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S. MASON Governor-General

By Her Excellency Dame Sandra Prunella Mason, Dame Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Dame of St. Andrew, Queen's Counsel, Governor-General of Barbados.

## TO: The Returning Officer for the Constituency of St. Thomas

## GREETINGS

WHEREAS by section 36 of the *Representation of the People Act*, Cap. 12 of the Laws of Barbados, it is provided that for the purposes of every election, the Governor-General shall issue a writ under the Public Seal. addressed to the Returning Officer for the constituency for which the election is to be held:

AND WHEREAS it appears expedient that writs should be issued for a general election of members to serve in the House of Assembly:

NOW THEREFORE I, Dame Sandra Prunella Mason, Dame Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Dame of St. Andrew, Q.C., Governor-General as aforesaid, do hereby require that notice of the time and place fixed for the nomination of candidates having been first duly given by you as required by law, you do on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2018 which said day shall be nomination day in the said constituency of St. Thomas, cause election to be made according to law of a member to serve in the House of Assembly for the said constituency of St. Thomas, and that, if necessary, you do cause a poll to be taken on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2018, and that, you do cause the name of such member when so elected to be certified to me not later than the 25<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2018.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of Barbados this 27<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2018.

Received the within Writ this 27th day of April, 2018.

Halcourt Bovell Returning Officer