## STATE of MINNESOTA



## JESSE VENTURA GOVERNOR

## WRIT OF SPECIAL ELECTION

WRIT OF SPECIAL ELECTION TO FILL A CERTAIN VACANCY IN THE OFFICE OF STATE REPRESENTATIVE OF REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 12B IN THE COUNTIES OF CASS, MORRISON AND CROW WING, STATE OF MINNESOTA, AND OF A SPECIAL PRIMARY TO NOMINATE THE CANDIDATES FOR THE SPECIAL ELECTION.

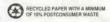
To the People of the State of Minnesota, and particularly of Representative District 12B, in the Counties of Cass, Morrison and Crow Wing; to the Secretary of State of Minnesota; to the auditors of the above-named counties; to all election officials in Representative District 12B and to all others who may be concerned:

WHEREAS, a vacancy has occurred in the office of State Representative from Representative District 12B of the State of Minnesota, caused by the resignation on August 5 2001 of Representative Stephen Wenzel; and

WHEREAS, a special election to fill said vacancy is necessary to assure representation for the citizens of Representative District 12B.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jesse Ventura, 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 Representative District 12B on Tuesday November 6, 2001.
- 2. A special primary, if necessary, for the nomination of candidates for the office be held in Representative District 12B on Tuesday September 11, 2001.
- 3. Affidavits and petitions of candidacy be filed with the Secretary of State from Thursday August 16, 2001 until 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday August 21, 2001.



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 thirteenth day of August, 2001.

JESSE VENTURA GOVERNOR STATE OF MINNESOTA

MARY KIFFMEYER
SECRETARY OF STATE