



MONTANA SECRETARY OF STATE

LINDA McCULLOCH

SENATE State Administration

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Senate Bill 73 – U.S. Senate Vacancy Timeline

| | Method for Filling Vacancy | | | |
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| | Vacancy is filled at municipal general | Vacancy is filled at federal primary | Vacancy is filled at federal general | Special election must be held |
| If a vacancy occurs: | | | | |
| Between 85 days and 150 days before a municipal general election | X | | | |
| Between January 1 in an even-numbered year and 85 days before a federal primary election | | X | | |
| Less than 85 days before a federal primary election | | | X | |
| Between the federal primary election and 85 days before a federal general election | | | X | |
| Less than 85 days before a municipal general election or federal general election | | | | No less than 85 days or more than 100 days after the date of the general election |

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