

**A JOINT RESOLUTION #002/2014 ADOPTED BY
THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF
THE 53RD LEGISLATURE OF THE REPUBLIC OF
LIBERIA ENDORSING AND APPROVING A
PROCLAMATION ISSUED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE
REPUBLIC OF LIBERIA DECLARING THE SUSPENSION
OF THE ELECTION EXERCISES OF THE SENATORIAL
ELECTION SCHEDULED ON OCTOBER 14, 2014; AND
ALL THE VOTING RIGHTS ASSOCIATED THEREWITH
AND CONNECTED THERETO**

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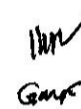
Whereas, Article 83 (a) of the Constitution of the Republic of Liberia (1986) states that "voting for the President, Vice-President, members of the Senate and members of the House of Representatives shall be conducted throughout the Republic on the second Tuesday in October of each election year";

Recalling, that the second Tuesday of this election year falls on October 14, 2014, which also falls within the scope of the State of Emergency declared by the President of Liberia and approved by the Legislature;

Cognizant, that the Constitution of the Republic of Liberia provides that voting in the Senatorial Election shall be held on the Second Tuesday in October, same being October 14, 2014;

Being aware, that the State of Emergency declared, grows out of the attack by the deadly Ebola virus which has engulfed Liberia and other countries in the sub-region killing thousands of our citizens thereby undermining the security of the State, threatening the economy and other social fabrics of the nation-state;

Acknowledging, that measures taken by the President under the State of Emergency to contain the spread and eradicate the virus and self-surviving measures taken by the people and residents of Liberia, in restricting their travel and contact, the necessary environment for a free, open and transparent political atmosphere became impossible. That today, such conditions and state of affairs continue. As a result, the National Elections Commission (NEC) has informed of its inability to undertake several of the processes that pre-requisite to conducting the 2014 Senatorial Elections.



Convinced, that the Proclamation issued by the President of the Republic of Liberia on October 4, 2014 declaring the suspension of the election exercises and all the voting rights associated therewith and connected thereto, for the Senatorial election on October 14, 2014; is sanctioned and authorized by Article 86 (a) and (b) of the Constitution of Liberia (1986).

NOW THEREFORE;

It is resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the 53rd Legislature of the Republic of Liberia in Extra-ordinary Session assembled:

1. That immediately upon and after the adoption of this Resolution # 002/2014, the proclamation by the President of the Republic on October 4, 2014 declaring the suspension of all election exercises for the Senatorial election of October 14, 2014 and all the voting rights associated therewith and connected thereto, is hereby endorsed and approved.

2. The National Elections Commission, the agency of Government authorized to hold general and special elections, is hereby accordingly directed to immediately commence consultations and discussions with all recognized and accredited political parties, independent candidates, civil society organizations and other stakeholders, as well as national and international health authorities on a new date for the holding of the Senatorial election for 2014; not later than December 20, 2014, pending the approval of the Legislature.


Done this 10th day of OCTOBER A.D. 2014 in Legislature Assembled, Capitol Building in the City of Monrovia, County of Montserrado, Republic of Liberia.


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DONE this 10th day of OCTOBER A.D. 2014 in Legislature Assembled, Capitol Building in the City of Monrovia, County of Montserrado, Republic of Liberia.


SIGNED:



Senator Gbehzohngar M. Findley
President Pro Tempore
Grand Bassa County

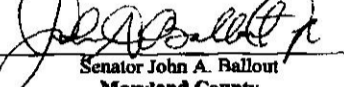

Senator Joyce Musu Freeman-Sumo
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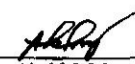

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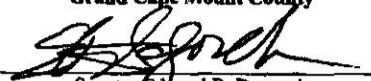
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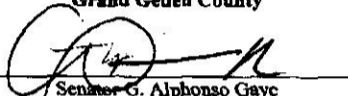
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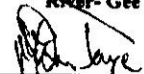
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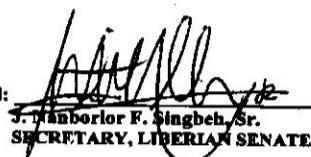
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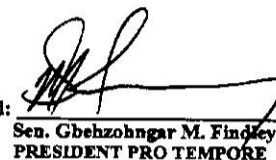
Senator Armah Z. Jallah
Gbarpolu County

Attested:



J. Anborlor F. Singbeh, Sr.
SECRETARY, LIBERIAN SENATE

Approved:


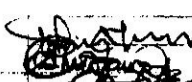
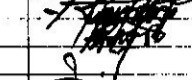
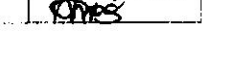

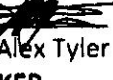


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66	Hon. Numene T.H. Bartekwa	Grand Kru	
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71	Hon. Malai G. Gbogar	Gbarpolu	
72	Hon. Gertrude T. Lamin	Gbarpolu	

Attested: 
 Madam Mildred N. Sayon
 CHIEF CLERK

Approved: 
 Hon. J. Alex Tyler
 SPEAKER

**THIRD SESSION OF THE FIFTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE OF
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PRESENTED TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF LIBERIA FOR
EXECUTIVE APPROVAL.

APPROVED THIS 13th DAY OF October A.D. 2014
AT THE HOUR OF 3:00 P.M.



THE PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF LIBERIA

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2	Hon. Josephine M.G. Francis	Montserrado	
3	Hon. Sekou S. Kanneh	Montserrado	
4	Hon. Bill Twehway	Montserrado	
5	Hon. Henry Boima Fahnbulleh	Montserrado	
6	Hon. Thomas P. Fallah	Montserrado	
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24	Hon. Jeremiah W. N. McCauley	Sinoe	
25	Hon. Matthew G. Zarzar	Sinoe	
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