### **Current Language**

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Section 2: All officers shall be elected by secret ballot except in such cases provided for in Article 8.

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#### Section 5:

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additional LWOP, documenting same, to the Executive Board for approval. The President of this Local shall be compensated by the Local for any loss of annual or sick leave due to the use of LWOP.

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Proposed Change (in bold)

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