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PUBLIC NOTICE OF LOTTERY TO DETERMINE BALLOT POSITION

On Tuesday, January 8, 2013, the Illinois State Board of Elections will conduct a lottery to determine ballot position for all candidates who filed nominating papers with the Board at 8 a.m. on Thursday, January 3, 2013, the first day of the candidate petition filing to fill the vacancy in the office of Representative in Congress in the Second Congressional District to be voted on at the February 26, 2013 Special Primary Election.

The Board will also conduct a second lottery on the same date for candidates who filed nominating papers with the Board between 4 p.m. and 5 p.m. on Monday, January 7, 2013, the last day of the candidate petition filing to fill the vacancy in the office of Representative in Congress in the Second Congressional District to be voted on at the February 26, 2013 Special Primary Election.


All 8 a.m. simultaneous first-day filers qualify for the lottery to determine top ballot position. All filers between 4 p.m. and 5 p.m. on the last day qualify for the lottery to determine bottom ballot position.

All other ballot positions are determined by order of filing.

Both lotteries will take place at 2 p.m. in the Board's Springfield office located at 2329 S. MacArthur, Springfield, Illinois. The lotteries can also be viewed via videoconferencing in our Chicago office located at 100 W. Randolph, 14th floor. Admittance to the elevators at the Thompson Center requires security screening and production of a government issued identification.

Candidates need not be present. Candidates will be listed by ballot position on the State Board of Elections website by 3 p.m. on January 8.

DATED: January 4, 2013



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