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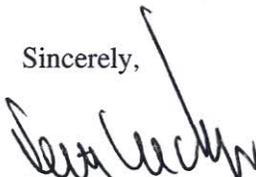
Hon. Bryan Schneider
Chairman
Illinois State Board of Elections
1020 S. Spring Street
Springfield, IL 62704

Dear Mr. Schneider:

Effective immediately upon the declaration and proclamation of the results from the February 2, 2010 Primary Election by the Illinois State Board of Elections, I hereby decline the Nomination, and resign as a Candidate, of the Democratic Party for the office of Lieutenant Governor for the General Election to be held on November 2, 2010.

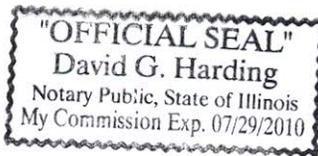
If you require any additional information, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,


Scott Lee Cohen

Subscribed and sworn to before me by SCOTT LEE COHEN
this 12th day of February, 2010.


Notary Public



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cc: Jesse White
Illinois Secretary of State

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