

FILLING BOARD VACANCIES DURING REGULAR SCHOOL YEAR - (part 1)

- Sec. 101 Pursuant to the by-laws of the Junior Bar Association giving the Board power of appointment to fill vacancies occurring during the regular school year, the following procedures will govern the selection of replacement members.
- Sec. 102 The policy of the Board in promulgating these procedures is to adopt a method of filling vacancies which is both expedient and cognizant of the value of the elective process. The Board also wishes to acknowledge the concern of those members of the student body who, prior to the vacancy, have indicated a sincere interest in serving as a Board member.
- Sec. 201 The Chairman shall see that the tally sheets for the fall semester elections to the Board are preserved in the Board files.
- Sec. 202 Whenever a vacancy exists during the regular school year, the position shall be filled for the remainder of that school year by the candidate from the same class in which the vacancy exists who received the next highest total of votes, provided he is still eligible to serve.
- Sec. 203 If such candidate is not eligible to serve, or if he should decline to serve, the position shall be filled by the candidate from that class receiving the next highest vote total, and so on, until a willing and eligible candidate is found.
- Sec. 301 The Board reserves the right, in case of ties in the vote totals, or in case no candidate on the list is either eligible or willing to serve, to call a special election to fill the vacancy.

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