



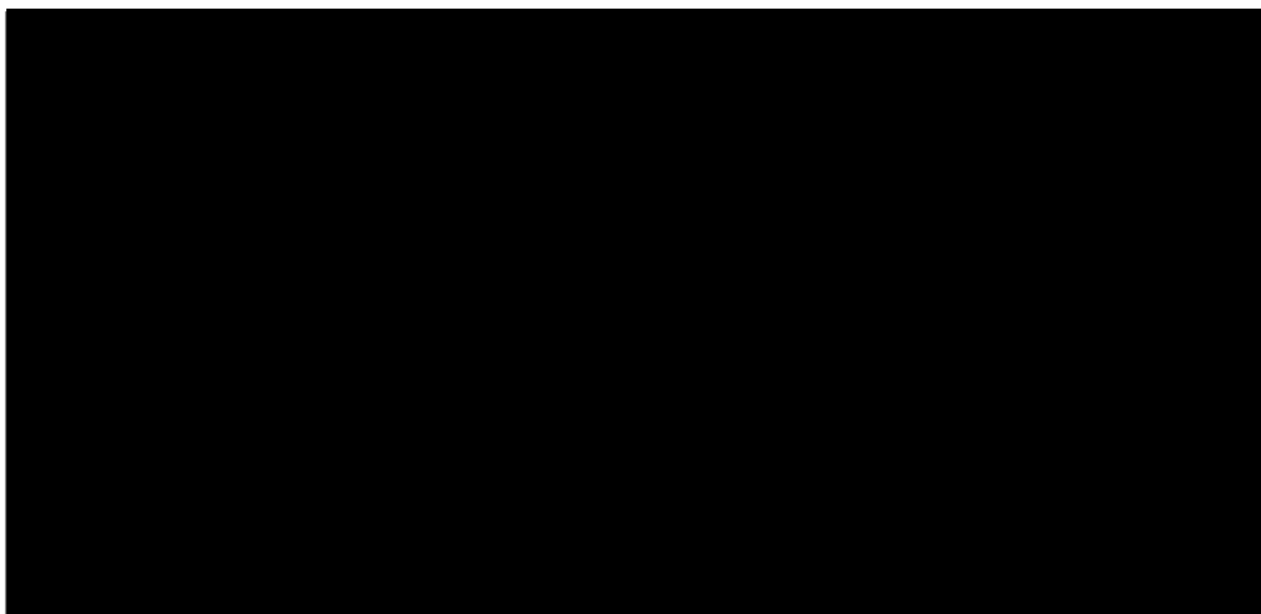
The Office of Secretary of State

Brian P. Kemp
SECRETARY OF STATE

C. Ryan Germany
GENERAL COUNSEL

June 5, 2017

VIA U.S. MAIL



Re: Request for Reexamination of Voting System

Dear Electors,

As the electors who requested a reexamination of the direct recording electronic voting system used throughout Georgia, I wanted to update you on how the Secretary of State's office intends to comply with that request in accordance with O.C.G.A. § 21-2-379.2. Such a request has never been made until now, so I appreciate you bearing with us as we determine the best way to undertake a robust and cost-effective reexamination of the system that includes 27,000 voting machines across the state of Georgia.

Your request differs from requests to review direct recording electronic voting systems prior to being used in Georgia, as the system that you seek to have reexamined has already been deployed statewide. Therefore, a reexamination of that system should be broad enough so that a significant confidence level may be had in the final report. We estimate that such a review will

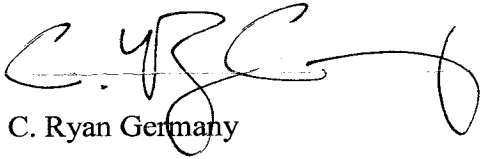
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cost \$10,000 and will take six months to complete. This estimate is subject to revision as we conduct the reexamination.

You also requested a copy of the most recent certification documentation for the current voting system. Copies of those documents are available for you to review at your convenience at the Office of the Secretary of State, Elections Division, 2 MLK Jr. Dr., Suite 802, West Tower, Atlanta, Georgia, 30334.

Thank you for your interest in Georgia's elections.

Sincerely,

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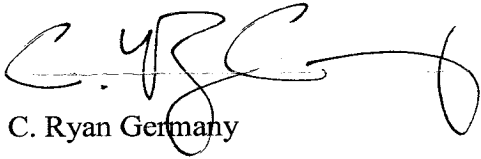
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