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STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA
Candidate's Certificate of Announcement for 2008 Elections (WV Code §3-5-7)

THIS FORM MUST BE COMPLETE IN ORDER TO BE ACCEPTED. READ INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY.

I hereby swear and affirm that the following information is true:

(1) Date of Election: (Check one) (If you win in the primary, your name will automatically appear on the general election ballot.)

Primary - May 13, 2008

General - November 4, 2008

(2) Name of office sought: SHERIFF of JEFFERSON COUNTY Unexpired Term

Within DISTRICT: _____ Within DIVISION: _____

(3) Candidate's Legal Name: JAMES ERNEST WATSON III
(First, middle and last name)

(4) Candidate's Name to appear on Ballot: JAY WATSON
(limited to 25 characters) (WVCSR §153-14-4)

(5) I am a resident and legally qualified voter of the county of: JEFFERSON

(5)(a) Magisterial District: (if applicable) _____

(6) Current residence address: 505 SOUTH MILDRED ST.
(Specific address where candidate resides at time of filing.) RANSON, WV 25438

(7) Mailing Address: P.O. Box 823
(if different from residence) CHARLES TOWN, WV 25414

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jewatson@citlink.net
Email Address

Campaign Phone

Campaign Web Site

CAMPAIGN TO ELECT JAMES E. WATSON FOR SHERIFF
Campaign Committee Name (if applicable)

(8) I am affiliated with the following political party REPUBLICAN and I have not been registered as a member of another political party within 60 days of this date. (WV Code §3-5-7(b)(9))

(9) Presidential Preference: _____
(For delegate to national convention) I prefer to remain uncommitted.

I swear and affirm that I am a candidate for this office in good faith and I am eligible and qualified to hold this office.

James E. Watson III
Candidate's Signature

01-16-2008
Date

State of West Virginia, County of Jefferson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th

day of January, 2008.

Jennifer S. Maghan
Signature of Notary Public or official authorized to give oaths

Jennifer S. Maghan, County Clerk
P. O. Box 208
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