



ARNE H. CARLSON

Governor of the State of Minnesota

WRIT OF SPECIAL ELECTION

WRIT OF SPECIAL ELECTION TO FILL A CERTAIN VACANCY IN THE OFFICE OF STATE REPRESENTATIVE OF HOUSE DISTRICT 11B IN THE COUNTIES OF TODD, DOUGLAS, WADENA, OTTER TAIL AND STEARNS, STATE OF MINNESOTA, AND OF A SPECIAL PRIMARY TO NOMINATE THE CANDIDATES FOR THE SPECIAL ELECTION.

To the People of the State of Minnesota, and particularly of House District 11B in the Counties of Todd, Douglas, Wadena, Otter Tail and Stearns; to the Secretary of the State of Minnesota; to the auditors of the above-named counties; to all election officials in House District 11B and to all others who may be concerned:

WHEREAS, a vacancy has occurred in the office of State Representative from House District 11B of the State of Minnesota, caused by the death, September 4, 1997 of Representative Ken Otremba; and

WHEREAS, a special election to fill said vacancy is necessary to assure representation for the citizens of House District 11B:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Arne H. Carlson, as Governor of the State of Minnesota, acting under the authority and direction vested in me by the Minnesota Constitution, Article IV, Section 4, and Minnesota Statutes Sections 204D.17 to 204D.27, 351.01, 351.055, and other relevant statutes, do hereby direct that:

1. A special election to fill said vacancy be held in House District 11B on Tuesday, November 4, 1997.
2. A special primary, if necessary, for the nomination of candidates for the office be held in House District 11B on Tuesday, September 30, 1997.

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3. Affidavits and petitions of candidacy be filed with the Secretary of State from Thursday, September 11, 1997, until 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, September 18, 1997.
4. Notices of this special election and special primary be given, that the nomination and election of candidates be conducted and that all things pertaining thereto be done as provided by Minnesota Statutes, Sections 204D.17 to 204D.27, and other applicable provisions of law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand at the Capitol, in the City of St. Paul, County of Ramsey, State of Minnesota, this 10th day of September, 1997.

Arne H. Carlson

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GOVERNOR
STATE OF MINNESOTA

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SECRETARY OF STATE

