

231E.7 Substitute decision maker-initiated appointment — interventions.

The state office or local office may on its own motion or at the request of the court intervene in a guardianship or conservatorship proceeding if the state office or local office or the court considers the intervention to be justified because of any of the following:

1. An appointed guardian or conservator is not fulfilling prescribed duties or is subject to removal under [section 633.65](#).
2. A willing and qualified guardian or conservator is not available.
3. The best interests of the ward require the intervention.

[2005 Acts, ch 175, §136](#); [2009 Acts, ch 23, §48](#)

Referred to in [§231E.8](#)