## DEBRA BOWEN

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## **MEDIA ADVISORY**

## Secretary of State's Office to Conduct Randomized Alphabet Drawing for Senate District 4 Special Election

WHAT:

Secretary of State Debra Bowen's office will hold a randomized alphabet drawing to determine the order in which candidates' names will appear on the November 6 special primary election ballots and, if necessary, the January 8, 2013, special run-off election ballots in the 4<sup>th</sup> Senate District.

The Senate District 4 special election is being held to fill the vacancy left by the resignation of Doug LaMalfa.

The candidate filing deadline for this contest is September 12.

Candidates, members of the media and the public are invited to observe

the drawing.

**WHEN:** Thursday, September 13

11:00 a.m.

**WHERE:** Secretary of State's Office

Elections Division, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor

1500 11<sup>th</sup> Street Sacramento

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