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(a) As used in this article the following terms shall have the meanings indicated unless a contrary meaning is clearly intended from the context in which the term appears:

(4A) "CENTRAL COMMITTEE" MEANS THE LOCAL OR STATEWIDE GOVERNING BODY OF A POLITICAL PARTY, AS APPROPRIATE IN THE CONTEXT. ~~"STATE--CENTRAL--COMMITTEE" MEANS THE GOVERNING BODY FOR THE STATE OF A POLITICAL PARTY.~~

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Section 148(c) of Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1976 Replacement Volume and 1976 Supplement) be and it is hereby repealed and reenacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

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(c) In Prince George's County the Governor shall appoint two of the three said commissicners from the political party obtaining the highest number of votes in the last general election in the county, and the third commissioner shall be appointed by the Governor from the political party obtaining the next highest number of votes in said county election. Before making said appointments and before filling any vacancy as hereinabove provided, the Governor shall request the [State] central committees for Prince George's County representing each of the two leading political parties of the State to designate at least four eligible candidates for each position; and the Governor shall appoint one of the persons so designated unless in his judgment all of said persons shall be unfit or incompetent, in which case he shall file a written statement to that effect with the Secretary of State, setting forth such facts and the grounds therefor and shall call upon the said committees for Prince George's County for another list of six names for each position to be filled, from which list and the original list he shall make the appointments. Provided, in Prince George's County, upon the expiration of the terms of the present commissioners in office, on June 1, 1971, the Governor shall appoint in the manner hereinabove provided, one commissicner for a term of one year, one for a term of two years and one for a term of three years. Thereafter all terms shall be for three years and not more than two of said appointees shall belong to the same political party.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Section 16 of Article 25 - County Commissioners, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1973 Replacement Volume and 1976 Supplement) be and it is hereby repealed and reenacted, with amendments, to read as follows: