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FORM MENTIONED IN ARTICLE 348.

Oath of the Deputy Returning Officer after the closing of the Poll.

I, the undersigned, deputy returning officer, for the *voting subdivision of* _____, in the *electoral district of* _____, do solemnly swear (or, if he be one of the persons permitted by law to affirm in civil cases, do solemnly affirm), that to the best of my knowledge and belief, the poll book kept for such voting subdivision, under my direction, has been so kept correctly; and that the total number of votes polled in the book is _____; and that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, it contains a true and exact record of the votes given at the poll in this *voting subdivision*, as the said votes were taken thereat; that I have faithfully counted the votes given for each candidate, in the manner by law provided, and performed all duties required of me by law, and that the report, packets of ballot papers, and other documents required by law to be returned by me to the *returning officer*, have been faithfully and truly prepared and placed within the ballot box, as this oath (or affirmation) will be, to the end that the said ballot box, being first carefully sealed with my seal, may be transmitted to the *returning officer* according to law.

(Signature) G. H.,
Deputy Returning Officer,

Sworn before me, at
this _____ day of _____
, 18 _____

(Signature),
X. Y.,
Justice of the Peace.

or A. B.,
Returning officer.

or I. J.,
Poll Clerk.
