Form No. 156. Prescribed by the Secretary of State. (11/2024)

Certificate of Election

R.C. 3505.38

THE STATE OF OHIO, _____ COUNTY, ss.

We, the undersigned, BOARD OF ELECTIONS, having canvassed all the returns and declared the result of the _____ Election held on Tuesday, the _____ day of _____, _____,
(Primary or General)

within and for _____,
(County, City, District, etc.)

DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT _____ WAS DULY ELECTED
(Name)

_____
(Office)

for the _____ term _____
(full or unexpired) (beginning or ending)

as appears by the returns of the election and the abstract of votes now on file in the office of the Board of Elections.

In Witness Whereof, we have hereunto subscribed our names and caused our official seal to be affixed at _____, Ohio, this _____ day of _____, _____

_____
Chair

_____

_____

Attest: _____
Director

_____
Board of Elections

NOTICE

State officers, county officers, judges of courts of record and county judges are ineligible to perform the duties of office until they receive a commission from the Governor. (Section 107.05, Revised Code.)

The commission is obtained after the board of elections forwards this certificate of election to the Secretary of State.

The Secretary of State will issue the commission signed by the Governor and return it to the Clerk of Courts who will deliver it to the officer. (Section 107.07, Revised Code.)

Members of the General Assembly do not receive commissions but should present this certificate in their respective houses on the day they organize. (Section 101.01 and 101.11, Revised Code.)

Term "beginning" is for a full term.

Term "ending" is for filling a vacancy for the unexpired term.