

53.18 Manner of preserving ballot and application.

Upon receipt of the absentee ballot, the commissioner shall at once record the number appearing on the application and return carrier envelope and time of receipt of such ballot and attach the elector's application to the unopened envelope. Absentee ballots shall be stored in a secure place until they are delivered to the absentee and special voters precinct board.

[SS15, § 1137-h, -i; C24, 27, 31, 35, 39, § **944**; C46, 50, 54, 58, 62, 66, 71, 73, 75, 77, 79, 81, § 53.18]

89 Acts, ch 136, §52; 91 Acts, ch 129, §20; 2002 Acts, ch 1134, §67, 115