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STATEMENT OF CANDIDACY

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1. (a) Name of Candidate (in full)
JOHN D. BELL

(b) Address (number and street) Check if address changed
2110 SCHOOL STREET

(c) City, State, and ZIP Code
HERMIT, TX 79745

2. Identification Number

3. Is This Statement New OR Amended (A)

4. Party Affiliation
REPUBLICAN

5. Office Sought
U.S. House

6. State & District of Candidate
TEXAS 19

DESIGNATION OF PRINCIPAL CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE

7. I hereby designate the following named political committee as my Principal Campaign Committee for the 2003 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)
BELL FOR CONGRESS COMMITTEE

(b) Address (number and street)
1604 VENTURA AVE

(c) City, State, and ZIP Code
MIDLAND, TX 79705

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

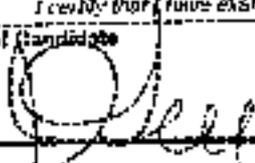
DECLARATION OF INTENT TO EXPEND PERSONAL FUNDS (House or Senate Only)

9. I intend to expend personal funds exceeding the threshold amount (see 11 C.F.R. 408.9) by

GA	000	for the primary election, and
GE	000	for the general election.

If you do not intend to expend personal funds exceeding the threshold amount for either election, you must enter "000" for each.

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

Signature of Candidate  Date **3/27/03**

NOTE: Submission of false, erroneous, or incomplete information may subject the person filing this Statement to penalties under 18 U.S.C. §437g

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