

Alternate directors: electoral areas

201 (1) An electoral area director must appoint an alternate director as follows:

- (a) the appointment must be made within 60 days of
 - (i) the electoral area director being elected, or
 - (ii) the office of the alternate director becoming vacant through resignation, disqualification or death;
- (b) the person appointed must have the qualifications necessary to be nominated as a director for the electoral area.

(2) An appointment under subsection (1) takes effect when

- (a) the appointment has been approved in writing by 2 electors who reside in the electoral area that the director represents, and
- (b) the director notifies, in writing, the regional district corporate officer of the appointment of the alternate.

(3) If an electoral area director does not appoint an alternate director in accordance with subsection (1), the board must, by resolution, appoint a person who has the qualifications necessary to be nominated as a director for that electoral area as alternate director for the electoral area director.

(4) An appointment under subsection (3) takes effect when the resolution making the appointment is passed, and the alternate director so appointed holds office until the next general local election.

(5) If the office of an electoral area director becomes vacant through resignation, disqualification or death,

- (a) the alternate director holds the office until that person's successor takes office following the next election for the office, or
- (b) if the alternate director is unable or unwilling to hold office as director, the board must, by resolution, appoint another person who has the qualifications to be nominated as a director for the electoral area and that person holds the office as provided in paragraph (a).

(6) On behalf of an absent electoral area director, the alternate director appointed under this section may take the place of, vote and generally act in all matters for

the absent electoral area director, including in relation to a matter delegated to that director by the board.

(7)The electoral area director who appointed an alternate director may appoint, as a replacement for the alternate director, another person who has the qualifications necessary to be nominated as a director for that electoral area.

(8)An alternate director appointed by an electoral area director holds office as alternate director until a replacement is appointed under subsection (7) or until the next general local election, whichever is earlier.