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## DECLARATION OF ELIZABETH THROOP

**Elizabeth Throop** declares, under penalty of perjury, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §1746, that the following is true and correct:

1. My name is Elizabeth Throop.
2. I have personal knowledge of all facts stated in this declaration, and if called to testify, I could and would testify competently thereto.
3. I am a registered voter in DeKalb County. I am a supporter of Coalition for Good Governance and an active volunteer in supporting its voter education and election security efforts.
4. On Monday August 24, 2020 I visited DeKalb County Elections office for two hours and 40 minutes to observe Logic and Accuracy Testing (LAT) of touchscreen ballot marking devices for the September 29<sup>th</sup> Fifth District special election. Ballots for that election contain a single race with seven candidates. DeKalb's precincts that are in the Fifth District will all use the same ballot style.
5. LAT was being conducted in a large warehouse and I stayed behind ropes more than 10 feet from activities. They worked in batches of about 30 sets of equipment at a time. The touchscreens were set out on tables, turned on and connected to printers. Nine people were testing them. To produce a marked ballot, the worker would insert a ballot access card into the touchscreen, mark one choice on the touchscreen, and then print out that choice.
6. During the time I was observing, the workers did not test for each of the seven candidates plus an unvoted race on each BMD machine. That would have resulted in eight printouts

from each touchscreen. Instead, a worker would insert an access card into the touchscreen, touch a race on the screen, print out a sheet of paper, and proceed the next touchscreen. I watched as a worker printed out ballots from eight touchscreens, then stop and pick up a printout from each printer, arrange them in some sort of order, and them place them in a plastic bag on the scanner. After printing out those single ballots, another worker went around and sealed a port on those machines, presumably indicating the end of the test for that BMD.

Executed on this date, August 24, 2020.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Elizabeth Throop". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "E" and a long, sweeping tail.

Elizabeth Throop