

**Amendment 7. To: Article V, Section 3, Subsection b & Article VIII, Section 6**

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*Add language to the end of Article V, Section 3, Subsection b:*

The number of members, the number of alternates, and the formula used to calculate them, shall be provided to the District Central Committees and District Convention Committees at least 21 days prior to the District Conventions. The dates and the locations of the first State Convention Committee meetings, and the temporary chair contact information shall also be given to the District Central Committees and District Convention Committees at least 21 days prior to the District Conventions.

*Amend the current language of Article VIII, Section 6 to read:*

The state chair shall designate the temporary chairs of the state convention committees at least 21 days before the scheduled date for the congressional district conventions.

**Rationale:** Article V, Section 3, Subsection b (Page 7); At least fifteen (15) days prior to the District Convention each of the Convention Committees shall nominate individuals to serve on the corresponding committees of the State Convention. These nominations are given to the District Convention Secretary before the District Convention starts, and the elections are usually affirmed by unanimous consent of the District Convention Delegates (to avoid having to elect dozens of people individually). People volunteering to serve on these committees should know when and where the first meeting will be and have contact information for the temporary chair before they volunteer to serve as members on the committee.