Fact Sheet
Election Protection

ARIZONA VOTERS’ BILL OF RIGHTS

YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO VOTE – it’s the law! The letters and numbers after each of your
eights listed below tell lawyers and poll workers where to find the actual Arizona statute that
protects your right to vote. These rights are guaranteed to properly registered and qualified
voters. You have the right to take documents into the voting booth with you. If you feel your
rights have been violated, please find an Election Protection volunteer to assist you or call toll
free: 1866-OURVOTE (186666878683).

Arizona
YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO VOTE:
1. IF YOU ARE IN LINE at the polling place when the polls open at 6:00 a.m. or close at 7:00 p.m. Source:
   A.R.S. § 16-565(A) and (D).

2. BY REGULAR PROVISIONAL BALLOT if your name is not on the precinct register, but you present proper
identification. Source: A.R.S. § 16-584(B).

3. BY REGULAR PROVISIONAL BALLOT IF YOU HAVE CHANGED YOUR NAME without re-registering, if you
   provide identification with your new name. Source: A.R.S. § 16-137.

4. BY CONDITIONAL PROVISIONAL BALLOT if you do not have the identification required to obtain a
   regular ballot.

5. WITH ASSISTANCE from anyone you choose or from two election officials (one of each major political

6. USING AN ALTERNATIVE VOTING PROCEDURE if you are elderly or handicapped and the polling place is
   not accessible to you. Source: A.R.S. § 16-581(A).

7. IN YOUR NEW PRECINCT by provisional ballot if you have moved within the same county in Arizona
   without reregistering but you provide identification with your name and new address. Source: A.R.S. § 16-
   135(B).

8. IN YOUR OLD PRECINCT if you have moved to a new county in Arizona within 29 days of Election Day.
   Source: A.R.S. § 16-125.

9. BY REGULAR BALLOT IF SOMEONE CHALLENGES your right to vote and a majority of the election board
   finds the challenge to be invalid. BY PROVISIONAL BALLOT EVEN IF SOMEONE MAKES A VALID CHALLENGE
   to your right to vote. Source: A.R.S. § 16-592(B) and (C).

10. WITHOUT SIGNING YOUR NAME if you are unable to sign due to a physical disability. Source: A.R.S.
    § 16579(D).

11. IF YOU HAVE ONLY EVER BEEN CONVICTED OF ONE FELONY, if you have fully completed your
    sentence (including any period of probation or parole), and have reregistered to vote. Source: A.R.S. §
    13-912(A); A.R.S. § 16-165(A)(4) (Registration cancelled upon felony conviction).

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