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2023 SENATE RESOLUTION 4

September 14, 2023 - Introduced by Senator LEMAHIEU.

Relating to: calling on the Wisconsin Elections Commission to appoint an election administrator.

Whereas, Meagan Wolfe's term as administrator of the Wisconsin Elections Commission expired on July 1, 2023; and

Whereas, the Wisconsin Elections Commission has a nondiscretionary statutory duty to appoint or reappoint an administrator at the expiration of the incumbent's term; and

Whereas, the failure to appoint an administrator would constitute a dereliction of the Wisconsin Elections Commission's nondiscretionary statutory duty and deprive the senate of its statutorily granted role of advice and consent; and

Whereas, the senate has no confidence in Meagan Wolfe as administrator and has voted to reject her nomination; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the senate, That the Wisconsin State Senate calls on the

Wisconsin Elections Commission to fulfill its nondiscretionary statutory duty to appoint an interim administrator and to submit a nomination for a permanent replacement.

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