



**NOTICE OF SCHEDULE FOR TEMPORARY
APPOINTMENT OF AT-LARGE COUNCILMEMBER**

In accordance with Article [DC Code, Section 1-204.02] the membership of the District of Columbia Democratic State Committee (DCDSC) will "appoint a qualified elector affiliated with..." the Democratic Party to fill the vacancy on the Council due to the election of Kwame Brown as Chairman of the Council. The appointment is temporary pending the outcome of a Special Election to be held by the DC Board of Elections and Ethics within 114 days, or as established by Law. The candidate who receives 50% plus one (1) vote of the DCDSC members present and voting will be seated to serve pending the outcome of the Special Election.

- Interested candidates must meet the following requirements to be placed in consideration.

1. **MUST** have legally resided in the District of Columbia for one (1) year preceding the scheduled appointment.
2. **MUST** be registered as a Democrat with the DC Office of the Board of Elections and Ethics by January 5, 2010.
3. **MUST** circulate and return nominating petitions with a minimum of 1000 valid signatures of registered democrats in the District of Columbia, including at least 100 per Ward and no less than 27 signatures of current DCDSC members.
4. Nominating petitions **MUST** be accompanied by a Statement of Qualifications and a Biographical Sketch (150 words or less each) as prescribed by the DCDSC.
5. Interested candidates **MUST** complete a "Declaration of Candidacy" Form at the time of filing their petitions.

TIMELINE

Monday, November 8, 2010

Public Notice - Nominating petitions become available for circulation.

To obtain petitions candidates must submit a Declaration of Candidacy at 305 K Street, SE- Monday-Friday (10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.) (3 blocks from Navy Yard metro) Questions or to schedule pickup call: 202-714-3368 or 202-558-6389.
Last Day to receive Petitions

Tuesday, November 16, 2010

Monday, December 6, 2010

Deadline for submission of completed nominating petitions and a detailed Bio/Statement of Qualification (150 words or less). Note: All Documents must be filed. November 18, 2010 is the first day candidates may file petitions (the required minimum) at 305 K Street, SE- 5:00 p.m.

Tuesday, December 7, 2010

Official challenge period begins for seven (7) days
10:00 a.m. Tuesday, December 7, 2010 to 6:00 p.m. Tuesday, December 14, 2010. 305 K Street, SE (3 blocks from Navy Yard metro)

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Close of challenge period (305 K Street, SE- 6:00 PM)
List of Preliminarily Qualified Candidates made available

Thursday, December 16, 2010

Candidates Forum

Thursday, December 23, 2010

Eligible candidates certified
List of certified candidates provided to DCDSC members
Listing of certified candidates on website: www.DCDSC.org.

Thursday, January 6, 2011

Special Appointments Meeting
John Wilson District Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Ave., NW
4th Floor Chambers- 7:00 PM