



November 24, 2014

The Honorable Nandita Berry
Texas Secretary of State
P.O. Box 12697
Austin, Texas 78711-2697

Dear Secretary Berry:

In accordance with Sections 9(b) and 11, Article III, Texas Constitution, the Texas House of Representatives (House) of the 84th Legislature will elect a Speaker on January 13th, 2015. Chapter 301, Government Code, requires the Secretary of State to preside over the House pending the election of the Speaker. During this time, the House will be operating under the rules adopted from the 83rd Legislature. We plan to call a record vote on the election of the Speaker under Section 12, Article III, Texas Constitution, and Rule 5, Section 51, of the House rules.

Sincerely,

Handwritten signature of Charlie Geren in black ink.

Charlie Geren
District 99

Handwritten signature of Kenneth Sheets in black ink.

Kenneth Sheets
District 107