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PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator Cudaback. Are there any further nominations? Seeing none, the Chair declares that nominations are closed. You have before you a ballot. If you will please write the name of the individual you are voting for, the Clerk and Assistant Clerk will come and collect the ballots. At this time I select a committee of three to come forward to tabulate the votes, that is Senator Robak, Senator Bohlke, and Senator Price. Once the three have finished voting, you may come forward.

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PRESIDENT ROBAK: The results of the balloting are as follows--there is a three-way tie, with each of the candidates receiving 16 votes each, and 1 senator abstaining. I would ask that you all place...that we will ballot again. We will come around again with ballots. If you will please again write down the name of the senator that you would like to elect for Vice Chairperson of the Executive Board. The Clerk and Assistant Clerk will come around and collect the ballots.

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PRESIDENT ROBAK: Will the same three tellers please come forward to tally the ballots.

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PRESIDENT ROBAK: The results of the balloting are as follows: Senator Cudaback, 17 votes; Senator Engel, 16 votes; Senator Preister, 16 votes. The procedure that we will follow at this point is that Senator Cudaback will be declared one of the nomi...one of the finalists for this position, and we will have a run-off ballot between Senator Engel and Senator Preister. You have the ballots before you. If you will please cast your ballot for the individual that you would like to proceed to the final balloting. The individual who gets the most votes, between Senator Engel and Senator Preister, will follow with a ballot between that individual and Senator Cudaback.

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