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STATEMENT OF CANDIDACY

1. (a) Name of Candidate (in full) Gary Berntsen for Congress, Inc.		2. Candidate's FEC Identification Number	
(b) Address (number and street) <input type="checkbox"/> Check if address changed P.O. Box 905			
(c) City, State, and ZIP Code Smithtown, NY 11787		3. Is This Statement <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New (N) OR <input type="checkbox"/> Amended (A)	
4. Party Affiliation Republican Party	5. Office Sought U.S. House of Representatives	6. State & District of Candidate New York 1	

DESIGNATION OF PRINCIPAL CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE

7. I hereby designate the following named political committee as my Principal Campaign Committee for the 2010 election(s).
(year of election)

NOTE: This designation should be filed with the appropriate office listed in the instructions.

(a) Name of Committee (in full) Gary Berntsen for Congress, Inc.
(b) Address (number and street) P.O. Box 905
(c) City, State, and ZIP Code Smithtown, NY 11787

DESIGNATION OF OTHER AUTHORIZED COMMITTEES

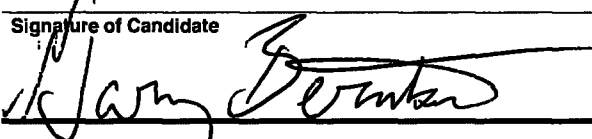
(Including Joint Fundraising Representatives)

8. I hereby authorize the following named committee, which is NOT my principal campaign committee, to receive and expend funds on behalf of my candidacy.

NOTE: This designation should be filed with the principal campaign committee.

(a) Name of Committee (in full)
(b) Address (number and street)
(c) City, State, and ZIP Code

I certify that I have examined this Statement and to the best of my knowledge and belief it is true, correct and complete.

Signature of Candidate 	Date 1/28/10
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NOTE: Submission of false, erroneous, or incomplete information may subject the person signing this Statement to penalties of 2 U.S.C. §437g.

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