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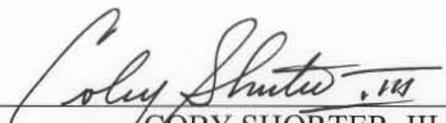
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DECERTIFICATION OF ES&S OPTICAL ELECTRONIC SCANNERS Models 150/550

ES&S Model 150 and Model 550 Optical Electronic Scanners do not meet the 2002 Voting System Standards Guidelines and cannot be upgraded to comply due to the source code and environmental requirements imposed in the 2002 guidelines. To that end, ES&S discontinued support for their Model 150 and Model 550 Optical Electronic Scanner products on October 1, 2006.

Accordingly, I hereby decertify ES&S's two centralized Optical Electronic Scanners, Model 150 and Model 550, effective immediately upon my signature.

Signed under my hand and seal of office, this 7th day of October, 2009.



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