

SOUTH CAROLINA

ELECTION COMMISSION

Certification and Protest Schedules November 4, 2008 General Election

COUNTY ELECTION COMMISSION

Date	Event	Statutes
November 7	County election commission, serving as the county board of canvassers, meets to canvass and certify election results.	7-17-20
November 12, 12:00 noon	Protests of countywide and less than countywide offices are filed with the county board of canvassers.	7-17-30
November 17	Protest hearings heard by county board of canvassers.	7-17-50
November 24, 12:00 noon	Written transcript of protest hearing submitted to the State Board of Canvassers.	7-17-50
November 24, 12:00 noon	Deadline to file appeals with the State Board of Canvassers from decisions of the county boards.	7-17-60

STATE ELECTION COMMISSION

Date	Event	Statutes
November 12, 11:00 a.m.	State Election Commission, serving as the Board of State Canvassers, meets to canvass and certify the votes for all races.	7-17-220
November 17, 12:00 noon	Deadline to file protests for federal, statewide, State Senate, State House of Representatives and multi-county offices with the State Board.	7-17-260
November 24, 12:00 noon	Deadline to file appeals with the State Board of Canvassers from decisions of the county boards.	7-17-60
November 18 – December 8	State Board hears appeals.	7-17-70
November 17 – December 11	State Board hears protests.	7-17-270

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