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MEDIA ADVISORY: SECRETARY OF STATE TO TEST ELECTION RESULTS TRANSMISSION FOR MAY 16 ELECTION

BATON ROUGE, La. — The Louisiana Secretary of State’s Office will test its electronic election results system tomorrow, May 12, at 2 p.m. in preparation for the upcoming May 16 Party Primary and Municipal Primary Election. During the test period, the Secretary of State’s website will display mock results. These election results are only for testing purposes, and **do not reflect any actual results.**

Media outlets are strongly urged to test their election night broadcast systems, graphics, and websites in conjunction with the test. To prevent any confusion, media outlets are urged to put banners on their websites showing their readers and viewers that the results are only a test and not official.

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In preparation for election night, credentialed media outlets may reserve a limited number of seats at the Secretary of State’s Office. To reserve a seat, sign up for the XML feed, or report any issues, please contact Trey Williams in the Communications Office at 225-436-9582 or trey.williams@sos.la.gov.

Finally, the Communications Office for Election Day will be staffed by Trey Williams, Deputy Secretary for Communications and Policy; Fred Childers, Director, Division of Communications; and John Ryan McGehee, Public Information Officer. Williams can be reached at the information listed above. Childers can be reached at 318-918-0098 or fred.childers@sos.la.gov. McGehee can be reached at 225-362-5108 or john.mcgehee@sos.la.gov.

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