STATE OF MINNESOTA EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

ST. PAUL

Writ of election to fill vacancy in the office of state senator from the fifty-third senator-ial district of the state, and of special primary election to nominate candidates for said office.

To the people of the state of Minnesota, and particularly to the fifty-third senatorial district of said state, to the secretary of state of the state of Minnesota, to the county auditor of the county of Morrison of said state, to the county auditor of the county of Crow Wing of said state, to all election officials of said fifty-third senatorial district, and of the several election districts therein and to all others whom it may concern:

WHEREAS, a vacancy now exists in the office of state senator from the fifty-third senatorial district of the state of Minnesota, caused by the death of the late state senator, the Honorable Frederick J. Miller, and

WHEREAS, there will be occasion for the person elected to fill said vacancy to take office and to exercise the functions thereof at the next regular session of the state legislature.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Harold E. Stassen, as governor of the state of Minnesota, acting under the authority and direction of section 17 of article IV of the constitution of this state, and the statutes in such case made and provided, do hereby direct that a special election to fill said vacancy be held in said district on Tuesday, the fifth day of November, 1940; that a special primary election for the nomination of candidates

for said vacancy be held in said district on Tuesday, the tenth day of September, 1940; that affidavits of candidacy for nomination at said primary be filed not later than the seventh day before said primary, to-wit, not later than the third day of September, 1940; that notices of said election and special primary therefor, the nomination and election of candidates and the conduct of said election be had and all things pertaining thereto be done as provided in sections 205.05 to 205.17, Minnesota Election Laws, the 1940 edition, and other applicable provisions of law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto caused the great seal of the state to be affixed, and have hereunto set my hand at the capitol in the city of St. Paul, Minnesota, this 26th day of August, 1940.

Governor of the State of

ATTEST:

Secretary of State.