



CHAPTER 163

ARTICLE 18A - PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE PRIMARY ACT

N.C.G.S. § 163-213.2.

Primary to be held; date; qualifications and registration of voters.

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On the Tuesday after the first Monday in March, 2020, and every four years thereafter, the voters of this State shall be given an opportunity to express their preference for the person to be the presidential candidate of their political party.

Any person otherwise qualified who will become qualified by age to vote in the general election held in the same year of the presidential preference primary shall be entitled to register and vote in the presidential preference primary. Such persons may register not earlier than 60 days nor later than the last day for making application to register under G.S. 163-82.6 prior to the said primary. In addition, persons who will become qualified by age to register and vote in the general election for which the primary is held, who do not register during the special period may register to vote after such period as if they were qualified on the basis of age, but until they are qualified by age to vote, they may vote only in primary elections.

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APPARATUS I
15 ACTS

Amendment lineage

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1971					1995						2018
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Nº	YEAR	ACT	CHARACTER								
01	1971	c. 225	ENACTED								

02	1975	c. 744	AMENDED
03	1975	c. 844, s. 18	AMENDED
04	1977	c. 19	AMENDED
05	1977	c. 661, s. 7	AMENDED
06	1983	c. 331, s. 5	AMENDED
07	1983	1985 (Reg. Sess., 1986), c. 927, s. 1	AMENDED
08	1987	c. 457, s. 3	AMENDED
09	1991	c. 689, s. 15(a)	AMENDED
10	1991	1991 (Reg. Sess., 1992), c. 1032, s. 6	AMENDED
11	1999	S.L. 1999-424, s. 7(j)	AMENDED
12	2013	S.L. 2013-381, s. 35.1	AMENDED
13	2017	S.L. 2017-6, s. 3	AMENDED
14	2018	S.L. 2018-21, s. 3	AMENDED
15	2018	S.L. 2018-146, s. 3.1(a), (b)	AMENDED

APPARATUS II
1 AUTHORITY

Authorities referenced

Every G.S. cross-reference appearing in the text of this section, in order of first appearance. Nothing is characterized; the operative language is quoted from the section itself.

REFERENCE	APPEARS IN	OPERATIVE LANGUAGE IN THIS SECTION
G.S. 163-82.6		<i>"for making application to register under"</i>

APPARATUS III

Citation

FULL SECTION

N.C. Gen. Stat. § 163-213.2 (2018).

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