

STATE OF MINNESOTA  
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT  
St. Paul, Minnesota

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WRIT OF ELECTION TO FILL VACANCY IN THE OFFICE  
OF STATE SENATOR FROM THE FIFTY-FIFTH SENATORIAL  
DISTRICT OF THE STATE, AND OF SPECIAL PRIMARY  
ELECTION TO NOMINATE CANDIDATES FOR SAID OFFICE.  
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To the People of the State of Minnesota, and particularly of the Fifty-fifth Senatorial District of said State; to the Secretary of State of the State of Minnesota; to the County Auditors of the Counties of Mille Lacs, Kanabec and Sherburne of said State; to all Election Officials of said Fifty-fifth Senatorial District and all of the Several Election Districts therein; and to all Others Whom it May Concern - GREETINGS:

WHEREAS, At the general election held on November 8, 1938, John J. White was duly elected State Senator from the Fifty-fifth Senatorial District of Minnesota; and

WHEREAS, On or about the 5th day of December, 1938, a certificate of election as State Senator from said Fifty-fifth Senatorial District was duly issued by Honorable Mike Holm, Secretary of State, to said John J. White; and

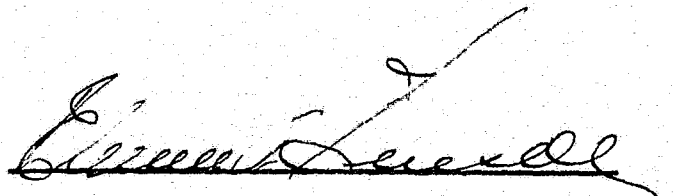
WHEREAS, A contingency has arisen which will create a vacancy in the office of said Senator from said Fifty-fifth Senatorial District of the State of Minnesota on and after January 3, 1939, caused by the death of said John J. White; and

WHEREAS, The Legislature of the State of Minnesota will convene in regular session on the 3rd day of January, 1939, and the person elected to said office will have occasion to exercise the functions thereof immediately after his election.

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NOW, THEREFORE, I, Elmer A. Benson, as Governor of the State of Minnesota, acting under the authority and direction of Section 17 of Article 4 of the Constitution of this State, and the statutes in such case provided, DO HEREBY DIRECT that a special election be held in said Senatorial District on Tuesday, the 17th day of January, 1939, and that candidates for said office be nominated at a special primary election to be held on Tuesday, the 10th day of January, 1939, to fill the vacancy which will exist in said office; that the affidavits of candidates for nomination at said special primary election shall be filed not later than the seventh day before the primary, to-wit: not later than Tuesday, the 3rd day of January, 1939; that notices of said election and the special primary therefor, the nomination and election of candidates, and the conduct of said elections be had and all things pertaining thereto be done as provided by Laws of 1929, Chapter 297, and amendments thereof, and other applicable provisions of law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed, and have hereunto set my hand at the Capitol, in the City of St. Paul, Minnesota, this 23rd day of December, 1938.

  
Governor of the State of Minnesota

ATTEST:



Secretary of State

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