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The Honorable Ken Bennett
SECRETARY OF STATE
State of Arizona
1700 West Washington Street
Seventh Floor
Phoenix, AZ 85007

RE: *Ballot Statement Pursuant to A.R.S. § 19-207*

Dear Secretary Bennett:

With this letter I officially submit the following statement to be included on the November 8, 2011 ballot pursuant to A.R.S. § 19-207:

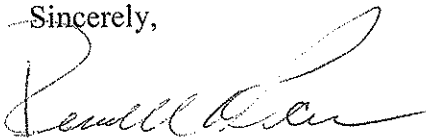
"I have devoted my entire life to public service--first as a Maricopa County deputy sheriff who was shot in the line of duty, then as the North Mesa Justice of the Peace and now as a member of the legislature. I was born in Mesa and I share and promote the values of our great community: freedom, excellent schools, vibrant economic growth, job creation, balanced budgets, strong law enforcement and secure borders.

"I am proud of my legislative record of limited government and living within our means. As the President of the Senate, I ushered through the first truly balanced budget in five years--no gimmicks and no new borrowing. I have been named 'Champion of the Taxpayer' by Americans for Prosperity and 'Hero of the Taxpayer' by the American Tax Reform.

"Together with Governor Jan Brewer, we enacted the innovative 'Arizona Competitiveness Package' that is our roadmap for putting Arizonans back to work. I continue to fight for education excellence and choice because our children deserve no less.

"I have always done what I have promised you I would do. I am honored to serve our community and you. I respectfully ask for your vote."

Sincerely,

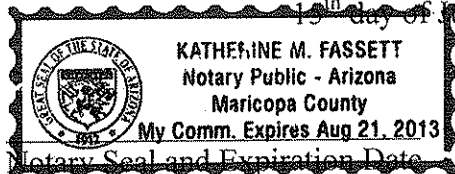


Russell Pearce
STATE SENATOR

STATE OF ARIZONA)
) ss.
County of Maricopa)

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me on

15th day of July, 2011 by Russell Pearce




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