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Subject: HELP!

KV –

I'm trying to get everything closed out before everyone leaves after session and am running into a slight problem with a nominee to the Veterinary Board.

We appointed Rebecca Hughes to the 6th district seat on the board (note: this board is done by election and she was elected to this seat) during the interim last session. She was read across the desk for confirmation and referred to the Senator Verdin's committee in January. Because she was appointed to a district seat though, they were not able to screen her until the legislation was passed and lines were finalized.

The issue I'm running into is that since Dr. Hughes was an interim appointment, by law she has to be confirmed before they completely adjourn or she is off the board. At that point, LLR would have to conduct a new election and there would not be a representative from the 6th district until at least January/February. She still lives in the 6th district so is eligible to be confirmed, but it has to happen before they leave.

Holly Pisarik and I are worried how this would affect the board if she is not confirmed. Can you help!?!

Thanks,
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