of the convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Easton.

(j) Procedure for adoption of bylaws generally.

The procedure for the adoption, amendment, modification and repeal of parish bylaws permitted by §§ 299 (a), 299 (c) (4), 300 (a), 300 (b), 300 (d), 301 (b), 301 (g), 301 (i), 303 (b), 303 (c), 305 (e), and 306 (c) of this subheading shall be substantially the same as that required by the provisions of paragraphs (2), (3), (4) and (5) of subsection (e) of this section regulating the adoption of bylaws anent the alternative method for the election, number, qualifications and tenure in office