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APPENDIX A

**1992 PETITION DEADLINES FOR
INDEPENDENT PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES**

State	Date	Election Code Citation	Formula for Determining Date
Ala	August 31	17-19-2	date named in law
Alas	August 24	court ruling <i>Sykes v Lt Gov</i>	day before primary election
Az	Sept. 18	16-341.0	10 days after primary election
Ark	Sept. 15	Atty Gen Op. 79-102 & Sec ruling	date ballot must be certified
Cal	August 7	Election code 6864	88 days before general election
Colo	August 4	1-4-801 e & h	1 week before primary election
Ct	August 14	9-405 & 9-453i	32 days before primary election
Del	July 15	Title 15, sec. 3002(d)	date named in law
Fla	July 15	103.021(3)	date named in law
Ga	July 14	21-2-132	second Tuesday in July
Hi	September 4	11-113	60 days before general election
Id	August 25	34-708(A)	date named in law
Il	August 3	Ch. 46, sec. 10-6	92 days before general election
In	July 15	3-8-6-10	date named in law

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Io	August 14	45.1	81 days before general election
Kan	August 4	25-305	on primary day
Ky	August 27	118.365(7)	68 days before general election
La	September 1	1255	first Tuesday in September
Me	June 2	Tit. 21A, sec. 354.8	1 wk before 2nd Tuesday in June
Md	August 3	Art. 33, sec. 7-1(c)(1)	first Monday in August
Ma	July 28	Ch. 53, sec. 7	14 weeks before general election
Mi	July 16	168.590c(2)	110 days before general election
Mn	Sept. 15	204B.09	on primary day
Ms	September 4	23-15-785(2)	60 days before general election
Mo	August 3	115.329	first Monday in August
Mt	July 29	13-10-504	97 days before general election
Neb	August 25	32-504(2)(c)	70 days before general election
Nev	Sept. 1	<i>Fulani v Lau</i> , N92-535-ECR	date named in court order
NH	August 5	655:43	34 days before primary election
NJ	July 27	19: 13-9	99 days before general election
NM	Sept 8	1-8-52.0	56 days before general election
NY	August 18	Election code 6-158.9	11 weeks before general election

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NC	June 26	163-122(1)	last Friday in June
ND	September 4	16.1-12-04	55 days before general election
Oh	August 20	3513.257	75 days before general election
Ok	July 15	10-101.1	date named in law
Ore	August 25	249.722(1)	70 days before general election
Pa	August 1	<i>Libertarian Pty v Davis</i> court order	date named in court order
RI	Sept. 4	17-14-11, amended 1991	date named in ruling
SC	August 1	7-13-351	date named in law
SD	August 4	12-7-1, 12-7-1.1	first Tuesday in August
Tn	August 20	2-5-101(a)	third Thursday in August
Tx	May 11	192.032(c)	75 days after precinct conventions
Ut	September 1	20-4-9.5	date named in law
Vt	Sept. 17	Title 17, sec. 2386	47 days before general election
Va	August 21	24.1-159	74 days before general election
Wa	July 25	29.24.020, 29.18.030	Sat. before last Monday in July
WV	August 1	3-5-24	date named in law
Wis	September 1	8.20(8)(a)	first Tuesday in September

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Wy	August 24	22-5-307	70 days before day before gen. elec.
DC	August 18	1-1312(f)	third Tuesday in August

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completion of petitions. Declarations of candidacy are
due before the petitions are due in Rhode Island, New
Hampshire, and West Virginia.

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APPENDIX B

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US attacks Azerbaijan's electoral law

The United States has criticised Azerbaijan's new electoral law as seriously flawed.

The State Department spokesman, Philip Reeker, said that although the new legislation was an improvement on earlier drafts, it did not remove a restriction which prevented political parties registered in the last six months from contesting elections scheduled for November.

In addition, he said that changes to the law on the make-up of the General Election Commission allowed the body to sit legally without any members of the opposition being present, and could prevent the election from being transparent and vote-counting from being impartial. Both moves have already been strongly criticised by the Organisation for Security and Co-operation in Europe. Mr Reeker said that the United States hoped the problems could be corrected.

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