- (3) (I) IF NO PERSON RECEIVES A MAJORITY OF THE VOTES CAST UNDER PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION, OR IF THERE IS A TIE VOTE BY THE CENTRAL COMMITTEES, THE VACANCY IN NOMINATION SHALL BE FILLED BY THE STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE.
- (II) IN THE EVENT OF A TIE VOTE, THE NOMINEE SELECTED BY THE STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE SHALL BE ONE OF THE CANDIDATES INVOLVED IN THE TIE.
- (4) BY THE LATER OF THE FORTIETH DAY BEFORE THE GENERAL ELECTION OR THE FIFTH DAY FOLLOWING THE DEATH, DECLINATION, OR DISQUALIFICATION OF THE NOMINEE:
- (I) THE STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE SHALL FILE A CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION FOR THE NOMINEE WITH THE STATE BOARD; AND
- (II) THE SUCCESSOR NOMINEE DESIGNATED BY THE STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE UNDER SUBPARAGRAPH (I) OF THIS PARAGRAPH SHALL FILE A CERTIFICATE OF CANDIDACY WITH THE STATE BOARD.
- 5-1004. LOCAL OFFICES AND DISTRICTS ENTIRELY WITHIN ONE COUNTY.

## (A) IN GENERAL.

A VACANCY IN NOMINATION FOR AN OFFICE THAT IS ENTIRELY IN ONE COUNTY SHALL BE FILLED AS PROVIDED IN THIS SECTION.

## (B) TIME FOR FILLING.

IF A NOMINEE FOR AN OFFICE THAT IS ENTIRELY IN ONE COUNTY DIES, DECLINES THE NOMINATION, BECOMES DISQUALIFIED, OR GAINS A TIE VOTE WITH ANOTHER CANDIDATE IN A PRIMARY ELECTION, THE VACANCY IN NOMINATION SHALL BE FILLED BY THE LATER OF:

- (1) THE FORTIETH DAY BEFORE THE GENERAL ELECTION; OR
- (2) THE FIFTH DAY FOLLOWING THE DEATH, DECLINATION, OR DISQUALIFICATION OF THE NOMINEE.

## (C) HOW FILLED.

- (1) THE VACANCY SHALL BE FILLED BY THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE SAME POLITICAL PARTY AS THE INDIVIDUAL VACATING THE NOMINATION.
- (2) IF THE OFFICE IS TO BE VOTED ON BY THE VOTERS OF THE ENTIRE COUNTY, THE VACANCY SHALL BE FILLED BY THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THAT COUNTY.
- (3) IF THE OFFICE IS VOTED ON ONLY BY THE VOTERS OF ONE LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT AND THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE IS ELECTED BY LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT, THE VACANCY SHALL BE FILLED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THAT LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT.