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Report of Nominating Committee

A. Regular Election

- (1) In even-numbered years, the Nominating Committee hereinafter established shall prepare a report for the annual meeting naming one candidate for each of the offices of president, vice president for finance, vice president for legislation/resolutions, and vice president for county activities, to be voted upon at the next regular election. No candidate shall be nominated unless he or she has previously served one full term as a board member prior to his/her election to office. No person who serves on the Nominating Committee may be nominated as a candidate for office at the forthcoming election. In the event that the Nominating Committee determines that no qualified candidates exist for a position, it may opt not to nominate a candidate for that position, in which case candidates shall be nominated only by petition or from the floor.
- (2) The committee shall furnish a certified copy of its report to the executive director not less than 80 days prior to a regular election. The Nominating Committee shall also file the written consent of the candidates for nomination. The report of the Nominating Committee shall be submitted to the district boards of education at least 70 days in advance of the regular election.
- (3) In the event a candidate nominated by the Nominating Committee becomes unable to serve, the Nominating Committee, at the call of its chairperson, shall select an alternate candidate and forthwith submit to the district boards of education its amended report.

B. Special Election

- (1) The Nominating Committee shall reconvene as necessary to select a candidate for each office, which must be filled by a special election.
- (2) The Nominating Committee shall prepare a report naming one candidate for each office, which must be filled at a special election or which will need to be filled at a special election in the event an officer fails to be reelected or reappointed to his or her district board of education prior to the annual meeting in the odd-numbered year. No candidate shall be nominated unless he or she has previously served one full term as a board member prior to the candidate's election to office. No person who serves on the Nominating Committee may be nominated as a candidate for office at the forthcoming election. In the event that the Nominating Committee determines that no qualified candidates exist for a position, they may opt not to nominate a candidate for that position, in which case candidates shall be nominated only by petition or from the floor.
- (3) The Nominating Committee shall furnish a certified copy of its report to the executive director not less than 12 days prior to the special election. The Nominating Committee shall also file the written consent of the candidates for nomination. The report of the Nominating Committee shall be submitted to the district boards of education at least eight days in advance of the special election.

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