

SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE AMENDMENT

Committee on State, Veterans, & Military Affairs.

HB25-1315 be amended as follows:

1 Amend reengrossed bill, page 6, line 13, after "(1.5)" insert "and (1.7)".

2 Page 11, after line 20 insert:

3 "(1.7) A POLITICAL PARTY MAY CHOOSE TO CONTINUE TO FILL A
4 VACANCY IN THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY BY VACANCY COMMITTEE
5 ACCORDING TO SUBSECTION (1) OF THIS SECTION RATHER THAN BY A
6 MAJOR POLITICAL PARTY VACANCY ELECTION ESTABLISHED BY
7 SUBSECTION (1.5) OF THIS SECTION IF AT LEAST THREE-FOURTHS OF THE
8 TOTAL VOTING MEMBERSHIP OF THE PARTY'S STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE
9 AFFIRMATIVELY VOTES TO DO SO. SUCH VOTE OF THE PARTY'S STATE
10 CENTRAL COMMITTEE MUST OCCUR NO LATER THAN OCTOBER 1 OF THE
11 YEAR PRECEDING THE YEAR IN WHICH A MAJOR POLITICAL PARTY
12 VACANCY ELECTION WOULD BE HELD. FOR PURPOSES OF THIS VOTE,
13 MEMBERS OF THE PARTY'S STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE SHALL NOT VOTE
14 BY PROXY.".

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