1971 Special Session Acts: "registrants and the county and city registration ..... (amended by 1973 Acts Ch. 30)

(2) Same: registration and .... (amended by 1972 Acts Ch. 620)

(3) Same: The register shall check the names and addresses in such poll books against the election books and shall use the information from such poll books to perform his duties under § 241-146. He shall then seal such poll books and deliver them to the clerk of the court of record wherein deeds are recorded of the county or city.

(4) See (2)

(5) until after results of election have been ascertained as provided in § 241-146. The secretary shall of the electoral board shall then deliver one poll book to the general register. Such book shall be available. 1972 Acts 620

(6) Acts 1973 Acts Ch. 30: both copies
of the election is within the province of the board of canvassing. It is the duty of the board of canvassing to determine the election, and to act for the purpose of correcting the proceedings of the election. The board of canvassing shall have power to correct any irregularities or mistakes in the proceedings of the election, and to return the elections to the same, or to declare the election invalid. They shall also have power to fill vacancies in the board of canvassing, and to appoint persons to fill such vacancies. The board of canvassing shall hold their meetings at such times and places as they may determine. The board of canvassing shall have power to make rules and regulations for the government of their proceedings, and to appoint clerks and other officers to assist in the performance of their duties. The board of canvassing shall report their proceedings to the legislature at their annual sessions, and shall make such returns as may be required by the legislature.
Section 24.1-144

(b) 1973 Acts Ch. 30: "except on order of a court before which there is pending a proceeding for a contest of a recount under Chapter 8 (§24.1-236 et seq.) of this title or when there is then pending a proceeding in which the ballots are necessary for use in evidence." 1975 Acts Ch. 515

(c) 1978 Acts: added §24.1-144 (i) and subpart (iii) of (iii)

§ 24.1-146

(i) 1973 Acts Ch. 30: The result so ascertained shall be conclusive and shall not thereafter be subject to challenge by any person except as specifically provided in Chapter 8 (§24.1-236 et seq.) of this title
nominees the names of the candidates to be printed thereon. Such chairman shall also certify the order and date and time of filing for purposes of printing the ballots as prescribed in § 24.1-188. Each such chairman shall comply with the provision of this section not less than fifty-five days before the primary.

§ 24.1-188. Primary Ballots.—The primary ballots for the several parties taking part in a primary shall be composed, arranged, printed, delivered, and used in the same manner as the general election ballots except that across the top of each official primary ballot shall be printed in plain black type the date of the primary, the name of the political party, and immediately underneath the following words "Primary Election Ballot." The names of the candidates for various offices shall appear on the ballot in an order determined by the priorities of the time of filing for the office. In the event two or more candidates file simultaneously, the order of filing shall then be determined by lot by the electoral board or the State Board of Elections.

§ 24.1-189. Poll Books and Ballot Boxes.—There shall be two poll books and a separate ballot box provided for each party taking part in any primary. The poll book for each party shall have plainly marked upon its top the words, "Primary Ballot Box", and immediately under the words the name of the party which uses the same. Each poll book shall bear conspicuously upon its cover the name of the party whose voters are recorded therein, and shall have printed therein the following:

Tally Sheet

For (name of party) for the .................................................. Precinct in the county, (or city) of .................................................. for primary held on .................................................. day of .................................................. A.D.

The names of candidates for nominations shall be placed on the tally sheets of each political party by the officers of election in the order in which they appear on the primary ballot.

§ 24.1-190. One Poll Book Delivered to Chairman.—After the votes have been ascertained on one poll book shall be delivered by the secretary of the electoral board to the chairman of the city or county committee of the party for which the primary is held. The nominee of the party shall be entitled at his own expense, to copy the poll book retained by the clerk of court.

§ 24.1-191. Abstracts of Votes.—As soon as the electoral board shall determine the persons who have received the highest number of votes for nomination to any such office, the secretary shall immediately make out abstracts and certificates of the votes cast as provided in § 24.1-150, and certified copies thereof shall be placed in an envelope by the secretary and forwarded by certified mail as follows: for United States Senator and State officers to the State Board of Elections; for members of the House of Representatives of the United States, to the chairman of the congressional district committee; for members of the General Assembly, to the chairman or several chairmen, as the case may be, of the county or counties and cities composing the district; and for county and city and district officers, to the chairman of the county or city; and the secretary shall endorse on the back of the envelope in which the certified copies are enclosed: "Copy of the abstract of votes cast in the primary election in .................................................. County (or City as the case may be) on .................................................. nineteen hundred and .................................................."

The chairman or chairmen hereinbefore referred to are the chairman

Nominee Declared.—As soon as possible after receipt of abstract and not later than seven days after the day of the Board of Elections shall open and tabulate the returns, pletion of such tabulation the Board shall declare the nominee and form as it does in general elections.

§ 24.1-193. If Abstracts Not Forwarded, Officer Them.—If from any county or city the abstract of votes been received by the State Board of Elections within sixty, State primary election, it shall dispense a law enforcement, them as provided in § 24.1-153.

§ 24.1-194. Procedure to Fill Vacancies Caused by Retirement or Removal.—Whenever, by reason of the death, removal of the incumbent, a vacancy in any office shall sixty (60) days before the date fixed by § 24.1-174 for primary, but more than thirty days before such date, instituted party authorities may permit the filing of declaration for nomination in the primary to such office. Notice and the right to file declarations of candidacy to fill the advertised by the party committee or committees in at least general circulation within the Commonwealth, if it be an election by the people at large, and in one of all manner prescribed by the properly constituted party authority declaration of candidacy shall be filed with the committee until such advertisement is had, nor within fifteen days for holding the primary.

§ 24.1-195. When Nominee by Default Dies or Withdrawal Primary.—If any person who shall have been nominated at a political party for any office in any general ele of the fact that he is the only person who has filed the of and petition for candidacy, dies, or withdraws as substitute, at a time which is thirty days or more before the primary would have been held if two or more candi fied, any person desiring to become a candidate for nomination at such primary who is otherwise qualified may file petition for his candidacy with the proper chairman of his party committee or committees. Such notice and petition in every respect, except in the time of filing same, amendments which applied to the qualification as a primary nominee who has died or withdrawn. Such notice and petition shall be filed at least twenty days before the day on which the primary is held. If more than one person qualifies, the party chairman shall promptly certify their names to the appropriate election boards as having qualified under the provisions of this section, and the board or boards having charge of the printing of the ballots for such primary election shall either (a) cause to be the name of every person so certified to be printed thereon as qualifying this section, or (b) if the official ballots containing the names for the party's nomination for another office or of the party's candidates, the printing is the office for which two or more persons have qualified provisions of this section and print thereon the names of those certified to it as so qualifying. In the event that only one person has qualified as a candidate at any such primary in accordance with this section, such person so qualifying shall be deemed to
(4) 1972 Acts ch 620: "After it has been returned by the register in accordance with § 24.1-143."