

BY: Senator Della

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 118

(Third Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 2, strike “and” and substitute a comma; in the same line, after “Candidates” insert “, and Ballots”; in line 7, after “date” insert “for certain provisions of this Act; prohibiting, except under certain circumstances, the identification on the ballot of a candidate's county of residence”; in line 11, strike “and 5-703(e)” and substitute “5-703(e), and 9-210(h)”; and after line 15, insert:

“BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 33 - Election Code

Section 16-5(d)(2)(i)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1997 Replacement Volume and 1997 Supplement)”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 5, after line 12, insert:

“9-210.

(h) (1) [In an election for an office that represents more than one county, in whole or in part, the name of] EXCEPT AS REQUIRED UNDER THE LEGISLATIVE DISTRICTING PLAN FOR THE ELECTION OF DELEGATES IN A DISTRICT THAT CONTAINS MORE THAN TWO COUNTIES OR PARTS OF MORE THAN TWO COUNTIES, a candidate [shall] MAY NOT be identified by the county in which the candidate resides.

(2) A candidate for President of the United States or Vice President of the United States shall be identified by the state in which the candidate resides.

(Over)

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article 33 - Election Code

16-5.

(d) (2) (i) [The name of each candidate for public or party office for which the voters of the entire State or more than one county or legislative district may vote, shall] EXCEPT AS REQUIRED UNDER THE LEGISLATIVE DISTRICTING PLAN FOR THE ELECTION OF DELEGATES IN A DISTRICT THAT CONTAINS MORE THAN TWO COUNTIES OR PARTS OF MORE THAN TWO COUNTIES, A CANDIDATE MAY NOT be identified by the county or city in which said candidate resides.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Section 2 of this Act shall take effect July 1, 1998.”;

in line 13, strike “2.” and substitute “4.”; and in the same line, after “That” insert “Section 1 of “.