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SPECIAL ELECTION CALLED FOR VACANCIES IN HOUSE DISTRICTS 1 AND 4

House Speaker Joe Salter has issued a proclamation calling for a special election to fill the vacancies in House Districts 1 and 4.

The primary election will be held on Saturday, February 24, 2007 and the general election, if needed, will be held on Saturday, March 31, 2007.

Qualifying will begin on Wednesday, January 10 and end at 5:00 p.m. on Friday, January 12.

The District 1 vacancy was created by the death of state Rep. Hoppy Hopkins. The District 4 vacancy is a result of state Rep. Cedric Glover's successful election as mayor of Shreveport.

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