

COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

20 DCSTAT 2600

D.C. Act 20-210, effective November 7, 2013 (Expiration date February 5, 2014)

AN ACT

Bill 20-560

**Emergency
Declaration
Res. 20-332
20 DCStat 2762**

**Codification
District of
Columbia
Official Code
2001 Edition**

**Party Officer
Elections
Emergency
Amendment
Act of 2013**

To amend, on an emergency basis, the District of Columbia Election Code of 1955 to permit the election of officials of political parties during any regularly scheduled primary election and to extend the deadline local party committees can file written communication with the Board of Elections identifying the offices to be filled during the April 1, 2014, primary election.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the “Party Officer Elections Emergency Amendment Act of 2013”.

Sec. 2. The District of Columbia Election Code of 1955, approved August 12, 1955 (69 Stat. 699; D.C. Official Code § 1-1001.01 *et seq.*), is amended as follows:

(a) Section 8(l)(1) (D.C. Official Code § 1-1001.08(l)(1)) is amended by striking the number “180” and inserting the number “130” in its place.

**Note,
§ 1-1001.08**

(b) Section 10(a)(1) (D.C. Official Code § 1-1001.10(a)(1)) is amended by striking the phrase “on either the 2nd Tuesday in February of each presidential election year or the 1st Tuesday in April of each presidential election year if there is” and inserting the word “during” in its place.

**Note,
§ 1-1001.10**

Sec. 3. Fiscal impact statement.

The Council adopts the fiscal impact statement of the Budget Director as the fiscal impact statement required by section 602(c)(3) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Official Code § 1-206.02(c)(3)).

Sec. 4. Effective date.

This act shall take effect following approval by the Mayor (or in the event of veto by the Mayor, action by the Council to override the veto), and shall remain in effect for no longer than 90 days, as provided for emergency acts of the Council of the District of Columbia in section 412(a) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 788; D.C. Official Code § 1-204.12(a)).