

Current Article

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Section 3. Vacancy: In the event of a vacancy of a state chair position, the Executive Board will name an interim chair to serve until an election can be held at the next state convention.

Proposed Text

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B. **If state convention is cancelled due to an emergency or unforeseen circumstances, state chair elections may be held online. Sponsors in good standing are eligible to vote.**

Rationale: 2020