

Nancy L. Worley
Secretary of State

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STATE OF ALABAMA

I, Nancy L. Worley, Secretary of State of the State of Alabama, having custody of the Great and Principal Seal of said State, do hereby certify that in accordance with the Code of Alabama, 1975, as amended, this certification contains an amendment to the ballot certification issued by this office on August 31, 2006, containing the names certified by the Office of the Secretary of State as independent candidates in the General Election to be held on Tuesday, November 7, 2006. This amendment will add the middle name "Edwin" to the independent candidate's name on the ballot.

Mark Edwin Layfield
for the office of U.S. House of Representatives, District 3



In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State, at the Capitol, in the City of Montgomery, on this day.

Date

September 12, 2006

Nancy L. Worley

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading 'Nancy L. Worley', is written over a horizontal line.

Secretary of State