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CHAPTER _____

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Prince George's County - Specimen Ballot - Primary Election**

3 **PG 428-96**

4 FOR the purpose of requiring a specimen ballot to be mailed by a certain time to the
5 household of each registered voter in Prince George's County; requiring the County
6 to include the cost of mailing ballots for primary elections in the annual budget; and
7 generally relating to primary election specimen ballots in Prince George's County.

8 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
9 Article 33 - Election Code
10 Section 2-10(a)(3)
11 Annotated Code of Maryland
12 (1993 Replacement Volume and 1995 Supplement)

13 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
14 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

15 **Article 33 - Election Code**

16 2-10.

17 (a) (3) (i) In Prince George's County, at least 1 week before the general AND
18 PRIMARY [election] ELECTIONS the Board shall mail a specimen ballot to the
19 household of each registered voter in the County.

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1 (ii) The costs for mailing the specimen ballot required under subparagraph
2 (i) of this paragraph shall be included in the annual budget appropriation by Prince
3 George's County to the board.

4 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
5 October 1, 1996.