WRIT OF ELECTION

THE STATE OF MISSOURI,

To the Election Authority, that being the St. Louis City Board of Election Commissioners, State of Missouri, Greetings:

WHEREAS, I have been duly notified pursuant to Section 21.090, RSMo, of the resignation of State Representative Bruce Franks Jr., who at the time of his resignation, was a member of the Missouri State House of Representatives of the One Hundredth General Assembly, from the 78th District, comprised of St. Louis City; and

WHEREAS, as a result of Representative Franks' resignation, a vacancy exists in the membership of the One Hundredth General Assembly from the 78th District.

NOW THEREFORE, I, MICHAEL L. PARSON, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI, pursuant to the laws of the State of Missouri, including Article III, Section 14 of the Constitution of the State of Missouri and Sections 21.110 and 115.125, RSMo, do hereby issue this writ of election to fill this vacancy and do hereby direct that you cause the election for this purpose to be held on November 5, 2019, within the limits comprising the 78th District of the Missouri House of Representatives as required by law. Candidates must be selected and filed for office no later than 5:00 p.m. on August 22, 2019. I further direct that you issue your Proclamation or Notice for holding the election in accordance with the provisions of Sections 21.130, 115.125, and 115.127, RSMo, and that you certify the execution of this writ by providing the abstract required by Section 115.507, RSMo.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Missouri, in the City of Jefferson, on this 1st day of August, 2019.

MICHAEL L. PARSON GOVERNOR

ETARY OF STATE

ATTEST: