

**Executive Department**  
State of California

**FILED**  
in the office of the Secretary of State  
of the State of California

JAN 07 2013

By *[Signature]*  
Deputy Secretary of State

**SPECIAL ELECTION PROCLAMATION**  
**BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

I, **EDMUND G. BROWN JR.**, Governor of the State of California, do hereby proclaim and order that a special election shall be held on the 14th day of May, 2013, within the 40th Senate District of the State to fill the vacancy of the office of State Senator from that district resulting from the resignation of Senator Juan Vargas.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF** I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 7<sup>th</sup> day of January 2013.



*[Signature]*  
**EDMUND G. BROWN JR.**  
Governor of California

**ATTEST:**

*[Signature]*  
**DEBRA BOWEN**  
Secretary of State