2024.
LONG BEACH COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT
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2024. POLICY ON VACANCIES ON THE
GOVERNING BOARD

Reference: California Education Code Sections 5090 et seq.
 California Government Code 1770

Vacancies on the District Governing Board may be caused by any of the events specified
in Government Code Section 1770 or any applicable provision in the Elections Code, or
by a failure to elect.

Resignations from the Board shall be governed by Education Code 5090. A written
resignation by a member of the Board shall be communicated in writing to the Board and
the Superintendent-President. Such resignations shall be effective when the written
resignation is filed with the County Superintendent of Schools, except when a deferred
effective date is specified in the written resignation. A written resignation, whether
specifying a deferred effective date or otherwise, shall be irrevocable upon being filed
with the County Superintendent of Schools. The resignation will be announced at the
next Board meeting following such resignation.

Within sixty (60) days of the vacancy or filing of a deferred resignation, the Board shall
either order an election or make a provisional appointment to fill the vacancy. If an
election is ordered, it shall be held on the next regular election date not less than one
hundred thirty (130) days after the occurrence of the vacancy. If a provisional
appointment is made, it shall be subject to the conditions of Education Code 5091. The
person appointed to the position shall hold office only until the next regularly scheduled
election for District Board members, when the election shall be held to fill the vacancy
for the remainder of the unexpired term. The provisional appointment will be made by a
majority vote of the Board members at a public meeting.

Administrative regulations shall be established to solicit applications that assure ample
publicity and information for prospective candidates for a provisional appointment to the
Board. The schedule and appointment process, which may include interviews at a public
meeting, will also be provided.

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