CERTIFICATE OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY CANVASSERS SPECIAL FREEHOLDER REFERENDUM ELECTION HELD ON THE 12TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1967

PRECINCTS 1 TO 15 INCLUSIVE

STATE OF FLORIDA)
MONROE COUNTY)

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we, the undersigned, HELIO GOMEZ
County Judge, WM. BILLY FREEMAN Supervisor of
Registration of Electors, and GERALD SAUNDERS, CHAIRMAN of the Board
of County Commissioners of said County, constituting the Board of
County Canvassers in and for said County, do hereby certify that we met
at the office of the Supervisor of Registration aforesaid, on the
day of _SEPTEMBER, A.D. 1967, and proceded publicly to
canvass the votes given for the Special Freeholder Referendum Election
held on the 12th day of September, A.D. 1967, as shown by the returns
on file in the office of the Judge and Supervisor of Elections,
respectively, and we do further hereby certify from said returns as
follows:

TOTAL NUMBER OF QUALIFIED ELECTORS WERE: 3,603

TOTAL NUMBER OF ABSENTEE BALLOTS VOTED: 133

Shall Senate Bill 1641, enacted at the 1967 session of the Legislature of Florida which became a Law August 4, 1967, entitled:

"An Act creating and incorporating a special Tax District in Monroe County, to be known as "The Lower Florida Keys Hospital District"; fixing and prescribing boundaries of the District; naming the first Board of Commissioners and providing for the appointment by the Governor of successor Boards of Commissioners and for filling any vacancies on said Board; providing for the governing and administration of any hospital or hospitals established within the District; providing and defining the powers and purposes of the District and Board of Commissioners thereof; authorizing the Board to establish, contract for, lease, operate and maintain any hospital established in the District; providing for sealed bids for purchases of supplies, equipment and contracts for construction or repairs in excess of two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00); authorizing and providing for the issuance and sale of District Bonds; authorizing the Board to borrow money; authorizing and providing for levy and collection of ad valorem taxes on all property in the District for payment of bonds and notes and interest thereon, and

for the repair, maintenance and operation of a hospital or hospitals; authorizing the establishment of hospital medical staffs, nursing school and a nursing home; providing a referendum of the Freeholders within said Hospital Tax District."

become effective?

FOR HOSPITAL DISTRICT 2,699

AGAINST HOSPITAL DISTRICT 904

Respectfully submitted,

Wm. Billy Freeman Supervisor of Elections

CANVASSED BY:

HELIO GOMEZ, County Judge WM. BILLY FREEMAN, Supervisor of Elections GERALD SAUNDERS, Chairman, Board of County Commissioners