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**WRIT OF ELECTION  
STATE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
DISTRICT 3**

TO: Carter County Election Commission  
Johnson County Election Commission  
Hawkins County Election Commission  
Sullivan County Election Commission  
The Honorable Tre Hargett, Secretary of State  
ATTN: Coordinator of Elections

**WHEREAS**, on April 20, 2023, the Honorable Scotty Campbell, State Representative, District 3, resigned from his seat as a member of the House of Representatives of the One Hundred Thirteenth General Assembly, effective immediately; and

**WHEREAS**, the resignation of the Honorable Scotty Campbell has created a vacancy in the Office of State Representative, District 3; and

**WHEREAS**, Article II, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Tennessee and Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-14-202, require a successor be elected in a special election by the qualified voters of District 3; and

**WHEREAS**, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-14-202(a), provides for the governor to order the special election by issuing a proper writ of election; and

**WHEREAS**, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-14-202(b), requires this writ of election to set a date for primary elections that is not less than fifty-five (55) nor more than sixty (60) days from the date of the writ of election and to set a date for a general election that is not less

than one hundred (100) nor more than one hundred seven (107) days from the date of the writ of election.

**NOW, THEREFORE,** I, Bill Lee, Governor of the State of Tennessee, pursuant to the authority vested in me by the laws and Constitution of the State of Tennessee, by this Writ of Election do hereby order and direct the Carter County Election Commission, the Johnson County Election Commission, the Hawkins County Election Commission, and the Sullivan County Election Commission to hold primary elections for nominations by statewide political parties to fill the vacancy in the Office of State Representative, District 3, on Thursday, June 22, 2023, and to hold a general election to fill the vacancy in the Office of State Representative, District 3, on Thursday, August 3, 2023.

Notice of the dates and purposes of these elections shall be published pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-14-105.

Issued this 25th day of April 2023.

  
GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

  
SECRETARY OF STATE

