

## **Checklist for State Delegate Selection Plans**

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I.	INT	ROL	DUCTION & DESCRIPTION OF DELEGATE SELECTION PROCESS
A.	Intro	ductio	on
	1.	Is th	e total number of delegates and alternates to be selected indicated and are the totals correct?
	2.		s the Plan indicate that the delegate selection process is governed by National Party rules, State Party rules, e laws and the Delegate Selection Plan? ( <i>Call II.A</i> )
B.	Desc	riptio	n of Delegate Selection Process
	1.	Wha	at is the first determining step and when will it be held?
	2.	Is th	e first determining step scheduled on or after March 3, 2020, and not later than June 9, 2020? (Rule 12.A)
C.	Vote	r Parti	cipation
	1.		s the Plan specify that participation in the process is open to all voters who which to participate as nocrats? (Rule 2.A and Rule 2.C)
		a.	What is the deadline to register to vote/participate in the first step?
		b.	Does the Plan provide an overview of the state's voter registration or enrollment procedures, and/or declaration process?
		c.	Does the state have registration by party?
		d.	Can voters who are not registered or enrolled as Democrats participate in process? (Rule 2.A. & Reg. 4.3.B)
		e.	How do voters publicly declare their Party preference and how is that preference recorded? ( <i>Rule 2.A. &amp; Reg. 4.3A.</i> )
		f.	Are individuals who will turn 18 by the date of the November General Election allowed to participate in the process, or is there an explanation as to why not?
		g.	Are fees prohibited? If there are fees, voluntary or otherwise, what is the reason? (Rule 2.D & Reg. 4.4)
		h.	Is crossover participation prohibited? (Rule 2.E)
		i.	Is the use of secret ballots prohibited (including in the selection of anyone who serves on the DNC) except in the first determining step of the delegate selection process? ( <i>Rule 2.F</i> )
		j.	Is voting in more than one meeting at the first determining step prohibited? (Rule 3.E & Reg. 4.7)
	2.	and	s the Plan describe how the State Party has taken (or is taking) steps to seek enactment of legislation, rules, policies at the state and local level to enhance voter and election security, to accomplish the following seven a specified in Rule 2 H?

		a.	Maiı	ntain secure and accurate state voter registration rolls? (Rule 2.H.1)								
		b.	Impl	lement transparent and accurate voter registration list maintenance procedures? (Rule 2.H.2)								
		c.		Promote the acquisition, maintenance, and regular replacement of precinct based optical scan voting systems? ( <i>Rule</i> 2. <i>H</i> .3)								
		d.	Ensure any direct recording electronic systems in place have voter verified paper record? (Rule 2.H.4)									
		e.	Impl	ement risk limiting post-election audits? (Rule 2.H.5)								
		f.	Ensu	are all voting systems have recognized security measures? (Rule 2.H.6)								
		g.		accessible and secure voting machines that make it possible for persons with disabilities to vote rely and privately? (Rule 2.H.7)								
	3.	pres rour to pi	identia nd vote:	an describe how the State Party has taken (or is taking) steps to improve participation with respect to l preference and delegate selection contests and procedures? Do the steps include establishing year-r protection programs to support educational, administrative, legislative, and litigation-based efforts and expand the vote and advance election fairness and security, including the following six goals in								
		a.		and access to voting, including by early voting, no excuse absentee, same-day voter registration, and ng by mail? (Rule 2.I.1.a)								
			(1)	If state allows voting in-person prior to Election Day, what are the minimum state and end dates?								
			(2)	If the state allows for vote-by-mail, or no excuse absentee, what is the deadline for requesting a ballot? When/How far in advance of Election Day are ballots mailed to voters?								
		b.		are voting locations are accessible, fairly placed, and adequate in number, and have a sufficient ber of voting machines? (Rule 2.1.1.b)								
		c.	Spee	ed up the voting process and minimize long lines? (Rule 2.I.1.c)								
		d.	Elim	inate onerous and discriminatory voter identification requirements? (Rule 2.I.1.d)								
		e.		nt and include in the final total ballots from voters who are eligible to vote but cast their ballots in the ng precinct, for offices for which they are eligible to vote? ( <i>Rule 2.I.1.e</i> )								
		f.	Facil	litate military and overseas voting? (Rule 2.I.1.f)								
	4.	Does the Plan describe how the State Party has been and is supporting efforts to make voter registration easier, including supporting the following four efforts to make voter registration easier in Rule 2.I.2?										
		a.		er registration modernization, including online voter registration and automatic and same-day stration? ( <i>Rule 2.I.2.a</i> )								
		b.	Pre-registration of high school students so that they are already registered once they reach voting age? ( <i>Rule 2.I.2.b</i> )									
		c.	Restoration of voting rights to all people who have served the time for their criminal conviction, without requiring the payment of court fees or fines? ( <i>Rule 2.I.2.c</i> )									
		d.	Samo 2.I.2.	e-day or automatic registration of voters for the Democratic presidential nominating process? (Rule d)								
	5.	ensu	ire an o	nat use government-run voting systems, does the Plan describe how the State Party has taken steps to pen and inclusive process and resist attempts at voter suppression and disenfranchisement, evising State Party rules and encouraging administrative rules, legislation, or considering litigation to								

			v same-day party switching for the Democratic presidential nominating process or to achieve state laws that v voters to switch parties at least as late as the deadline for registering to vote? (Rule 2.J & Rule 2.J.1)	
	6.	Party diser	states that use a Party-run process to establish presidential preference, does the Plan describe how the State v has taken steps to ensure an open and inclusive process and resist attempts at voter suppression and infranchisement? And, does the plan indicate how the State Party's process meets the following nine irements? ( <i>Rule 2.K</i> )	
		a.	Incorporate mechanisms with reasonable safeguards against error and fraud to vote absentee or vote early? ( <i>Rule 2.K.1</i> )	
		b.	Demonstrate that the State Party has the technical ability and financial resources to successfully run the process? ( <i>Rule 2.K.2</i> )	
		c.	Implement same-day voter registration and party-affiliation changes at the voting location? (Rule 2.K.3)	
		d.	Create a process for publicly reporting the total statewide and district level results for each candidate based on the first expression of preference by the participants at the first determining step? ( <i>Rule 2.K.4</i> )	
		e.	Require the allocation of all national delegates, be locked in at the final expression of preference at the first determining step, subject to recount? ( <i>Rule 2.K.5</i> )	
		f.	Ensure final expressions of preference as part of the presidential nominating process are securely preserved in a manner that ensures the availability of a prompt and accurate recount or recanvas? ( <i>Rule 2.K.6</i> )	
		g.	Provide a standard and procedure by which a presidential candidate may request a recount or recanvas, paid for by the candidate, and carried out in a timely manner? ( <i>Rule 2.K.7</i> )	
		h.	Create mechanisms allowing voters who are unable to be a part of the process in person to participate? This can include those serving in the military, those with a disability or illness preventing participation, and those who are not able to take time off from work or obtain child care. ( <i>Rule 2.K.8</i> )	
		i.	Take steps to ensure voters have a right to participate in the process. This can include required rules changes and the proper education and outreach to ensure accessibility, specifically for including people with disabilities and people with limited English proficiency. ( <i>Rule 2.K.9</i> )	
	7.	Sche	duling of Delegate Selection Meetings	
		a.	Does the Plan provide that the dates, times and places for all official delegate selection meetings have been scheduled to encourage participation by Democrats and will begin and end at reasonable hours? ( <i>Rule 3.A</i> )	
		b.	Is the state party responsible for selecting the dates and times and locating and confirming the availability of publicly accessible facilities for all official meetings and events related to the process? ( <i>Rule 3.A</i> )	
		c.	Does the Plan indicate that the state party will consider any religious observations that could significantly affect participation? ( <i>Reg. 4.5.B</i> )	
II.	PRI	ESIDI	ENTIAL CANDIDATES	
A.	Ballo	ot Acce	ess	
	1.	What is the presidential candidate filing deadline? Is it within the calendar year of the convention? If not, has the state party requested a waiver? ( <i>Rule 12.B</i> )		
	2.		the Plan specify all presidential candidate filing and petition requirements, including filing fees, if icable, and corresponding deadlines prescribed by:	
			State law?	
			State Party rules?	

		a.	If a p	betition is required, is it the sole method of ballot access? If so, how many signatures are required, and a requirement less than $5,000$ ? (Rule $15.A$ )						
		b.	If a fo	ee is required for ballot access, is it \$2,500 or less? (Rule 15.B)						
		c.		tition signatures and/or a fee is required for ballot access, is it less than or equal to the requirement in t on $1/1/94$ ? (Rule 15.D)						
		d.		imary states, is the filing deadline for presidential candidates between 30 and 75 days before the ary? How many days? ( <i>Rule 15.E</i> )						
	3.	optio		an indicate whether "uncommitted" automatically appears on the ballot as a presidential preference whether write-in presidential candidates are allowed? (Rule 11.C, Rule 14.A, Rule 14.D, Rule 14.E, &						
В.	Othe	r Requ	uireme	nts						
	1.			date by which the presidential candidate must certify their authorized representative in writing to nair? (Rule 13.D.1)						
	2.	achie	Does the Plan require presidential candidates to use their best efforts to ensure their respective delegation achieves the state's affirmative action, outreach and inclusion goals and equal division between men and women? ( <i>Rule 6.I.</i> )							
III.	SEL	ECT	ECTION OF DELEGATES AND ALTERNATES							
A.	Dist	rict-Level Delegates and Alternates								
	1.	Does the Plan indicate how many district-level delegates and alternates will be elected?/  Which Reg. 4.34 option did the state party select for allocating its alternates?								
	2.	Elect	tion of	District-Level Delegates and Alternates						
		a.		t is the method the state uses to elect its district-level delegates and alternates and are specific details dates included for the process?						
		b.		e state uses a caucus system, are the first-tier caucuses scheduled for the same time and date aghout the state? (Rule 3.B)						
		c.	Are t	the dates, times and locations for each tier of caucuses indicated in the Plan? (Rule 3.A)						
		d.		e time and date of the first meeting or event in the selection process uniform throughout the state, ding in state's with multiple time zones? ( <i>Rule 3.A, Rule 3.B &amp; Reg. 4.6</i> )						
		e. Does the plan provide detailed and specific information describing how district-level delegates will be selected?								
	3.	App	ortionn	nent of District-Level Delegates and Alternates						
		a.	Does (Rule	the Plan indicate which one of the four formulas was used to apportion delegates among districts? $8.A$ )						
			(1)	Equal weight to total population and to the average vote for the Democratic candidates in the 2012 and 2016 presidential elections;						
			(2)	Equal weight to the vote for the Democratic candidates in the 2016 presidential and the most recent gubernatorial elections;						
			(3)	Equal weight to the average of the vote for the Democratic candidates in the 2012 and 2016 presidential elections and to the Democratic Party registration or enrollment as of January 1, 2020;						

		(4)	One-third $(1/3)$ weight to each of the above formulas.					
		(5)	Does the Plan indicate why the particular formula was selected and why it is the most inclusive method?					
	b.		the Plan provide for the total number of male and female district-level delegates and alternates to be lly divided? ( <i>Rule 6.C.1</i> )					
	c.	Does	the Plan specify how many delegates and alternates are allocated to each district?					
		(1)	Is the math correct for the number of delegates and alternates to be allocated?					
		(2)	Are all districts smaller than a Congressional District? (Rule 8.C)					
	d.	next	plicable, does the Plan specify how the apportionment of delegates to be elected from each tier to the tier in a caucus/convention system (e.g. precincts and counties) is based on population and/or some sure of Democratic strength? (Rule 8.B)					
4.	Dist	rict-Lev	t-Level Delegate and Alternate Filing Requirements					
	a.	Does the Plan specify that district-level delegate and alternate candidates may run for election only within the district in which they are registered to vote? In states that permit party registration, does the Plan specify how the State Party will ensure the delegate and alternate candidates are Democrats? ( <i>Rule 13.H</i> )						
	b.	Does the Plan:						
		(1)	Specify exactly how an individual files to run for district-level delegate or alternate? (Rule 13.B, Rule 15.F & Reg. 4.23)					
		(2)	Require a statement of candidacy and signed pledge of support to be filed? (Rule 13.B)					
		(3)	Set the deadline for a person to file to run for district-level delegate no more than 30 days before the date district-level delegates are to be selected? ( <i>Rule 15.F</i> )					
		(4)	Clarify that the statement of candidacy designates a <u>singular</u> presidential preference? Is it also clear that the preference may be modified by submitting an updated pledge before the deadline? ( <i>Rule 13.A &amp; Reg. 4.22</i> )					
		(5)	Set the deadline, in states holding a presidential primary where individual district-level delegates are voted upon on the ballot, for delegate and alternate candidates to file a statement of candidacy or a pledge of support no more than 90 days before the primary? ( <i>Rule15.F</i> )					
		(6)	Describe specific filing and petition requirements, including filing fees (if applicable) and corresponding deadlines prescribed by state law and by party rule, along with specific filing details? ( <i>Rule 1.A.7, Rule 1.A.8 &amp; Reg. 4.23</i> )					
	c.	If pe	titions are used:					
		(1)	Does the Plan comply with the requirement that the number of signatures does not exceed one half of one percent (0.5%) of the registered/enrolled Democrats in the district, or one half of one percent (0.5%) of the total votes in the district for all Democratic presidential candidates cast during the 2016 presidential nominating process, whichever is lower, but in no event exceeds 500 valid signatures? ( <i>Rule 15.C</i> )					
		(2)	And, if fees are required to be paid by a delegate/alternate candidate to get on the ballot, does the Plan indicate that the signature requirements and the fees do not exceed those in effect as of 1/1/942 (Rule 15 D)					

	d.	Does the Plan:					
		(1)	Provide that district-level alternate candidates meet the same requirements as district-level delegate candidates? ( <i>Rule 13.C</i> )				
		(2)	Allow candidates not chosen at the delegate level to be considered at the alternate level (optional)? (Rule 13.C)				
5.	Presi	dentia	l Candidate Right of Approval for District-Level Delegates and Alternates				
	a.		n does the state give the list of delegate and alternate candidates to the presidential candidate? (Rule & Rule 13.F) $\_$				
			ates using a pre-primary caucus to slate delegates, does the Plan allow the presidential candidates to two the list of their respective delegate and alternate candidates before the caucuses? (Reg. 4.25.C)				
	b.	Presi	dential Candidate Approval of Delegate and Alternate Candidates				
		(1)	When does the presidential candidate have to return a list of approved delegate and alternate candidates to the State Chair? ( <i>Reg. 4.24</i> )				
		(2)	Does the Plan specify that the presidential candidate must approve at least three (3) times the number of names for each delegate man and delegate woman and each alternate man and alternate woman to be elected? ( <i>Rule 13.D &amp; Rule 13.E.1</i> )				
		(3)	In states where individual delegates and alternates are voted upon on the ballot, does the Plan indicate that presidential candidates may approve a number of delegate and alternate candidates equal to or greater than the number of delegates and alternates to be elected? ( <i>Rule 13.E.1</i> )				
		(4)	In states where individual delegates and alternates are voted upon on the ballot, does the date by which the presidential candidate approves the list of delegate candidates allow sufficient time to ensure that names removed from the list do not appear on the ballot? ( <i>Rule 13.D.2</i> )				
	c.	deleg	Does the Plan indicate that failure of a presidential candidate to respond with the list of approved delegate and alternate candidates by the deadline is deemed approval, unless otherwise noticed? ( <i>Rule</i> 13.D)				
	d.	fide s	Does the Plan indicate that district-level delegate and alternate candidates removed from the list of bona fide supporters by the presidential candidate may not be elected <u>at that level</u> as a delegate or alternate pledged to that presidential candidate? ( <i>Rule 13.E &amp; Reg. 4.24</i> )				
	e.	used consi	Does the Plan specify that the State Party must certify to the RBC whether a presidential candidate has used their best efforts to submit a list of delegate candidates who meet the affirmative action considerations within three (3) days of receiving the list of approved delegate candidates? (Rule 6.1 & Reg.4.10.C)				
6.	Fair	Reflect	tion of Presidential Preference				
	a.	Does	the Plan:				
		(1)	Specify the method for allocating district-level delegate positions proportionately among presidential preferences? ( <i>Rule 14.A, Rule 14.B &amp; Rule 14.D</i> )				
		(2)	Indicate, that if the state uses a caucus system, the delegates elected at the district level shall be allocated in proportion to the percentage of the caucus vote won in that district by each preference at the first determining step? ( <i>Rule 14.B &amp; Reg. 4.29</i> )				
		(3)	Specifically indicate that a threshold of 15% will be used? (Rule 14.B)				
	b.		the Plan indicate that if no preference reaches the 15% threshold, the threshold will be half the entage of the vote received in that district by the front-runner? (Rule 14.F)				

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	c. If delegates and alternates are <u>not</u> elected on the ballot:		egates and alternates are <u>not</u> elected on the ballot:				
		(1)	Does the Plan indicate how the delegates and alternates will be selected or nominated by a caucus of persons from the unit who sign statements of support for that presidential candidate? ( <i>Rule 13.G</i> )				
		(2)	Does the Plan specify the date and time of the meeting to elect the district-level delegates and alternates and the procedural requirements for the election? If more than one tier is used, are details about each of the tiers provided?				
	d.		tate where a presidential candidate could qualify to receive more delegates/alternates than they are dapplicable to pre-primary and two-part primary systems):				
		(1)	Does the Plan describe how additional delegates will be selected in a post-primary procedure? ( <i>Rule 14.C</i> )				
		(2)	Does the procedure include a description of the type of meeting, the delegate candidate filing deadline, the presidential review deadline and other procedural rules? ( <i>Rule 14.C</i> )				
7.	Equa	ıl Divis	ion of District-Level Delegates and Alternates				
	a.	Does	the Plan:				
		(1)	Specify how equal division between men and women will be achieved for district-level delegates and alternates? ( <i>Rule 6.C.1 &amp; Reg. 4.10</i> )				
		(2)	Provide that in the case of non-binary gender delegates and alternates, they shall not be couned in either the male or female category? ( <i>Rule 6.C.1 &amp; Reg. 4.10</i> )				
		(3)	Specify a method for allocating district-level positions among presidential preferences in such a way as to ensure that the number of male and female (binary) identifying delegates and alternates in the district vary by no more than one within each presidential candidate's delegation?				
		(4)	Indicate how equal division between male and female (binary) delegates and alternates will be achieved (as mathematically practicable) in the event a non-binary individual (or individuals) also qualifies to be elected as a delegate or alternate?				
	b.	candi	Does the Plan explain how district-level delegates and alternates will be allotted to presidential candidates in such a way as to ensure equal division of the respective candidates' delegation? ( $Rule\ 6.C\ &Reg.\ 4.9$ )				
8.	Does	the Pla	ın:				
	a.		Provide that the State Chair certifies, in writing to the DNC Secretary, the district-level delegates and alternates within 10 days of their election? ( <i>Rule 8.C &amp; Call IV.A</i> )				
	a.	If primary results need to be certified by the state, does the Plan indicate when the results will be official and when the delegates and alternates will be certified? (Reg. 5.4.B & Reg. 5.4.C)					
Auto	omatic	Delegat	tes				
1.	Auto	atomatic Party Leaders and Elected Official Delegates					
	a.	applio Party	Does the Plan indicate that the DNC Members, the Democratic President and Vice President (if applicable), Democratic Members of Congress, the Democratic Governor (if any), and the Distinguished Party Leaders (if any) who legally reside in the state will be recognized to serve as automatic delegates to the National Convention? ( <i>Rule 9.A</i> )				
	b.	they a	the Plan provide that an Automatic delegate may run and be elected as a Pledged delegate, and if are elected and certified as a Pledged delegate, the individual will not serve as an Automatic delegate. National Convention? (Call I.J)				

		c.	Does	s the Plan indicate:			
			(1)	The DNC Secretary will confirm the names of these delegates who legally reside in the state to the State Chair by March 6, 2016 and that the Secretary's confirmation constitutes verification of the state's Automatic delegates? ( <i>Rule 9.A &amp; Call IV.B.1</i> )			
			(2)	The State Chair will certify the presidential preference of the state's Automatic delegates 10 days after the completion of the State's Delegate Selection Process? (Call IV.C & Reg. 5.5)			
	2.			note that for purposes of equal division, the state's delegation includes all Pledged and Automatic (Rule $6.C\ \&\ Reg.\ 4.9$ )			
C.	Pled	ged Pa	rty Lea	nder and Elected Official Delegates (PLEOs)			
	1.	Is the	e numb	per of pledged PLEO delegates to be selected specified in the Plan?			
	2.	Pled	ged PL	EO Filing Requirements			
		a.	cons	s the Plan indicate who is eligible to be selected as pledged PLEO delegates and the priority of ideration, and that if an Automatic delegate chooses to run for PLEO, they will be given equal ideration with big city mayors and state-wide elected officials? (Rule 10.A.1 & Reg. 4.16)			
		b.	Are t	the filing deadline and the requirements specified for PLEO delegate candidates?			
			Do tl	he requirements indicate:			
			(1)	The specific requirements for filing a statement of candidacy and a pledge of support for a presidential preference? ( <i>Rule 10.A.3</i> )			
			(2)	Is the filing deadline within 30 days of the date of the selection? (Rule 10.A.3 & Reg. 4.17)			
		c.	Is the	e filing deadline after the selection of district-level delegates? Or, if it is not, does the Plan:			
			(1)	provide an alternative filing procedure with a deadline after the selection of the district-level delegates? ( <i>Rule 10.A.3 &amp; Reg. 4.17</i> )			
			(2)	provide an opportunity for disapproval of the delegate candidates by the presidential candidates? ( <i>Rule 10.A.3 &amp; Reg. 4.17</i> )			
	3.	Presidential Candidate Right of Review					
		a.		t is the date specified by which the State Chair must give the list of PLEO delegate candidates to the idential candidate to whom they have filed a pledge of support? (Rule 10.A.3 & Rule 13.D)			
		b.		t is the date by which the presidential candidate must return their list of approved PLEO delegate lidates to the State Chair?			
			(1)	Is the date after the election of the district-level delegates? If not, is there an alternative filing procedure to ascertain the presidential preference of persons eligible for PLEO delegate positions that also provides an opportunity for disapproval by the presidential candidate? ( <i>Rule 10.A.3, Rule 13.D.3, Rule 13.E.2 &amp; Reg. 4.25</i> )			
			(2)	Does the Plan specify that the presidential candidate must approve at least <u>one</u> name for each delegate position to which the presidential candidate is entitled? ( <i>Rule 13.E.2</i> )			
			-OR- (3)	Does the Plan provide that a presidential candidate must approve at least <u>two</u> names for each position to which he or she is entitled? ( <i>Rule 13.E.2</i> )			
		c.		s the Plan indicate that failure of a presidential candidate to respond with the list of approved PLEO gate candidates by the deadline is deemed approval, unless otherwise noticed? (Rule 13.D)			

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		d.	used outre	their b each an	an specify that the State Chair must certify to the RBC whether each presidential candidate has best efforts to submit a list of PLEO delegate candidates who meet the affirmative action and ad inclusion considerations within three (3) days of receiving the list of approved delegate (1) (Rule 6.1 & Reg. 4.10.C)			
	4.	Selec	tion o	f Pledg	ged PLEOs			
		a.			for allocating PLEO delegates to presidential preferences described and is it the same as for the at-large delegates? (Rule 10.A.2, Rule 11.C, Rule 14.E & Rule 14.F)			
		b.	Whe	n will t	the PLEO delegates be selected?			
			(1)	Is the	e selection after the election of the district-level delegates and prior to the at-large? (Rule 10.A)			
			(2)	Are t	the time, date, place, election procedures and other details of the selecting meeting specified?			
		c.	Wha	t body	will select the PLEO delegates? (Rule 10.B):			
			(1)					
			(2)	Com	mittee of a quorum of district level delegates?			
☐ (3) State Party Committee? If the state committee will select the PLI the committee complies with the following criteria? (Rule 10.B)				Party Committee? If the state committee will select the PLEOs, is there a description of how ommittee complies with the following criteria? ( <i>Rule 10.B</i> )				
				(i)	An explanation of composition of the State Committee and how its members are apportioned on the basis of population and/or some measure of Democratic strength? ( <i>Rule 10.B.1 &amp; Reg. 4.18.A</i> )			
				(ii)	A description of how and when State Party Committee members are elected and how that process complies with the basic procedural guarantees utilized for delegate selection? ( <i>Rule 10.B.2 &amp; Reg. 4.18</i> )			
				(iii)	Specific information as to how such delegates will be elected at a public meeting subsequent to the election of district level delegates? ( <i>Rule 10.B.3</i> )			
				(iv)	Specific information as to when members of the State Party Committee were elected and that the election was no earlier than the calendar year of the previous national convention? ( <i>Rule 10.B.4 &amp; Reg. 4.18.B</i> )			
				(v)	Specific information as to how membership of the State Party Committee complies with the equal division requirements of the Charter? ( <i>Charter, Art. 9, Sec. 16, Rule 10.B.5 &amp; Reg. 4.18.C</i> )			
	5.				vide that the State Chair certifies, in writing to the DNC Secretary, the pledged PLEO delegates er their selection? (Call IV.A & Reg. 5.4.A)			
	At-La	arge D	elegate	es and .	Alternates			
	1.		s the number of at-large delegates and alternates to be selected specified in the Plan?/ Does the allocation of alternates correspond with the options in Reg. 4.34 and the district-level allocation?					
	2.	At-La	arge D	elegate	e and Alternate Filing Requirements			
		a.	Does	the Pla	an explain exactly how an individual files to run for an at-large delegate or alternate position?			
			(1)		e filing deadline specified and is it no earlier than 30 days before the date of the selecting ing and at the same time or after the selection of the PLEOs? (Rule 15.G and Reg. 4.31)			
			(2)	Do tl 13.B)	he filing requirements include a statement of candidacy and signed pledge of support? (Rule			

	Ц	(3)	Does the Plan clarify that the statement of candidacy designates a <u>singular</u> presidential preference? (Rule 13.A & Reg. 4.22)					
		(4)	Is it clear that the preference may be modified by submitting an updated pledge before the deadline? ( <i>Rule 13.A &amp; Reg. 4.22</i> )					
	b.	If alte	ernates are selected at the at-large level:					
		(1)	Does the Plan include information on how individuals file to run for alternate positions?					
		(2)	Are persons not chosen for an at-large delegate position automatically considered for at-large alternate positions? (optional)					
3.	Presi	identia	Candidate Right of Approval					
	a.		is the date by which the State Chair must submit the list of at-large delegate and alternate dates to the presidential candidate? ( <i>Rule 13.D</i> )					
	b.		is the date by which the presidential candidate must file their list of approved at-large delegate and nate candidates with the State Chair?					
		(1)	Is the deadline <u>after</u> the selection of the PLEOs? (Rule 13.D.4 and Reg.4.24.D)					
		(2)	Does the Plan specify that a presidential candidate must approve at least <u>one</u> name for each delegate position to which the presidential candidate is entitled? ( <i>Rule 13.E.2</i> )					
		<b>-OR-</b> (3)	Does the Plan provide that a presidential candidate must approve at least <u>two</u> names for each position to which he or she is entitled? ( <i>Rule 13.E.2</i> )					
		(4)	As specified above, is the number of delegate candidates to be approved by a presidential campaign the <u>same</u> minimum requirement as reflected for PLEO delegates? ( <i>Rule 13.E.2</i> )					
	c.		the Plan indicate that failure of a presidential candidate to respond with the list of approved at-large ate and alternate candidates by the deadline is deemed approval, unless otherwise noticed? (Rule					
	d.	used and i	Does the Plan specify that the State Chair must certify to the RBC whether each presidential candidate has used their best efforts to submit a list of delegate candidates who meet the affirmative action and outreach and inclusion considerations within three (3) days of receiving the list of approved delegate candidates? (Rule 6.1 & Reg. 4.10.C)					
4.	Fair	Reflect	Reflection of Presidential Preference					
	a.		the Plan specify the method that will be used to determine how delegate and alternate positions will ocated among presidential preferences? ( <i>Rule 11.C</i> )					
		Is the	method used:					
		(1)	(For primary states) according to the state-wide primary vote? (Rule 11.C)					
		(2)	(For convention/caucus states) according to the statewide division of preferences among convention and caucus participants, at the first determining step of the process, and that no person participating in the allocation shall automatically serve by virtue of holding a public or Party office? (Rule 11.C & Reg. 4.19)					
	b.		the Plan specify that to receive delegates, preferences must have a 15% threshold on a statewide ? (Rule 14.E)					
	c.		the Plan specify that if no candidate attains a 15% threshold, then the threshold will be half the entage of the statewide vote received by the front-runner? (Rule 14.F)					

	d.	deleg	Does the Plan provide that if a presidential candidate is no longer a candidate at the time at-large delegates are selected, his/her allocation will be proportionately divided among the other preferences entitled to an allocation? ( <i>Rule 11.C</i> )				
	e.	would	d not o	n provide that, if a presidential preference is entitled to at least one delegate position but therwise be entitled to an alternate position, that preference will be allotted one at-large sition? (Rule 19.B & Reg.4.33)			
5.	Selec	tion of	At-Laı	ge Delegates and Alternates			
	a.	Does	the Pla	n:			
		(1)		fy the date on which the at-large delegates and alternates will be selected and is that date after LEOs have been selected?			
		(2)	Provi	de information about election procedures and other details of the selection meeting?			
		(3)	Provi	de for the delegate selection process to be completed no later than June 20, 2020? (Call III)			
	b.	In states with one Congressional District, does the Plan provide for the selection of all delegates at same meeting? If so, does the Plan ensure that the affirmative action, outreach and inclusion and far reflection guidelines will be met, that the state chair makes the certifications required by Rule 8.D., that the presidential candidates will have sufficient time to review their respective lists of delegate alternate candidates? ( <i>Rule 8.E &amp; Reg. 4.13</i> )					
	c.	What	body s	selects the at-large delegates and alternates? (Rule 11.B & Rule 11.C)			
		(1)	State	convention;			
		(2)	Comr	nittee of a quorum of district level delegates; or,			
		(3)	the co	Party Committee? If this is the same body that selects the PLEOs, and the Plan describes how ommittee complies with the following requirements in that section, it does not need to be ted below. ( <i>Rule 10.B</i> )			
			(i)	An explanation of composition of the State Committee and how its members are apportioned on the basis of population and/or some measure of Democratic strength? (Rule 10.B.1 & Reg. 4.18.A)			
			(ii)	A description of how and when State Party Committee members are elected and how that process complies with the basic procedural guarantees utilized for delegate selection? ( <i>Rule 10.B.2 &amp; Reg. 4.18</i> )			
			(iii)	Specific information as to how such delegates will be elected at a public meeting subsequent to the election of district level delegates? ( <i>Rule 10.B.3</i> )			
			(iv)	Specific information as to when members of the State Party Committee were elected and that the election was no earlier than the calendar year of the previous national convention? ( <i>Rule 10.B.4 &amp; Reg. 4.18.B</i> )			
			(v)	Specific information as to how membership of the State Party Committee complies with the equal division requirements of the Charter? ( <i>Charter, Art. 9, Sec. 16, Rule 10.B.5 &amp; Reg. 4.18.C</i> )			
	d.	Priori	ity of C	Consideration			
		(1)		the Plan indicate that in the selection of at-large delegates and alternates priority of deration shall be given to the groups specified in Rule 6.A? (Rule 6.A.3)			
		(2)		the Plan specify that in the election of at-large delegates and alternates priority shall be given the groups as specified in Rule 5.C and Rule 7? (Rule 5.C., Rule 6.A.3, Rule 7 & Reg. 4.8)			

			(3)	neces goals	the Plan specify that the election of at-large delegates and alternates shall be used, if sary, to achieve the equal division of males and females, and to achieve the representation set by the Affirmative Action Plan and Outreach and Inclusion Program specified in the P (Rule 6.A, Rule 6.C & Reg. 4.9)				
			(4)		the Plan indicate that delegates and alternates are to be considered separate groups for the oses of equal division and full participation? (Rule 6.C.1, Rule 11.A, Reg. 4.9 & Reg. 4.20)				
	6.				ride that the State Chair will certify, in writing to the DNC Secretary, the at-large delegates nin 10 days of their selection? (Rule 8.C & Call IV.A)				
E.	Repl	laceme	nt of E	Delegate	es and Alternates				
	1.	Pled	lged De	elegates	s and Alternates				
		a.	Pern	nanent 1	replacement of a delegate. (Rule 19.D.3) Does the Plan specify that:				
			(1)		rmanent replacement occurs when a delegate resigns or dies prior to or during the convention in alternate replaces the delegate for the remainder of the convention?				
			(2)	Any a	alternate permanently replacing a delegate shall be:				
				(i)	of the same presidential preference (including uncommitted status);				
				(ii)	of the same gender; and				
				(iii)	to the extent possible from the same political subdivision within the state as the delegate being replaced; except				
				(iv)	when there's only one alternate, that alternate shall become the delegate and if, as a result of a permanent replacement of a delegate, the delegation is no longer equally divided, the state will use a subsequent permanent replacement to bring the delegation back into equal division? ( <i>Reg.4.36</i> )				
			(3)	certif presi	the Plan provide that if a delegate or alternate candidate who has been elected but not yet ied to the DNC Secretary resigns, dies or is no longer eligible to serve, then the respective dential candidate's authorized representative names the replacement after consultation with tate Party? ( <i>Rule 19.D.2</i> )				
		b.	Tem	porary	rary Replacement of a Delegate. (Rule 19.D.4) Does the Plan specify that:				
			(1)		nporary replacement occurs when a delegate is to be absent for a limited period of time during onvention and an alternate acts in the delegate's place?				
			(2)	Any a	alternate temporarily replacing a delegate:				
				(i)	must be of the same presidential preference (including uncommitted status) as the delegate; and				
				(ii)	to the extent possible, shall be of the same gender as the delegate; and				
				(iii)	to the extent possible, shall be from the same political subdivision within the state as the delegate being replaced?				
		c.			an indicate the system that will be used to select an alternate to replace a delegate on a and permanent basis? (Rule 19.D.1)				
			(1)	The c	delegate chooses the alternate.				
			(2)	The c	lelegation chooses the alternate.				
			(3)	The a	lternate who receives the highest number of votes replaces the delegate.				

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		(4)	Such other process that protects the interests of presidential candidates, delegates and alternates – specifically:		
	d.	Certi	fication of Replacements		
		(1)	Does the Plan indicate that alternates permanently replacing a delegate and individuals selected to fill vacant alternate positions shall be certified within three (3) days by the State Chair? (Rule 19.D.3 & Call IV.D.1)		
		(2)	Does the Plan also indicate that certification of replacements will be accepted up to 72 hours before the beginning of the convention? (Call IV.D.1 & Reg. 4.35)		
		(3)	Does the Plan indicate that if a replacement occurs within 72 hours of the start of the convention, the Delegation Chair will indicate the name of the alternate casting the respective delegate's vote on the tally sheet? ( <i>Call IX.F.3.c &amp; Call, IX.F.3.e &amp; Reg. 5.6</i> )		
	e.		the Plan indicate how vacant alternate positions will be filled and does it specify that the cement must be:		
		(1)	of the same presidential preference;		
		(2)	of the same gender; and		
		(3)	of the same political subdivision (to the extent possible) as the alternate being replaced? (Rule 19.E.		
2.	Auto	matic l	Delegates		
	a.	As applicable, does the Plan specify that Members of Congress and Democratic Governors are not er to name a replacement? (The Plan may indicate that changes or vacancies in such offices will be those officially recognized by the respective Democratic organization.) ( <i>Call IV.D.2.a</i> )			
	b.	entitl	the Plan specify that DNC Members shall not be entitled to a replacement and the state shall not be ed to a replacement, except in the case of death? (The Plan may indicate that DNC membership ges and corresponding delegate changes will be as acknowledged by the DNC Secretary.) ( <i>Call 2.b</i> )		
	c.		plicable, does the Plan specify that Distinguished Party Leaders shall not be entitled to name a cement, nor shall the state be entitled to name a replacement? (Call IV.D.2.c)		
	d.	Does	the Plan specify that in no case may an alternate cast a vote for an automatic delegate? (Call IX.F.3.e)		
SEI	LECTI	ON C	OF CONVENTION STANDING COMMITTEE MEMBERS		
Intr	oductio	n			
1.	Is the	e numb	er of members to be selected for the three (3) standing committees indicated?		
2.			an indicate that standing committee members need not be delegates or alternates to the 2020 ? (Call VII.A.3)		
Ten	porary	Standi	ng Committee Members		
1.	comi	mittee r	an provide for the selection of temporary standing committee members in the event that a standing meets prior to the election of the permanent standing committee members? If so, will the State Party prary members of all committees, or a specific committee? (Call VII.G)		
2.	Can	any De	mocrat apply for a position as a temporary member of the standing committee[s]?		
	a.	To w	hom is the application submitted and what information is required?		

		b.	What is the deadline to apply for a Temporary member position?						
	3.	com	Does the Plan specify that: a separate election will be held for each committee; the membership of each committee will be equally divided among men and women as possible; and gender non-binary committee members shall not be counted as either a male or female, but the remainder of the members shall be equally divided between men and women? ( <i>Call VII.E.1</i> )						
	4.	the s mem	s the Plan specify that Temporary members will serve only in the event the standing committee meets before state's delegate selection process has been completed and that once the state has selected its permanent or the temporary member will no longer be recognized, unless they were elected as a permanent or call VII.G.3)						
	5.		s the Plan specify that Temporary members selected after the state's first determining step will reflect the idential preferences accordingly? (Call VII.G.3)						
	6.	Does the Plan specify that: the State Chair will certify the temporary members in writing to the Secretary of Democratic National Committee within three (3) days after their selection; any substitution to the list must be done at least ten (10) days before the committee meets; and how substitute temporary members will be selected VII.B.3 and Call G.4)							
C.	Stan	ding C	Committee Members						
	1.	Selec	ction Meeting						
		a.	Is the process for selecting the standing committee members fully described? (Call VII.B.1)						
		b.	Is the date of the selection meeting specified, is it within 14 days of the final selection of delegates, and is it not later than June 27, 2020? (Call VII.B.1)						
		c.	Is there provision for adequate notice of time and place for the selection meeting? (Call, VII.B.1)						
	2.	Allocation of Members							
		a.	Does the Plan provide that standing committee members will be allocated on the same basis as the atlarge delegates? ( <i>Call VII.C.1 &amp; Reg. 5.9</i> )						
		b.	Is the formula for allocating the standing committee members to the presidential candidates described? ( <i>Call VII.C.2</i> )						
		c.	Is the method for rounding the formula results described? (Call VII.C.2)						
		d.	Does the Plan indicate that committee positions will be allocated to presidential candidates proportionately, to the extent practicable, among each committee? ( <i>Call VII.C.4</i> )						
	3.	Pres	idential Candidate Right of Approval						
		a.	Does the Plan indicate that presidential candidates will receive adequate notice of the date, time and place of the selection meeting? ( <i>Call VII.D.1</i> )						
		b.	Does the Plan require the presidential candidates to submit the name of one (1) individual for each position the candidate is to receive? ( <i>Call VII.D.2</i> )						
		c.	Is the deadline for making the submission specified?						
		d.	Does the Plan specify that the delegation shall select the standing committee members from among the names submitted by the presidential candidates? ( <i>Call VII.D.2</i> )						
	4.	Selec	ction Procedure to Achieve Equal Division						
		a.	Are presidential candidates required to use their best efforts to ensure their respective delegations are equally divided between men and women, and that the names they submit will help achieve the						

			affirmative action, outreach and inclusion goals established in the Delegate Selection Plan? (Rule 6.1 & Reg 4.10)					
		b.	Does the Plan specify a process for ensuring equal division of standing committee member positions among men and women for each committee? ( <i>Call VII.E.2</i> )					
	5.	Certi	fication and Substitution					
		a. Does the Plan provide that the State Chair will certify in writing to the DNC Secretary, the standing committee members within three (3) days of their selection? ( <i>Call VII.B.3</i> )						
		b.	Does the Plan indicate that substitution of standing committee members is not permitted except in the case of resignation or death? Does it indicate that substitute members must be selected in accordance with the Plan and certified to the DNC Secretary not later than 48 hours before the respective committee meets ( <i>Call VII.B.4</i> )					
v.	THI	E DEL	EGATION CHAIR AND CONVENTION PAGES					
Α.	Intro	ductio	n					
	Does	the Pla	an indicate that the state will select one Delegation Chair and its allocation of Convention Pages?					
B.	Dele	gation	Chair					
	1.	Selec	ction Meeting					
		a.	Is the date for selecting the Delegation Chair indicated and is it within 14 days of the final selection of the state's delegates, but not later than June 27, 2020? (Call IV.E.)					
		b.	Does the Plan provide for the Chair to be selected at an open and well-publicized meeting of the state's National Convention delegation? ( <i>Rule 3.C</i> )					
	2.		the Plan provide that the State Chair will certify in writing to the DNC Secretary, the Delegation Chair in three days of their selection? ( <i>Call IV.E</i> )					
C.	Conv	ventior	n Pages					
	1.	Does	the Plan:					
		a.	Specify the number of Convention Pages to be selected?					
		b.	Indicate the date on which the selection will take place?					
		c.	Indicate that the State Chair will select the Pages in consultation with the state's DNC members? ( <i>Reg.</i> 5.7.A)					
		d.	Is the date not later than the date on which the standing committee members are selected? (Call IV.F.3)					
	2.	and (	the Plan require that: the Pages be equally divided between men and women; reflect the Affirmative Action Dutreach and Inclusion guidelines; and that gender non-binary pages will not be counted in realizing equal ion of the Pages? ( <i>Reg. 5.7.A</i> )					
	3.	with	the Plan provide that the State Chair will certify, in writing to the DNC Secretary, the Convention Pages in three days of their selection and no later than the time the standing committee members are certified? <i>IV.F.3 and Reg. 5.7.B</i> )					
VI.	PRE	ESIDE	ENTIAL ELECTORS					
Α.	Intro	ductio	n					
	Does the Plan indicate how many Presidential Electors the state will have for the 2020 Presidential election?							

В.	Selection of Presidential Electors							
	Does	the Plan describe process for selecting the Democratic presidential electors, including:						
	1.	How are candidates nominated / Who nominates the candidates?						
	2.	Who makes the selection of the electors?						
	3.	When is the selection made?						
	4.	To whom is the list of Democratic electors provided and what is the deadline by which that must be done? (Call VIII)						
C.	Affir	mation						
	1.	Does the Plan require each candidate for Presidential Elector to certify in writing that they will vote for the election of the Democratic Presidential and Vice Presidential nominees? (Call VIII)						
	2.	What steps will the State Party take to ensure the persons selected are bona fide Democrats who are faithful to the interests, welfare, and success of the Democratic Party of the United States, who subscribe to the substance, intent and principles of the Charter and the Bylaws of the Democratic Party of the United States? (Call VIII)						
		Does Plan indicate whether state law requires the electors to vote for the Party's nominee and how that is enforced?						
VII.	GEN	NERAL PROVISIONS AND PROCEDURAL GUARANTEES						
A.	Does the Plan reaffirm the State Party's commitment to an open party by incorporating the "six basic elements" in Rule 4 as summarized below?							
	1.	1. All public meetings at all levels will be open to all members of the Democratic Party regardless of race, sex, age, color, creed, national origin, religion, ethnic identity, sexual orientation, gender identity and expression, economic status, or disability ("status")? ( <i>Rule 4.B.1</i> )						
	2.	No test for membership in, nor loyalty oaths to the Democratic Party will be required or used that could require prospective or current Party members to acquiesce in, condone or support discrimination based on "status." (Rule 4.B.2)						
	3.	The time and place for all public meetings of the Party on all levels will be publicized fully and, in such manner, as to assure timely notice to all interested persons, and such meetings will be held in places accessible to all Party members and large enough to accommodate all interested persons. ( <i>Rule 4.B.3</i> )						
	4.	The Democratic Party on all levels, will support the broadest possible registration without discrimination based on "status." ( <i>Rule 4.B.4</i> )						
	5.	The Democratic Party should publicize fully and assure notice to all interested parties a full description of the legal and practical procedures for selecting Democratic Party officers and representatives on all levels, including informing persons of the procedures in time to participate in each selection procedure at all levels of the Party, and developing education programs for voters who experience confusing timelines for registration and hanging party affiliation deadlines, or lack of awareness of the process for running for delegate, to ensure all Democratic voters understand the rules and timelines and their impact on voter participation. ( <i>Rule 4.B.5</i> )						
	6.	The Democratic Party should publicize fully and assure notice to all interested parties a complete description of the legal and practical qualifications of all positions as officers and representatives of the Party, including timely notice so prospective candidates or applicants for elected or appointed position within the Party will have full and adequate opportunity to compete for office. ( <i>Rule 4.B.6</i> )						
B.		Does the Plan prohibit discrimination on the basis of "status"? (Rule 5.B)						

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C.		Does (Rule		an require equal division of delegates (including all pledged and automatic delegates) and alte	rnates?				
D.			Are all candidates for delegate and alternate required to be identified as to presidential preference or uncommitted status? ( $Rule\ 13.A$ )						
E.			Does the Plan indicate that no delegate shall be mandated to vote contrary to his/her presidential preference? ( <i>Rule 13.I</i> )						
F.			Does the Plan specify that delegates shall, in all good conscience, reflect the sentiments of those who elected them? (Rule 13.J)						
G.		Are a Reg.		egates, alternates and standing committee members required to be bona fide Democrats? (Rule 13	3.H &				
H.		Does	the Pl	an specify quorum requirements of no less than 40%? (Rule 16)					
I.		If pro	oxy vot	ting is permitted, does Plan include the provision from Rule 17? (Rule 17 & Reg. 4.32)					
J.		Is the	e "unit	rule" prohibited? (Rule 18.A)					
K.		Is the	ere a pi	rovision about slate-making limitations? (Rule 18.B)					
L.			Does the Plan confirm that all steps of the delegate selection process take place during 2020, except those related to the implementation of the Affirmative Action Plan and Outreach and Inclusion Program? (Rule 1.F & Rule 12.B)						
M.		Does the State Party reiterate the assurances pursuant to the provisions of the Call? (Call II.B)							
VIII	l. AFI	FIRM	ATIV	E ACTION PLAN and OUTREACH AND INCLUSION PROGRAM					
A.	State	ement o	of Purp	pose & Organization					
	1.	Purp	ose an	d Objectives					
		a. Does the Plan outline that the State Party has adopted a program of effective affirmative action sure the Party is open at all levels? ( <i>Rule 5.A</i> )							
		b.	Is di	scrimination on the basis of "status" prohibited? (Rule 5.B)					
		c.		all public meetings at all levels of the Party required to be open to all members, regardless of tus"? (Rule 4.B.1)					
		d.		s the State Party commit to including groups historically under-represented in the Party's affair it established goals for the groups? ( $Rule\ 5.C\ \&\ Reg\ 4.8$ )	s and				
		e.		the State Party adopted specific goals and timetables for the groups required in Rule 6.C and the underrepresented groups in Rule 7? (Rule 6.A, Rule 7 & Reg. 4.8)	ne				
			(1)	Does the Plan indicate that the goal of the programs is to encourage participation in the proc the targeted groups? ( <i>Rule 6.A.1</i> )	ess by				
			(2)	Does the Plan clarify that "youth" is defined as any participant younger than 36 years old at time of election? ( <i>Reg. 5.3.A</i> )	the				
			(3)	Will individuals identifying as Native Americans be asked to provide their tribal affiliation? 5.3.B)	(Reg.				
			(4)	Prohibit the use of quotas? (Rule 6.A.2)					

	۷.	Orga	Organizational Structure				
		a.		s Plan provide for the appointment and operation of a representative Affirmative Action Committee later than March 1, 2019? ( <i>Rule 6.F</i> )			
		b.		e State Chair to certify the names and compliance of the Affirmative Action Committee members to Rules and Bylaws Committee no later than 15 days after their appointment? ( <i>Reg.</i> 2.2. <i>J</i> )			
		c.	Den	the Affirmative Action Committee consist of members who are regionally diverse and represent the nocratic constituency groups set forth in the Introduction to the Affirmative Action Plan and Outreach Inclusion Program?			
		d.	Doe	s Plan outline the responsibilities of the Affirmative Action Committee, including:			
			(1)	Helping develop and design the Affirmative Action Plan and Outreach and Inclusion Program and making recommendations to the State Democratic Chair? ( <i>Rule 6.F</i> )			
			(2)	Directing the implementation of the Affirmative Action Plan and Outreach and Inclusion Program			
			(3)	Implementing a specific outreach and financial assistance program for persons of low and moderate income to encourage their participation and representation in the delegation? ( <i>Rule 6.G</i> )			
			(4)	Ensure that district lines will not discriminate against minorities and women? (Rule 6.E)			
		e.		State Party committed to providing financial and staff support for the work of the Affirmative Action mittee?			
	3.			indicate the date implementation of the Affirmative Action Plan and Outreach and Inclusion will begin, which must be no later than September 13, 2019? (Rule 1.F)			
В.	Repr	esenta	tion G	Goals			
	1.			lysis been conducted to determine the demographic composition of African Americans, Hispanics,			
	1,	Nati	ve Am	ericans, and Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders in the state's Democratic electorate? Were those by percentages used to establish goals for representation in the state's convention delegation? (Rule			
	2.	Has an analysis been conducted to determine the demographic composition of members of the LGBTQ+ community, people with disabilities, and youth in the state's Democratic electorate? Were those constituency percentages used to establish goals for representation in the state's convention delegation? Has the State Party set representation goals for other underrepresented constituencies as well? (Rule 7 & Reg 4.8.C.iii)					
	3.	Is th	e meth	odology used for determining the constituency percentages and goals described?			

	African American s	Hispanics	Native American s	Asian Americas & Pacific Islanders	LGBTQ+ American s	People with Disabilities	Youth	
% in Democratic Electorate								
Numeric Goals for Delegation								

	4.	Does the Plan indicate that the at-large portion of the delegation may be used to ultimately achieve the representative goals of the Plan? ( <i>Rule 11.A</i> )
	5.	Does the Plan state that the use of the at-large delegation to meet the affirmative action goals does not obviate the need for outreach activities by the State Party? ( <i>Rule 6.A.3</i> )
C.	Effort	ts to Educate on the Delegate Selection Process
	1.	Does the Plan provide for effectively explaining and publicizing events in the delegate selection process through media and through specific meetings and workshops? ( <i>Rule 3.A, Rule 3.C &amp; Rule 3.D</i> )
	2.	Does the Plan outline how the State Party will reach out to the Party's constituencies to provide information about the delegate selection process?
	3.	Does the State Party commit to publish and make available at no cost, a clear and concise explanation of how Democratic voters can participate in the delegate selection process? As well, will the State Party also make available copies of all relevant documents and materials about the process? What is the deadline by which this effort will begin? Is the deadline at least 90 days before the first step in the state's process? ( <i>Rule 1.H</i> )
	4.	Does the Plan indicate the process is open to all voters who wish to participate as Democrats? (Rule 2.C)
	5.	Will the State Party take all feasible efforts to encourage non-affiliated voters and new voters to register or enroll, to provide simple procedures through which they may do so and to eliminate excessively long waiting periods for voters who wish to register or to change their party enrollment status? ( <i>Rule 4.B.5</i> )
D.	Effort	ts to Publicize the Delegate Selection Process
	1.	Does the Plan describe how the State Party will direct special attention to publicizing the delegate selection process in the state? ( <i>Rule 3.C &amp; Rule 3.D</i> )
	2.	Will the State Party have a Delegate Selection Media Plan to utilize all available and appropriate resources to publicize information about the delegate selection process? ( <i>Rule 4.B.3 &amp; Rule 6.D</i> )
	3.	Will specific efforts be made to direct publicity among the Party's constituencies? Will publicity efforts include multilingual information, where necessary, to encourage the participation of minority groups? ( <i>Rule 6.D</i> )
	4.	By what date will information and materials related to the delegate selection process be available on the State Party's website?
E.	Oblig	gations of Presidential Candidates to Maximize Participation
	1.	Does the Plan require presidential candidates to assist the state in meeting its demographic representation goals? ( <i>Rule 6.H</i> )
	2.	By what date are presidential candidates required to submit a written statement to the State Party indicating steps and procedures to encourage full participation? ( <i>Rule 6.H.1</i> )
	3.	Are presidential candidates required to submit demographic information on all delegate and alternate candidates pledged to them? ( <i>Rule 6.H.2</i> )
	4.	Are presidential candidates required to use their best efforts to ensure their respective delegates, alternates and standing committee members are equally divided and help achieve the state's affirmative action goals? And, are presidential candidates required to use their best efforts to approve delegate and alternate candidates at the district level who meet applicable equal division and affirmative action considerations to achieve the affirmative action, outreach and inclusion goals and equal division for their respective delegations? ( <i>Rule 6.C, Rule 6.I &amp; Reg. 4.10</i> )
F.	Outre	each and Inclusion Program
П	1	Does the Plan indicate the State Party is committed to help achieve full participation of groups who have

historically been explicitly denied the right to vote or who have been subjected to discriminatory and

		exclusionary practices that have denied them voting rights and full participation in the delegate selection process and other Party meetings, events and elections, along with other groups who are also underrepresented in Party affairs?			
	2.	How will the State Party make accommodations to facilitate greater participation by people with disabilities?			
	3. Does the Plan describe the steps the Party will take to reach out to and include these constituencies as part of the delegate selection process?				
IX.	CHA	ALLENGES			
	Does	the Plan track the provisions on challenges from the Model Plan (check the Model Plan)? (Call Appendix A)			
X.	SUN	MMARY OF PLAN			
A.	Selection of Delegates and Alternates				
	1.	Does the summary indicate the system the state uses for allocating delegates to presidential candidates?			
		System Type: Date of 1st Step:			
	2.	Does the summary briefly describe the number of delegates and alternates to be selected, the selecting body and			

Туре	Delegates	Alternates	Selection Date	Selecting Body & Filing Requirements
District-Level Delegates & Alternates				
Automatic Delegates				
Pledged PLEOs				
At-Large Delegates & Alternates				
TOTAL (check 2020 allocation chart)				

## B. Selection of Standing Committee Members

the filing requirements?

- Does the summary indicate how many standing committee members will be selected and does it include a brief description of the filing requirements and deadlines?
- □ 2. If Temporary members are to be elected, does Plan include a row in the table below to summarize information about the selection?

Type

c.

**Selecting Body** 

Members per Committee (check 2020 allocation chart)	<b>Total Members</b> (Members per Committee x 3)	<b>Selection Date</b> (After selection of all delegates)	Filing Requirements & Deadlines

**Selection Date** 

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C.	Selection	or Dere	egation	Chair and	Convention	rages

Number

 $\hfill\square$  Does the summary indicate how and when the Delegation Chair and Convention Pages are selected?

	Delegation Chair		air	1		☐ Delegation		
	Conver	ntion Pa	ges			☐ State Chair		
D.	Selec	ction of	Preside	ntial Electors				
	Does	Does the summary indicate how many electors will be selected, by whom, and on what date?						
E.	Presi	Presidential Candidate Filing Deadline						
	1.	If applicable, does the Plan summarize the state's presidential candidate filing requirements and deadline (after 1/1/2020)? (Rule 11.B & Rule 14.E)						
	2.	What is the date by which presidential candidates must certify their authorized representative(s) to the State Chair?						
F.	Time	Timetable						
Are the dates indicated for the following steps in the delegate selection process:								
	1.	Date on which the Affirmative Action Committee was appointed (on or before 3/1/2019)?						
	2.	Beginning and end of period for soliciting public comment on the proposed Delegate Selection and Affirmative Action Plans (minimum of 30 days)?						
	3.	Date on which State Party will adopt the Delegate Selection and Affirmative Action Plans (after public comment period)?						
	4.	Date the Affirmative Action Plan goes into effect (by 9/13/19)?						
	5.	All deadlines, including the following steps:						
		a.	Preside	ential candidate filing, if ap	plicable?			
		b.	Preside	ential candidate certification	n of authorized representative(s)?			

Presidential candidate full participation statement? \_

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d. Filing deadlines for delegate and alternate candidates:

	Level / Filing Deadline	Statement of candidacy and pledge of support	State Party transmits lists to Presidential Candidates	Presidential Candidates file approved Lists of delegate and alternate candidates				
	District- Level							
	PLEOs	(after the election of the district-level delegates)						
	At-Large	(same as or after the selection of the PLEOs)		(after the selection of the district-level and PLEO delegates)				
ALL dates related to the selection of delegates and alternates (including the primary date in primary states or the date for each tier in caucus states) for each level (as noted below):								
	primary caud	nary (and any pre- or post- cus meetings) scription of each Caucus						
	are mailed to	which vote-by-mail ballots o voters. n-person voting begins.						
		l delegates & alternates ed and by whom?						
	PLEOs deleg When selecte	gates ed and by whom?						
		egates & alternates ed and by whom?						
Standing	Standing Committee Members:							
(1) D	(1) Date by which presidential candidates must provide list of approved candidates?							
(2) Date on which standing committee members are selected?								
Date for selecting the Delegation Chair and the Convention Pages?								
Date for selecting the Presidential Electors?								

## **ATTACHMENTS**

1.	Affirmative Action Committee Members					
	a.	ist of members with relevant demographic information on each member?				
	b.	A statement from the State Democratic Chair confirming composition complies of the Affirmative Action Committee complies with the Rules and that contact and demographic information on the members was submitted to the RBC 15 days after their appointment. ( <i>Reg</i> 2.2. <i>K</i> )				
2.	Docu	umentation included with the Plan: (Reg. 2.2)				
	a.	A summary of the process for selecting delegates, alternates, standing committee members, the delegation chair and convention pages, and Presidential Electors, along with related deadlines? (This information can be provided as shown by Section X of the Model Plan.) ( <i>Reg. 2.2.A</i> )				
	b.	A timetable reflecting all significant dates in the state's delegate selection process? (This information can be provided as shown by Section X of the Model Plan.) ( <i>Reg.</i> 2.2. <i>B</i> )				
	c.	A copy of the press release distributed by the State Party announcing the adoption of the Plan and summarizing the major components of the Plan? ( <i>Reg. 2.2.D</i> )				
	d.	a statement from the State Chair certifying the following:				
		The adoption of the Plan by the State Party? (Reg. 2.2.C)				
		The proposed Plan, including all attachments and appendices, was placed on the State Part website during the 30-day public comment period? ( <i>Reg. 2.2.E</i> )	y			
		Compliance with Rule 1.C which requires a 30-day public comment period prior to the ador the Plan by the State Party Committee, i.e., a copy of the press release announcing the available of the proposed Delegate Selection and Affirmative Action Plans for public comment for 30 (Rule 1.C & Reg. 2.2.F)	ability			
	e.	A statement from the Chair of the Affirmative Action Committee certifying compliance with Rule 6.F which requires that the Affirmative Action Committee has reviewed the proposed Affirmative Action outreach plan, including any numerical goals established? (Rule 6.F & Reg. 2.2.I)				
	f.	Copies of all written public and online comments submitted through the process provided above above the plan? Is each person and/or organization making comments identified and, where appropriate, person or group so represented described, if such information was provided or is available to the St. Party? (Rule 1.C & Reg. 2.2.G)				
	g.	A blank copy of all forms to be filed with the State Party for delegate, alternate, and standing commi candidates? (Rule 1.A.7, Rule 1.A.8 & Reg. 2.2.H)				
	h.	Copies of all state statutes and all other relevant legal authority reasonably related to:				
		The delegate selection process? (Does this include state provisions regarding ballot access for presidential candidates, filing requirements for delegates/alternates, timing requirements for primaries, caucuses or conventions, party registration or enrollment provisions, etc.?) ( <i>Reg.</i>	or			
		2) The election of Presidential Electors. (Call VIII)				
	i.	A copy of all presidential candidate qualifying forms to be filed with the state and the state party? ( <i>Reg.</i> 2.2. <i>M</i> .)				
	i.	copy of State Delegate Selection Media Plan.				

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3.	For	Caucus	States

- a. A copy of the State Party's proposed budget outlining State Party's financial plan and demonstrating the technical ability to successfully run the delegate selection process. (*Rule 2.K.2*)
- □ b. A copy of the State Party's Caucus Plan specifically describing how the caucus process will be implemented and how each level of the caucuses will be conducted.