

except for the chairman of the Republican party [State] central committee for Baltimore County, who shall be elected at large.

(h) In Montgomery County, there shall be 19 members of the party [State] central committees for the county. For the Democratic committee, the members shall be elected at large. For the Republican committee, two members shall be elected from each of the legislative districts that lie wholly within Montgomery County, one member shall be elected from the Montgomery County part of each legislative district which is partially within Montgomery County, the remainder shall be elected at large, and any vacancy in a seat held initially by a member elected from a legislative district shall be filled by a person residing in that district.

(i) In Carroll County, the Republican [State] central committee shall consist of seven members elected at large.

(j) In Baltimore City the members of the party [State] central committees shall be elected from the legislative districts of Baltimore City; and the number of members of each party [State] central committee from any legislative district shall be equal to the number of persons that the legislative district is entitled to elect to the House of Delegates of the General Assembly of Maryland.

(k) In Prince George's County, members of the Republican Party [State] central committee may not run at large. They shall be elected from within legislative districts of Prince George's County or within that portion of any legislative district lying within Prince George's County. The number of members of the [State] central committee shall consist of two per legislative district.

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Within ten days after the day of any primary election, or within two days after the results of the canvass are declared official, any candidate for a nomination or for delegate to any convention or for member of a [State or local] central committee or position who has been defeated on the face of the returns, may petition the board for an appeal from and review of the action and decision of the judges in counting the ballots and for a recanvass and recount of the ballots cast in any or all of the precincts of any county or Baltimore City or ward or legislative district or political division therein. If the candidate was a candidate for a State office or for Congress or for judge he may petition for said recount in two or more counties or legislative districts or wards or precincts of Baltimore City simultaneously.