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STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

EXECUTIVE ORDER No. 48

WHEREAS, Severe weather conditions have created a critical shortage of natural gas and other energy supplies;

WHEREAS, The shortage of energy supplies endangers the health, safety, and resources of the residents of the State and is beyond the capabilities of county or local authorities;

WHEREAS, The shortage of natural gas and other energy resources requires that extraordinary measures be taken to conserve existing supplies for protection of the public health, safety and resources;

Now, THEREFORE, I, Brendan T. Byrne, Governor of the State of New Jersey, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and laws of this State, App. A :9:30 et seq., hereby order, proclaim and direct:

1. A state of emergency exists in the State. The Governor's Advisory Council for Emergency Services, composed of the Attorney General, the Chief of Staff of the Department of Defense, the Commissioner of the Department of Community Affairs, the Commissioner of the Department of Environmental Protection, the Commissioner of the Department of Transportation, and the President of the Public Utility Commission, is directed to review the current situation and advise the Governor on planning and relief measures for the duration of the emergency.

2. (a) Temperatures within public buildings of State, county, local governments, and school boards, including educational institutions, shall be set as 65 degrees Fahrenheit during working hours and at 50 degrees Fahrenheit during non-working hours;

(b) Portable space heaters and threshold heaters used as supplementary heating sources are strictly prohibited;

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(c) Window draperies and blinds shall be used to cut down heat losses by setting them to the closed position during nighttime hours and on cold, cloudy days, and setting them to the open position during periods of sunshine;

(d) Thermostat control devices for hot water shall be set to maintain a maximum temperature of no more than 110 degrees Fahrenheit;

(e) Steps shall be taken to eliminate heating in all unused and seldom used areas such as stairwells;

(f) During working hours, overhead lighting shall be reduced to fifty-foot candles at work stations, thirty-foot candles in work areas, and ten-foot candles (but at least one light) in non-working areas.

(g) Illumination levels at the center of corridor walking surfaces, and equidistant between two lighting fixtures, shall be maintained at one-foot candle. Lights provided in tandem to guard against darkened stairways upon failure of a light, and emergency lights are exempted from this provision;

(h) Off-hour and exterior lighting except for essential safety and security purposes shall be eliminated;

(i) Lights in work areas shall be turned off when these areas are not in use such as during lunch hours;

(j) Outside air intake shall be reduced to the greatest possible extent. Under most conditions, a ten percent outside air intake shall be adequate for general office space;

(k) All aesthetic, ornamental lights or signs shall be extinguished.

3. The regulations provided in paragraph two shall not apply to hospitals, hospital units, nursing homes or any other building or class of building which demonstrates to the satisfaction of the Council the need for an exemption to protect the public health, safety or welfare.

4. The Department of Community Affairs is directed to require that temperatures in multiple dwellings or other buildings subject to its regulation be set at 65 degrees from 6 a.m. to 11 p.m. and at 55 degrees from 11 p.m. to 6 a.m. The Commissioner of the Department is authorized to grant exemptions from those standards to protect the public health, safety or welfare.

5. The Department of Public Utilities is directed to expedite formulation of an energy allocation plan during the emergency.

6. All private persons are urged to comply with the above standards. Any State, local government or health board rule or regulation which prevents compliance with these standards by public or private interests is hereby rescinded for the duration of the emergency.

7. This Executive Order shall take effect immediately.

[SEAL] Given, under my hand and seal this 27th day of January in the year of Our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and seventy-seven of the Independence of the United States the two hundredth and first.

/s/ BRENDAN BYRNE,
Governor.

Attest:

/s/ JOHN J. DEGNAN,
Executive Secretary to the Governor.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

EXECUTIVE ORDER No. 49

WHEREAS, In Executive Order No. 48 dated January 27, 1977 I have previously declared a state of emergency as a result of severe weather conditions and shortage of fuel supplies;

WHEREAS, The continuing severe weather and fuel shortages endanger the health, safety and resources of the residents of the State so that additional extraordinary measures are needed to conserve existing supplies for the protection of the public;

Now, THEREFORE, I, Brendan T. Byrne, Governor of the State of New Jersey, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and the laws of this State, hereby order, proclaim and direct:

1. All retail and business establishments, including stores, offices, restaurants, bars and recreational facilities, and all educational institutions, except the residential accommodations therein, regardless of the type of heating fuel utilized, shall close for the full day of Sunday, January 30, 1977, unless heating is restricted

to a maintenance level of 50 degrees or such lower or higher temperature required to avoid permanent damage to equipment or property.

2. Temperatures shall be set in all single and multiple family dwellings at no higher than 65 degrees from 6:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m., and at no higher than 60 degrees from 11:00 p.m. to 6:00 a.m., regardless of the type of heating fuel utilized. This paragraph shall amend paragraph 4 in Executive Order No. 48.

3. All retail and business establishments, including stores, offices, restaurants, bars and recreational facilities, shall be open for business purposes not more than 40 hours per week commencing 12:01 a.m., Monday, January 31 until further notice, regardless of the type of heating fuel utilized. Temperatures within such establishments during working hours shall be set at no higher than 65 degrees, and during non-working hours shall be restricted to a maintenance level of 50 degrees or such lower or higher temperature required to avoid permanent damage to equipment or property.

4. The Public Service Electric and Gas Company is ordered to supply to the New Jersey Natural Gas Company sufficient gas required to avoid curtailment of gas supplies to residential users of New Jersey Natural Gas Company. This order shall remain in effect only as long as such reallocations will not result in curtailments to residential and other Priority I users supplied by Public Service Electric and Gas Company.

5. State, County and local law enforcement agencies are directed to enforce the provisions of this Order and of Executive Order No. 48. Any person who violates any provision of this Order or of Executive Order No. 48 shall be subject to such penalties as are provided by law (App. A :9-30).

6. The President of the New Jersey Board of Public Utility Commissioners, or his designee, is authorized to grant exemptions from the above standards to protect the public health, safety or welfare except as to multiple dwellings or other buildings subject to the regulation of the Department of Community Affairs.

7. This Executive Order shall take effect immediately.

Given, under my hand and seal this 29th day of January
[SEAL] in the year of Our Lord, one thousand nine hundred

and seventy-seven of the Independence of the United States the two hundredth and first.

/s/ BRENDAN BYRNE,
Governor.

Attest:

/s/ JOHN J. DEGNAN,
Executive Secretary to the Governor.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

EXECUTIVE ORDER No. 50

WHEREAS, The Division of Motor Vehicles is required by statute to carry on the inspection of motor vehicles in this State; and

WHEREAS, Issues have been raised as to the efficiency of the present inspection system in relation to cost, as to the undue inconvenience this system may impose upon motorists, and as to the system's effectiveness in maintaining safe motor vehicles on this State's highways, improving air quality and providing for an adequate check on motor vehicle registration and insurance documentation; and

WHEREAS, The present system of motor vehicle inspection has undergone few changes since its inception in 1938 so that a comprehensive review of this system is needed to insure that a plan be developed to achieve the ends set forth in this resolution; and

WHEREAS, The future of the reinspection system in this State needs to be evaluated, in view of the fact that the private garage reinspection law expires in 1977; and

WHEREAS, The Legislature has by Assembly Joint Resolution No. 28 indicated its intention to establish a commission to study and review the motor vehicle inspection system; and

WHEREAS, Assembly Joint Resolution No. 28 has been signed into law;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Brendan Byrne, Governor of the State of New Jersey, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and Statutes of his State, do hereby Order and Direct:

1. The commission created by Assembly Joint Resolution No. 28 to study and review the motor vehicle inspection system in New Jersey shall continue to convene beyond February 15, 1977.

2. The membership, duties and authority of the commission shall continue as constituted under Assembly Joint Resolution No. 28.

3. The commission shall file an interim report to the Governor and Legislature no later than September 15, 1977 with reference to the motor vehicle private garage reinspection system (N. J. S. A. 39:8-11 et seq.) and such other reports as may thereafter be appropriate. Such reports shall be accompanied by any legislative bills which the commission may desire to recommend for adoption by the Legislature.

4. This order shall take effect immediately.

Given, under my hand and seal this 15th day of
[SEAL] February in the year of Our Lord, one thousand nine
hundred and seventy-seven of the Independence of the
United States, the two hundredth and first.

/s/ BRENDAN BYRNE,
Governor.

Attest:

/s/ JOHN J. DEGNAN,
Executive Secretary to the Governor.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

EXECUTIVE ORDER No. 51

WHEREAS, Legislative amendments to the New Jersey Gross Income Tax Act have created understandable confusion concerning the deadlines for filing claims for homestead rebates authorized by law; and

WHEREAS, P. L. 1977, c. 17, will permit persons who were not previously eligible to file claims for homestead rebates to submit such claims on or before April 1, 1977; and

WHEREAS, The director of the Division of Taxation has advised that he believes that good cause has been shown for the exercise of his authority pursuant to P. L. 1976, c. 72 to extend the time for all applicants to file claims for homestead rebates:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Brendan T. Byrne, Governor of the State of New Jersey, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and laws of this State, hereby order, proclaim and direct:

1. The director of the Division of Taxation is directed to extend the time for all applicants for homestead exemptions to file claims on or before April 1, 1977.
2. This Executive Order shall take effect immediately.

Given, under my hand and seal this 15th day of March
[SEAL] in the year of Our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and seventy-seven of the Independence of the United States the two hundredth and first.

/s/ BRENDAN BYRNE,
Governor.

Attest:

/s/ JOHN J. DEGNAN,
Executive Secretary to the Governor.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

EXECUTIVE ORDER No. 52

WHEREAS, In Executive Order No. 48 a state of emergency has been declared because of severe weather conditions and shortages of energy supplies; and

WHEREAS, The conservation of energy supplies in accordance with the standards of these Executive Orders and more temperate weather conditions have eased the conditions threatening the public health, safety and welfare; and

WHEREAS, There remains a continuing need for the conservation of energy supplies by all citizens;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Brendan T. Byrne, Governor of the State of New Jersey, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and laws of this State, hereby order, proclaim and direct:

1. The state of emergency declared by Executive Order No. 48 is hereby terminated.
2. Executive Orders Nos. 48 and 49 are hereby rescinded.
3. All laws or regulations suspended by Executive Order Nos. 48 and 49 are hereby reinstated.
4. Energy Conservation measures imposed by Executive Order No. 13 on State-owned or State-leased buildings shall remain in effect.
5. All citizens are urged to continue conservation of energy supplies. During the air-conditioning season, I urge all New Jersey residents to keep air-conditioning thermostats at settings no lower than 78° Fahrenheit during occupied periods and at higher settings during unoccupied periods.
6. This Executive Order shall take effect immediately.

Given, under my hand and seal this 4th day of April
 [SEAL] in the year of Our Lord, one thousand nine hundred
 and seventy-seven of the Independence of the United
 States the two hundredth and first.

/s/ BRENDAN BYRNE,
Governor.

Attest:

/s/ JOHN J. DEGNAN,
Executive Secretary to the Governor.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
 EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

EXECUTIVE ORDER No. 53

WHEREAS, The development of Liberty State Park presents an opportunity for New Jersey to create a unique urban, environmental, recreational and commercial resource for the citizens of New Jersey and the Nation; and

WHEREAS, The development of Liberty State Park must be based on sound planning and financing consistent with the public interest; and

WHEREAS, The analysis of planning and development alternatives should be undertaken by citizens representing a wide range of interests;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Brendan Byrne, Governor of the State of New Jersey, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and by the statutes of this State, do hereby Order and Direct:

1. There is hereby created a commission to be known as the Liberty State Park Study and Planning Commission (hereinafter referred to as the "Commission") to be appointed by and serve at the pleasure of the Governor. The members of the Commission shall be appointed by the Governor from a broad spectrum of the citizenry of the State. The members shall serve without compensation, but shall be reimbursed for necessary expenses incurred in the performance of their duties subject to the availability of funds therefor.

2. The Governor shall designate a chairman and vice-chairman of the Commission from among the members of the Commission. The chairman shall preside over the meetings and affairs of the Commission and shall create such subcommittees as he deems appropriate to carry out the functions of the Commission. The chairman shall have such further powers and duties as may be conferred upon him by the Governor. In the absence of the chairman, the vice-chairman shall have all the powers and duties of the chairman. The Commission may retain or designate an executive director.

3. (a) The Commission shall conduct a thorough study and investigation of the various alternatives for the planning, design and development of Liberty State Park. In conducting the study, the Commission shall fully consider the following:

(1) environmental, social and economic impact of the various alternatives;

(2) impact of the various alternatives on existing transportation systems and requisite improvements that the various alternatives will require;

(3) capital costs of the various alternatives;

- (4) operating costs of the various alternatives;
- (5) sources of funds available for capital and operating costs;
- (6) phasing of the development of the various alternatives;
- (7) compatibility with concerns of local governments and residents; and
- (8) such other factors as the Commission shall deem relevant.

(b) In conducting its study and investigation, the Commission shall review the reports and studies already prepared or presently being prepared in connection with Liberty State Park. The Commission may conduct such further studies and hire such additional consultants as it shall deem necessary to fulfill its duties hereunder, subject to approval of financing arrangements by the Treasurer and the availability of funds.

(c) In conducting its study and investigation, the Commission shall fully consider the feasibility of developing a park which utilizes private investment to enhance the potential of the Park and the redevelopment of adjacent areas.

4. The Commission shall proceed promptly with its study and investigation and upon completion of its work the Commission shall render to the Governor a full report of its findings and recommendations. Said findings and recommendations shall be made as soon as practicable consistent with the nature of the study and investigation to be undertaken.

5. In order to carry out its functions, the Commission shall conduct public meetings and hearings and solicit information from the public and any other source as it deems appropriate. Notice of public hearings shall be given in such manner as the chairman may direct to provide an opportunity for interested members of the public to be heard.

6. (a) The Commission is authorized to call upon any department, office, division or agency of the State to supply such data, program reports, and other information, personnel or assistance as it deems necessary to discharge its responsibilities under this Order.

(b) Each department, office, division or agency of the State is authorized and directed, to the extent not inconsistent with law, to cooperate with the Commission and to furnish it with such informa-

tion, personnel and assistance as necessary to accomplish the purposes of this Order.

7. This Order shall take effect immediately.

[SEAL] Given, under my hand and seal this 13th day of April in the year of Our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and seventy-seven, of the Independence of the United States the two hundredth and first.

/s/ BRENDAN BYRNE,
Governor.

Attest:

/s/ JOHN J. DEGNAN,
Executive Secretary to the Governor.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

EXECUTIVE ORDER No. 54

WHEREAS, Boards, commissions, committees and councils are frequently established without provision for their termination upon achievement of their purpose; and

WHEREAS, The number of boards, commissions, committees and councils are proliferating needlessly; and

WHEREAS, A program should be established to provide for periodic review to end this proliferation of boards, commissions, committees and councils;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Brendan T. Byrne, Governor of the State of New Jersey, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and by the Statutes of this State, do hereby Order and Direct:

1. Each department of this State shall during the month of December of each calendar year, report to the Office of Governor's Counsel, as to whether or not those boards within its jurisdiction should be continued, with the justification set forth for such continuation.

2. Where a board has a roster of current members, the board shall be requested by the department within which it is located to comment upon the need for its continued existence.

3. On or before February 15, the Office of Governor's Counsel shall issue a report to the Governor and Legislature on the activities of each board, together with legislation to repeal or amend the authorization, duties, or composition of any board for which such action is necessary.

4. Such legislation shall be offered for introduction by Governor's Counsel no later than March 1 of each calendar year.

5. Any board established by executive order shall terminate on the first day of the third March following its establishment unless otherwise indicated in the executive order or unless renewed by executive order.

6. This Order shall take effect immediately.

Given, under my hand and seal this 20th day of April
[SEAL] in the year of Our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and seventy-seven of the Independence of the United States the two hundredth and first.

/s/ BRENDAN BYRNE,
Governor.

Attest:

/s/ JOHN J. DEGNAN,
Executive Secretary to the Governor.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

EXECUTIVE ORDER No. 55

WHEREAS, There exists a continuing need for the review and analysis of the fiscal position of State and local government; and

WHEREAS, The passage of significant legislation reforming the State's tax structure and imposing mandatory limits on increases in government spending creates new challenges and opportunities for government at all levels; and

WHEREAS, The present tax program will self-destruct on July 1, 1978; and

WHEREAS, School districts will begin preparing school budgets in the fall of 1977 and are presently relying upon one billion 260 million dollars of school aid, which will expire with this program; and

WHEREAS, Municipal governments will begin preparing municipal budgets in December of 1977 and are presently relying upon \$689 million of aid, which will expire with the program; and

WHEREAS, The State budget must be submitted in February 1978 and must provide appropriations for the above-named purposes and revenues to support such appropriations, and must reflect the future disposition of homestead rebate payments amounting to \$266 million, and revenues to support such appropriations; and

WHEREAS, The future continuity of a business tax reform package must be provided for, one way or another, in the State budget; and

WHEREAS, Municipal, school, county, and State budgets must be prepared within spending limitations (caps) or without such limitations, depending upon the future of the program; and

WHEREAS, A lack of information about any part of the program, or a delay in addressing the problems of this program or devising an alternative course, or an uninformed judgment about the consequences of one or another courses of action could unsettle the administration of government at all levels in the State of New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, A comprehensive and thorough review of projected revenues and expenditures will assist State and local governments in planning to meet public needs in the most efficient and effective manner;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Brendan T. Byrne, Governor of the State of New Jersey, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and by the statutes of this State, do hereby Order and Direct:

1. There is hereby created a commission to be known as the Commission on Government Costs and Tax Policy (the "Commission") composed of 17 members, appointed by and serving at the pleasure of the Governor. The members shall serve without com-

pensation, but shall be reimbursed for necessary expenses incurred in the performance of their duties subject to the availability of funds.

2. The Governor shall designate a chairman and vice-chairman of the Commission from among the members of the Commission. The chairman shall preside over the meetings and affairs of the Commission and shall create such subcommittees as he deems appropriate to carry out the functions of the Commission. The chairman shall have such further powers and duties as may be conferred upon him by the Governor. In the absence of the chairman, the vice-chairman shall have all the powers and duties of the chairman. The Commission may retain or designate an executive director, and a staff subject to the approval of arrangements for compensation by the Treasurer.

3. (a) The Commission shall conduct a thorough study and investigation of the costs and funding sources of State, county and local government. In conducting the study, the Commission shall consider, report and make recommendations concerning the following:

- (1) social and economic impact of current tax legislation and limitations on the growth of government expenditures;
- (2) nature and level of projected expenditures of State, county and local government and the demands for new programs;
- (3) nature and level of projected revenues for State, county and local governments;
- (4) analysis of the adequacy of projected revenues to meet expenditures;
- (5) review of the equity of current and alternative tax legislation on various income groups;
- (6) compatibility with concerns of county and local governments;
- (7) effect of current tax and spending limitation legislation on education objectives and policy;
- (8) implications of current and alternative financing sources on credit standing of State government;
- (9) alternatives to current tax and spending limitation programs and their effects;
- (10) such other factors as the Commission shall deem relevant to its objectives.

(b) In conducting its study and investigation, the Commission shall review the reports and studies already prepared or presently being prepared by State, county, local governments or other public or private agencies. The Commission may conduct further studies and retain additional consultants necessary to fulfill its duties, subject to approval of financing arrangements by the Treasurer.

4. The Commission shall proceed promptly with its study and investigation. The Commission shall render to the Governor a full report of its findings and recommendations by December 1, 1977.

5. The Commission shall conduct public meetings or hearings and solicit information from the public and any other appropriate source. Notice of public meetings or hearings shall be given in such manner as the chairman may direct to provide an opportunity for interested members of the public to be heard.

6. (a) The Commission is authorized to call upon any department, office, division or agency of the State to supply such data, program reports, and other information, personnel or assistance as it deems necessary to discharge its responsibilities under this Order.

(b) Each department, office, division or agency of the State is authorized and directed, to the extent not inconsistent with law, to cooperate with the Commission and to furnish it with such information, personnel and assistance necessary to accomplish the purposes of this Order.

7. This Order shall take effect immediately.

Given, under my hand and seal this 18th day of May
[SEAL] in the year of Our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and
seventy-seven of the Independence of the United States
the two hundredth and first.

/s/ BRENDAN BYRNE,
Governor.

Attest:

/s/ JOHN J. DEGNAN,
Executive Secretary to the Governor.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

EXECUTIVE ORDER No. 56

WHEREAS, The New Jersey Pinelands is an area of special environmental, scenic, recreational, educational, historic and agricultural interest; and

WHEREAS, The Pinelands provides a habitat for the preservation of wildlife in forests, streams and wetlands and contains vast surface and ground water supplies; and

WHEREAS, The Pinelands is vital to the agricultural resources of the State through extensive cultivation of blueberries, cranberries and other agricultural products; and

WHEREAS, Existing State law recognizes the special environmental, scenic, recreational, educational, historic and agricultural resources of the Pinelands; and

WHEREAS, The protection of the unique resources of the Pinelands is in the interest of the State and Nation which requires the planning and coordination of State actions affecting such resources;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Brendan Byrne, Governor of the State of New Jersey, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and by the statutes of this State, do hereby Order and Direct:

1. (a) There is hereby established a Pinelands Review Committee ("the Committee") consisting of the Commissioner of the Department of Environmental Protection, the Commissioner of the Department of Community Affairs, and the Secretary of Agriculture, or their designated representatives, and such citizens who may be appointed by and shall serve at the pleasure of the Governor. The Governor shall designate the chairman of the Committee. The Division of State and Regional Planning in the Department of Community Affairs shall serve as staff to the Committee.

(b) The Committee shall review all major State activities significantly affecting the special and unique environmental resources of the Pinelands. Consistent with Federal and State law, the Committee shall approve only projects consistent with the protection of the unique resources of the Pinelands.

(c) All State departments and agencies shall submit for review to the Committee pending or proposed major State actions significantly affecting the Pinelands. These actions shall include, without limitation, State capital construction projects, construction regulations, soil erosion standards, environmental quality regulations, acquisition of open space lands and all public or private actions requiring State review or funding.

(d) Within 90 days of the date of this Order, all State departments and agencies shall submit to the Committee an inventory of all pending or proposed projects, programs or regulations administered by the department or agency which may affect the Pinelands. The Committee shall review the inventory, and may approve or propose plans, guidelines or standards necessary to make departmental plans consistent with the purposes of this Order. The Committee shall develop a plan and program to guide and control State actions affecting the Pinelands. The Committee may approve departmental plans, guidelines or standards for the administration of programs affecting the Pinelands, and authorize the department to review particular projects or regulations consistent with such approved plans.

(e) The Committee shall advise the Governor if it determines that any action would be inconsistent with the protection of the unique resources of the Pinelands.

2. Within 90 days of the date of this Order, the Division of State and Regional Planning shall submit to the Committee a report outlining the options for delineation of the Pinelands; this report may designate areas within the Pinelands which require special treatment or strategies to achieve the purposes of this Order. The Committee shall review this report, and hold a public hearing to receive comments concerning the report. The Committee shall recommend to the Governor a delineation of the Pinelands needed to accomplish the purposes of this Order. Upon approval by the Governor, the recommendation shall be utilized to define the Pinelands for purposes of this Order. Until a revised delineation is approved, the Pinelands shall be defined as the area included in P. L. 1971, c. 417 (C. 13:18-6).

3. Within one year of the date of this Order, the Division of State and Regional Planning shall submit to the Committee a plan for approval which shall guide State actions affecting the Pinelands. This plan shall be developed after public hearing and consultation with relevant public and private agencies and groups, in-

cluding county and local governing bodies, planning boards, agricultural, environmental and sportsmen groups. The plan shall have the following primary objectives:

(a) The preservation of the unique environmental resources of the Pinelands;

(b) The promotion of agricultural, forestry and recreational uses compatible with the protection of the environment;

(c) The encouragement of needed commercial, residential or other development within existing developed areas or other areas which may be developed compatible with preservation of unique environmental resources;

(d) The discouragement of scattered and piecemeal development in open space areas.

4. The Committee shall review the effect of all State actions on private property rights and values. It shall prepare a report summarizing these effects and analyzing the justification and options for compensation of private property owners, including direct payments, tax credits or adjustments and the use of development rights or other land-use concepts. The report shall also review the effect of all State actions on county and municipal tax revenues and analyze the feasibility of financial or other assistance to counties or municipalities which incur substantial revenue losses as a result of State actions to protect the Pinelands. In preparing this report, the Committee shall consult with and be assisted by the Treasurer, the Attorney General, the Director of the Division of Local Government Services and other relevant State officials.

5. The Department of Environmental Protection shall, after receiving public comments and consultation with interested officials, groups and individuals:

(a) Adopt water quality standards and regulations for the rivers and waters in the Pinelands required to maintain and protect the purity of these waters;

(b) Designate the Pinelands as a critical area for sewerage purposes, and develop regulations for the approval and control of all sewage and septic systems;

(c) Review existing State-owned lands in the Pinelands and designate appropriate "natural areas" pursuant to the Natural Areas Systems Act, P. L. 1975, c. 363 (C. 13:1B-15.12a et seq.);

(d) Identify potential sites eligible for designation as historic preservation areas.

6. Within 90 days of the date of this Order, the Department of Agriculture shall review and identify agricultural activities and uses within the Pinelands and submit to the Committee a report recommending methods and actions to preserve and strengthen agricultural activities and uses consistent with the protection of other resources.

7. The Department of Education and the Department of Higher Education shall promote appropriate educational and research activities involving the Pinelands with an emphasis on bringing urban primary and secondary school students to the region for ecological education.

8. This Order shall take effect immediately.

[SEAL] Given, under my hand and seal this 28th day of May
in the year of Our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and
seventy-seven, and of the Independence of the United
States, the two hundredth and first.

/s/ BRENDAN BYRNE,
Governor.

Attest:

/s/ JOHN J. DEGNAN,
Executive Secretary to the Governor.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

EXECUTIVE ORDER No. 57

WHEREAS, The support of new construction in New Jersey is a continuing and important need vital to the public health, safety and welfare;

WHEREAS, The promotion of new construction requires prompt and efficient administration by the State government of permit application and review procedures;

WHEREAS, The objective of the State government should be to consolidate and simplify application procedures and forms in order to serve the public interest;

WHEREAS, The State has successfully implemented a program for the review of construction permits by the Department of Environmental Protection within 90 days from submission of the application;

WHEREAS, The success of this program indicates that additional efforts should be made to expand the expeditious processing of construction permit applications to other agencies within the State government;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Brendan Byrne, Governor of the State of New Jersey, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and the Laws of this State, do hereby Order and Direct that:

1. There is hereby created a Cabinet Committee on Permit Coordination ("the Committee"). The members of the Committee shall be the Commissioners of the Departments of Community Affairs, Environmental Protection, Labor and Industry, Transportation, Office of Business Advocacy, the State Treasurer and the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting or their designated representatives. The Chief of the Office of Business Advocacy shall be secretary to the Committee, and shall provide staff from his Office to assist the Committee at its request. The members of the Committee shall each serve in rotation as chairperson for intervals directed by the Committee, with the Commissioner of the Department of Labor and Industry serving as the first chairperson. The Committee may also obtain the assistance of other personnel of State departments and agencies. All departments and agencies are authorized and directed to cooperate with the Committee's requests for personnel.

2. The Committee shall compile with the assistance of the Division of State and Regional Planning in the Department of Community Affairs an inventory of all construction permits issued by State departments or agencies. The Committee shall publish a handbook to assist the public in the application and processing of construction permits.

3. All State departments shall approve, condition or disapprove an application for a construction permit within 90 days following the date that application is complete, except that the time period may be extended by mutual consent of the applicant and the department. Each State department shall file a periodic report as the Committee may direct which identifies those construction permit

applications which are pending review for periods in excess of 90 days from submission. The report shall provide (a) the status of the permit review, (b) the type of project, (c) the reasons for delays or extensions in the time for review, (d) the estimated additional time needed to complete review of the application and (e) any additional information requested by the Committee. The Committee may request additional information from the department of particular applications which in its judgment are pending review for excessive periods of time, or which require special review or procedures. The Committee shall advise the Governor of types of permit reviews which are consistently exceeding 90 days, and recommend any appropriate actions. At the request of a department head, the Committee may exempt for good cause types of permits or individual permit applications from any of the provisions of this Order.

4. Any person proposing to commence a construction project in excess of \$500,000 in construction costs may request the Committee to coordinate the review of the project. The Committee or its representative may meet with the applicant to discuss methods to assist the prompt and efficient processing of permit applications. After review of the nature of the project, the Committee shall designate a single State employee as the "expediter" for the project. The expediter shall (a) advise the applicant of all State permits necessary for the construction of the project, (b) coordinate contacts with relevant agencies reviewing the permits, (c) discuss with State departments and agencies the feasibility of consolidating hearings, documentation or other matters pertaining to the project, (d) advise the Committee of problems or delays experienced in the review and (e) assist the applicant and the Committee in completing the expeditious review of permit applications.

5. The Committee shall obtain from all State departments copies of application forms and other documents required in the submission and processing of permits. The Committee shall review these forms and documents, and propose methods by which the forms may be consolidated or simplified. The Committee shall provide its recommendations to the Governor concerning the consolidation or simplification of these forms and documents within 120 days from the date of this Order.

6. The Committee shall review relevant legislation concerning construction permit applications and review requirements and pro-

cedures. The Committee shall advise the Governor on possible legislative revisions which would consolidate, simplify or expedite present procedures.

The Committee or its representatives shall meet with county and local government officials and other interested public and private persons to discuss possible coordination and consolidation of State and local permit application and review procedures. The Committee shall advise the Governor of possible legislative or other actions required to implement its recommendations.

8. There is hereby created a Citizen Committee on Permit Coordination composed of citizens of the State appointed by and serving at the pleasure of the Governor. The Citizens Committee may include persons from the construction industry, labor union representatives, developers, real estate interests, environmental organizations, academic community and others interested in construction in the State and the efficient administration of permit procedures. The Citizens Committee shall advise the Committee on any matter relevant to the purposes of this Order, and may advise the Committee and applicants for construction permits of methods and procedures for the most expeditious processing of permits.

9. The Committee is authorized to adopt rules or establish procedures necessary to achieve the purposes of this Order. The Committee may revise the amount of construction costs or adopt other criteria for projects eligible for the assistance provided pursuant to paragraph 4.

10. This Order shall take effect immediately.

Given, under my hand and seal this 5th day of July,
[SEAL] in the year of Our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and seventy-seven of the Independence of the United States, the two hundredth and second.

/s/ BRENDAN BYRNE,
Governor.

Attest:

/s/ JOHN J. DEGNAN,
Executive Secretary to the Governor.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

EXECUTIVE ORDER No. 58

WHEREAS, The adoption by Congress of Federal legislation, popularly referred to as the "Health Professions Education Assistance Act," (P. L. 94-484), hereinafter referred to as the Federal Act, will sharply curtail the immigration of foreign nationals, trained as physicians, hereinafter referred to as FMG's, to serve in residency training programs in New Jersey; and,

WHEREAS, 55% of the approximately 1,600 residency training positions in New Jersey hospitals are filled by FMG's, in contrast to a national percentage of 29%; and

WHEREAS, It is foreseeable that there exists an impending crisis of major proportions for New Jersey hospitals, which will find themselves suddenly without sufficient house staff to provide needed patient services; and

WHEREAS, Other states will face similar crises so that New Jersey cannot hope to compensate for the loss of FMG's by resorting to physicians from other states, and may, in fact, lose a greater percentage of its graduates from the College of Medicine and Dentistry to other states because of this impending crisis; and

WHEREAS, The decrease in available hospital physicians will almost certainly lead to a reduction in health manpower statewide;

Now, THEREFORE, it is Ordered:

1. That there be created a Commission on Professional Health Services, hereinafter referred to as the "Commission."

2. (a) The Commission shall consist of five members to be appointed by the Governor to serve at the pleasure of the Governor.

(b) The members shall be individuals broadly representative of the citizens of this State who will be affected by the impending reduction in the availability of FMG's.

(c) The Governor shall appoint from among those named to the Commission a chairperson to serve as such at the pleasure of the Governor.

3. The Commission shall explore and evaluate all feasible means of dealing with the crisis caused by the impending unavailability of FMG's, including but not limited to:

- (a) Increased utilization of services provided by existing health care professionals;
- (b) Development of new types of health care professional roles;
- (c) Retention of a greater number of graduates from the College of Medicine and Dentistry in New Jersey;
- (d) Providing more attractive opportunities for out-of-state medical school graduates to settle in New Jersey; and
- (e) Review of existing prerequisites to licensure and hospital residency in New Jersey.

4. The Commission may call upon any of the State departments for such assistance as may be required from such departments, and, in particular, from the Departments of Health and Higher Education. The Commission may also call upon the assistance of the College of Medicine and Dentistry.

5. In carrying out its study, the Commission shall seek the advice and recommendations of the following groups and shall consider such advice and recommendations in preparing its final report:

- (a) The New Jersey Medical Society;
- (b) The New Jersey Osteopathic Society;
- (c) The New Jersey Hospital Association;
- (d) The State Nurses Association;
- (e) The State Health Coordinating Council;
- (f) Any other groups which may provide health services in this State and which, in the judgment of the Commission, may be affected by the crisis caused by the impending unavailability of FMG's and by the solutions offered by this Commission to meet this crisis.

6. The Commission shall issue an interim report no later than December 15, 1977, with its recommendations and with such draft legislation as it may propose.

7. This Order shall take effect immediately.

Given, under my hand and seal this 14th day of
[SEAL] July, in the year of Our Lord, one thousand nine hundred
and seventy-seven of the Independence of the United
States, the two hundredth and second.

/s/ BRENDAN BYRNE,
Governor.

Attest:

/s/ JOHN J. DEGNAN,
Executive Secretary to the Governor.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

EXECUTIVE ORDER No. 59

WHEREAS, The marine fisheries resources of this State supply a valuable part of New Jersey's natural resources, recreational activity and food supply and are essential to the promotion of the public health, safety and welfare; and

WHEREAS, Those resources support industries important to the economy of this State; and

WHEREAS, The "Fishery Conservation and Management Act of 1976" (the 200-Mile Legislation) requires each state to provide for the conservation and management of its marine fisheries; and

WHEREAS, Comprehensive management programs and policies for New Jersey's marine fisheries will aid in the maintenance and expansion of the State's commercial and recreational fishing industries; and

WHEREAS, Various State agencies are presently involved in the development and implementation of new programs to aid and protect marine fisheries resources and industries which require the input and assistance of interested citizens.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Brendan Byrne, Governor of the State of New Jersey, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and by the statutes of this State, do hereby Order and Direct:

1. There is hereby created a Governor's Commission on Marine Fisheries comprised of citizens and residents of the State appointed by and serving at the pleasure of the Governor, including the heads of the Department of Environmental Protection, Agriculture and Labor and Industry, or their designated representatives, and the Director of the Division of Fish, Game and Shellfisheries who shall serve as members of the Commission ex officio. The members shall serve without compensation. The Governor shall designate a Chairman who shall preside over meetings.

2. It shall be the duty of the Commission to:

- (a) Examine, review and study any matter relevant to the conservation and management of the marine fisheries resources of the State;

- (b) Review, draft and recommend legislation that will provide the State authority for the conservation and management of the State's marine fisheries resources;

(c) Review and recommend management regulations of the matters of the conservation of marine fisheries resources and to recommend any other action that should be taken by the State;

(d) Advise the State on its policies, programs and objectives in the area of marine fisheries resources; and

(e) Assist and advise State agencies in the development and implementation of new programs to protect, promote and expand marine fisheries resources and industries.

3. The Director of the Division of Fish, Game and Shellfisheries shall provide the Commission with the information, staff and resources necessary for the performance of its duties subject to the availability of funds.

4. The Commission is authorized to conduct such public hearings and to solicit such information from the public and from any other source as is necessary for the performance of its duties and the carrying out of its functions. Notice of public hearings shall be given in such manner as the Chairman may direct in order to provide an opportunity for interested members of the public to be heard.

5. Each department, office, division or agency of the State is authorized and directed, to the extent not inconsistent with law and the purposes of this Order, to cooperate with the Commission and to furnish it with such information and assistance as it may find necessary in the discharge of its responsibilities.

6. Within 180 days from the effective date of this Order, the Commission shall conclude all its work and submit to the Governor a final report detailing its findings and recommendations.

7. Within the limits of funds therefor, the Commission shall be authorized to incur such expenses as may be necessary to exercise the powers and perform the duties imposed by this Order.

8. This Order shall take effect immediately.

Given, under my hand and seal this 3rd day of
[SEAL] September, in the year of Our Lord, one thousand nine
hundred and seventy-seven of the Independence of the
United States, the two hundredth and second.

/s/ BRENDAN BYRNE,
Governor.

Attest:

/s/ JOHN J. DEGNAN,
Executive Secretary to the Governor.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

EXECUTIVE ORDER No. 60

WHEREAS, It has been the policy of the Administration to maximize the investment return on all State funds; and

WHEREAS, The State Treasurer, as the chief financial officer of the State, has been responsible for implementing that policy by insuring prompt deposit of all investable funds and by seeking the highest interest return consistent with safety of principal; and

WHEREAS, Certain State agencies and officials are custodians, by statute or long-standing practice, of trust funds which are not directly controlled by the State Treasurer and not administered with his expert advice;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Brendan Byrne, Governor of the State of New Jersey, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and laws of this State, hereby Order and Direct:

1. The State Treasurer shall issue guidelines and regulations dealing with the administration of such funds and, consistent with appropriate statutes, shall provide for the deposit, investment, and accounting of those funds.

2. This Order shall take effect immediately.

[SEAL] Given, under my hand and seal this 23rd day of September, in the year of Our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and seventy-seven of the Independence of the United States, the two hundredth and second.

/s/ BRENDAN BYRNE,
Governor.

Attest:

/s/ JOHN J. DEGNAN,
Executive Secretary to the Governor.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

EXECUTIVE ORDER No. 61

WHEREAS, The Executive Branch of State Government recognizes that the employment of minorities, physically handicapped persons and women serves to increase the effectiveness of State Government and that fair and nondiscriminatory treatment for all its employees promotes the merit principle, encourages career employment and results in greater efficiency in the operation of State Government; and

WHEREAS, The State is required to comply with Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, P. L. 88-352 (1964), as amended by the Equal Opportunity Act of 1972, P. L. 92-261 (1972), Presidential Order No. 11246, 30 F.R. 12319 (1965), and Presidential Order No. 11375, 32 F.R. 14303 (1966), Federal guidelines appearing in 41 CFR 60 (1972) as amended, and The Rehabilitation Act of 1973, P. L. 93-112 (1973); and

WHEREAS, Equal employment opportunity regardless of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex, and physical handicap has been the law of this State at least since passage of the New Jersey Law Against Discrimination, N. J. S. 10:5-1 et seq. (1945); and

WHEREAS, Executive Order No. 21, issued June 24, 1965, by Governor Richard J. Hughes, established this State's goal of eliminating discrimination in State employment, facilities, and services; and

WHEREAS, Executive Order No. 14, issued December 23, 1974, delegated formal executive leadership to the Department of Civil Service to obtain compliance with Federal Equal Employment Opportunity Commission guidelines and provided the impetus to begin to correct deficiencies and to increase the utilization of minorities, women, and physically handicapped persons at all levels of responsibility;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Brendan T. Byrne, Governor of the State of New Jersey, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and by the statutes of this State, do hereby Order and Direct:

1. This Order extends to all departments in the Executive Branch and all appointees of the Governor in the Executive Branch and their staff. As used in this Order, "departments and agencies", shall include each of the principal departments in the executive branch of the State Government, and all boards, commissions, agencies, departments, councils, authorities, now existing or hereafter established.

2. The head of each department and agency to which this Order applies shall ensure equality of opportunity for all of its employees and for all applicants seeking employment within its jurisdiction. Equal employment opportunity includes, but is not necessarily limited to, the following areas: recruitment, selection, hiring, training, promotion, transfer, layoff, return from layoff, compensation and fringe benefits. It includes policies, procedures, and programs for recruitment, employment, training, promotion, and retention of minority and physically handicapped persons and women. The head of each department and agency to which this Order applies is required to explore innovative personnel policies in order to enhance these efforts and where appropriate shall implement them to the full extent of his or her authority. Where the implementation of such innovative personnel policies is not within the authority of an agency or department head he or she shall recommend implementation to the appropriate State agency.

As used in this Order, the head of a department or agency refers to the individual representing the highest authority within any department and agency, included in section 1 of this Order.

3. The Commissioner of the Department of Civil Service shall maintain an Equal Employment Opportunity and Affirmative Action Division in the Department of Civil Service which shall develop, implement, and administer a statewide Equal Employment Opportunity and Affirmative Action Program for all departments and agencies subject to this Order. Such a program shall take into consideration the particular personnel requirements, reasonably related to job performance, of each department and agency. The Director of that Division ("Director") shall ensure that affirmative action and equal employment goals of each department and agency for protected classes shall be reasonably related to their population in the relevant surrounding Labor Market Area. The Director shall be responsible to the Governor and to the President of the Department of Civil Service and, in accordance with applicable Federal and State guidelines shall:

a. Ensure each department's or agency's compliance with all laws and regulations, and this Order in all areas relating to equal employment opportunity, and seek correction of discriminatory practices and procedures;

b. Recommend appropriate sanctions to the Governor and to the President of the Civil Service Commission for non-compliance. The President of the Civil Service Commission with the concurrence of the Governor, shall have authority to implement those sanctions recommended by the Director;

c. Review State personnel policies and procedures, inclusive of recruitment, selection, and promotion in order to identify and facilitate the elimination of artificial barriers to equal employment opportunity;

d. Act as liaison with Federal, State, and local enforcement agencies;

e. Recommend any necessary legislation and perform other actions deemed necessary by the Governor and the President of the Civil Service Commission to implement this Order.

4. The Department of Civil Service shall establish reasonable equal employment and affirmative action goals for departments and agencies in the form of Civil Service regulations pursuant to N. J. S. 11:17-1.

5. The Department of Civil Service, through the Division of Equal Employment Opportunity and Affirmative Action, shall:

a. Ensure that the pool of applicants for all vacant provisional, temporary, and permanent classified and unclassified positions in all departments or agencies includes both minorities, the handicapped, and women to the end that affirmative action goals are attainable through agency selection decisions on such applicants;

b. Undertake a comprehensive review of its regulations and testing procedures in order to amend or eliminate those which serve to discriminate against minorities, the physically handicapped, and women;

c. Ensure that selection devices are validated as significant predictors of successful job performance;

d. Analyze job specifications to isolate and eliminate prerequisites that are not legitimate occupational qualifications;

e. Review all Title VII discrimination complaints; evaluate trends, and recommend appropriate policy changes;

f. Receive, analyze, and transmit to the Governor at least semi-annually progress reports on affirmative action in all State agencies; and

g. Make available to the public statistics relating to affirmative action progress.

6. The head of each department or agency shall appoint at least one individual with the full-time responsibility of equal employment opportunity, as the Affirmative Action Officer who shall be responsible to the head of the agency.

7. The head of each State department and agency shall be held accountable to the Governor for achieving and maintaining agency compliance in the Affirmative Action Program.

a. Each department and agency shall submit an affirmative action plan complete with goals and timetables, plus quarterly and annual affirmative action reports to the Director. Each affirmative action plan shall identify existing inequities in hiring, promotion, and all other conditions of employment and provide specific remedies for such inequities and establish the time periods for the accomplishment of remedial action. Each department and agency shall make good faith efforts to meet its goals and timetables;

b. In the event of failure to achieve agency goals, or to demonstrate good faith efforts, appropriate sanctions and penalties may be applied by the Civil Service Commission in accordance with Federal and State regulations subject to the concurrence of the Governor and the President of the Civil Service Commission. Such sanctions may include, but would not be limited to placing a moratorium on departmental personnel actions in both the unclassified and classified services, and such other sanctions as may be allowed by law.

c. Agencies which achieve outstanding affirmative action results shall be cited by the Governor for their efforts.

8. There is hereby created an Equal Employment Opportunity Advisory Commission which shall advise the Division of Equal Employment Opportunity and Affirmative Action and recommend improvements in the State's affirmative action efforts:

a. The Commission shall consist of 11 members appointed by the Governor at least 6 of whom shall be Blacks, Hispanics, physically handicapped, women and other minority persons. Consideration shall be given to appropriate representation of each group. The remaining members of the Commission may be comprised of State agency heads or their designated representatives. All members of

the Commission shall be residents of the State and appointed by the Governor. The members shall be appointed for terms of 4 years, except that of the members first appointed, two shall be appointed for a term of 1 year, three for a term of 2 years, three for a term of 3 years, and three for a term of 4 years, commencing as of the date of their appointment by the Governor. The term of each of the members first appointed shall be designated by the Governor. Each member shall hold office for the term of the appointment and until a successor shall have been appointed. Members will not be permitted to serve more than two consecutive terms. A vacancy in the Commission shall be filled by appointment by the Governor for the remainder of the term.

b. The Director of the Division of Equal Employment Opportunity and Affirmative Action shall serve as Executive Secretary;

c. The Commission shall meet at least quarterly to review implementation of this Executive Order.

9. Although the State Affirmative Action Program is specifically directed toward the active promotion of equality of employment opportunity for women, minority persons, and the physically handicapped, it is also the policy of State Government to avoid any discrimination on the basis of all other factors unrelated to the performance of job responsibilities.

10. In order to ensure maximum effectiveness of this Order I am hereby directing the Division of Equal Employment Opportunity and Affirmative Action to prepare procedural recommendations for the full implementation of the provisions of this Order and to promulgate such provisions in the State Personnel Manual.

11. Executive Order No. 14, issued on December 23, 1974 is hereby superseded.

Given, under my hand and seal this 12th day of
[SEAL] October, in the year of Our Lord, one thousand nine
hundred and seventy-seven of the Independence of the
United States, the two hundred and second.

/s/ BRENDAN BYRNE,
Governor.

Attest:

/s/ JOHN J. DEGNAN,
Executive Secretary to the Governor.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

EXECUTIVE ORDER No. 62

WHEREAS, It is necessary to determine whether November 25, 1977, the day following Thanksgiving, will be a work day; and

WHEREAS, It is necessary to determine work schedules for the purpose of effective State operations;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Brendan T. Byrne, Governor of the State of New Jersey, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and the Statutes of this State, do hereby Order and Direct that:

1. a. November 25, 1977, the day following Thanksgiving, shall be granted as a day off to employees who work in the Executive Department of the State Government and who are paid from State funds, whose functions, in the opinion of their Appointing Authority, permit such absence.

b. An alternative day off shall be granted to the aforementioned category of employee whose functions, in the opinion of their Appointing Authority, preclude such absence on November 25, 1977.

2. This Order shall take effect immediately.

Given, under my hand and seal this 12th day of
[SEAL] November, in the year of Our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and seventy-seven of the Independence of the United States, the two hundredth and second.

/s/ BRENDAN BYRNE,
Governor.

Attest:

/s/ HENRY N. LUTHER III,
Executive Secretary to the Governor.

