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November 7, 2012

The Honorable Karen L. Haas  
Clerk, U.S. House of Representatives  
H-154 The Capitol  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Ms. Haas:

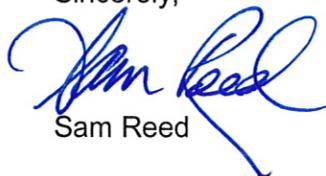
This is to advise you that the unofficial results of the Special Election held on Tuesday, November 6, 2012, for Representative in Congress from the First Congressional District of Washington, show that Suzan DelBene received 128,638 votes, or 60.14%, of the total votes cast for that office, tabulated so far.

It would appear from these unofficial results that Suzan DelBene was elected as Representative in Congress from the First Congressional District of Washington.

To the best of our knowledge and belief at this time, there is no contest to this election.

As soon as the official results are certified to this office by all counties involved, an official Certificate of Election will be prepared for transmittal as required by law.

Sincerely,

  
Sam Reed

KAREN L. HAAS  
CLERK

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Dear Mr. Secretary:

This is to request the original Certificate of Election for the Special Election of November 6, 2012, for the unexpired term for the First Congressional District of Washington. I would also greatly appreciate receiving as soon as possible after the Special Election, by facsimile, a statement from your office transmitting the unofficial election results and whether a challenge or recount is known at the time.

Please direct correspondence to me as follows:

Karen L. Haas, Clerk  
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H-154 The Capitol  
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(202) 225-7000  
(202) 225-1776 (FAX)

Thank you for your attention to this request. Please do not hesitate to contact me or Jodi Detwiler of my staff if you have any questions.

With best wishes, I am,

Sincerely,



Karen L. Haas

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Enclosure

cc: Mr. Shane Hamlin, Co-Executive Director, Elections Division  
Ms. Katie Blinn, Co-Executive Director, Elections Division