

Section 2: Guided Reading and Review

Presidential Succession and the Vice Presidency**A. As You Read**

As you read Section 2, use the chart below to write the correct order of succession to the presidency.

The Order of Succession to the Presidency

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| 1. | _____ | ↓ |
| 2. | _____ | ↓ |
| 3. | _____ | ↓ |
| 4. | _____ | ↓ |
| 5. | _____ | |

Answer the following questions in the blanks provided.

6. How does the Constitution provide for situations in which the President is disabled? _____

7. What duties are given to the Vice President by the Constitution? _____

8. How are Vice Presidents usually selected? _____

9. How can a vacancy in the vice presidency be filled? _____

B. Reviewing Key Terms

Write the definition of each term in the blank provided.

10. presidential succession _____

11. balance the ticket _____