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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 100

WHEREAS, on July 10, 1957, Tommie Hollingsworth was sentenced in the Circuit Court of Rankin County, Mississippi, in Cause No. 6910, to a term of two years in the Mississippi State Penitentiary, upon a plea of guilty to the charge of grand larceny; and

WHEREAS, The Honorable O. H. Barnett, Judge of the Circuit Court of Rankin County, Mississippi, thereafter immediately suspended the execution of said penitentiary sentence and placed Tommie Hollingsworth under the supervision of said court for a period of two years; and

WHEREAS, on June 21, 1961, The Honorable O. H. Barnett signed an order of discharge in said Cause No. 6910 on the docket of said Court, the court of original jurisdiction, wherein the Court found that the expiration of said sentence occurred on July 10, 1959, and therein discharged Tommie Hollingsworth from said sentence; and

WHEREAS, under said Court order of discharge, Tommie Hollingsworth has fully and completely served his sentence, thereby having <sup>been</sup> discharged from any further penalty and obligation thereunder; and

WHEREAS, Tommie Hollingsworth has presented to the Governor his written petition wherein he affirms that he has complied with the terms under which said sentence was suspended, for the time and in the manner prescribed by law, from the date of the sentence on July 10, 1957, to June 21, 1961, inclusive; and further affirms that during the period of said suspended sentence, he has cooperated with law enforcement authorities, and has all since sought to live a good and useful life, scrupulously complying with all the terms of said suspended sentence:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi, by virtue of the power vested in me by Section 4004-27, Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled, do hereby order that any civil rights lost by Tommie Hollingsworth by virtue of his plea of guilty and conviction in the Circuit Court of Rankin County, Mississippi, in Cause No. 6910 on the docket of said Court, by order entered on July 10, 1957, be and the same are hereby restored to Tommie Hollingsworth; that a certified copy of this Executive Order be forwarded to the Circuit Clerk of Rankin County, Mississippi, for entry on the docket of said court and filing in said cause.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed.

Done at the Capitol in the City of Jackson, on this the 17th day of January, 1972.

  
JOHN BELL WILLIAMS  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 99

WHEREAS, on July 2, 1956, Eaton Garriga was sentenced in the Circuit Court of Harrison County, Mississippi, in Cause No. 11,102, to a term of five years in the Mississippi State Penitentiary, upon a plea of guilty to the charge of embezzlement; and

WHEREAS, The Honorable Leslie Grant, Judge of the Circuit Court of Harrison County, Mississippi, thereafter immediately suspended the execution of said penitentiary sentence and placed Eaton Garriga under the supervision of said Court for a period of five years; and

WHEREAS, on July 2, 1961, The Honorable Leslie Grant signed an order of discharge in said Cause No. 11,102 on the docket of said Court, the court of original jurisdiction, wherein the court found that the expiration of said sentence occurred on July 2, 1961, and therein discharged Eaton Garriga from said sentence; and

WHEREAS, under said court order of discharge, Eaton Garriga has fully and completely served his sentence, thereby having been discharged from any further penalty and obligation thereunder; and

WHEREAS, Eaton Garriga, through his counsel has presented to the Governor his written petition wherein he affirms that he has complied with the terms under which said sentence was suspended, for the time and in the manner prescribed by law, from the date of the sentence on July 2, 1956, to July 2, 1961, inclusive; and further affirms that during the period of said suspended sentence, he has cooperated with law enforcement authorities, and has all since sought to live a good and useful life, scrupulously complying with all the terms of said suspended sentence:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi, by virtue of the power vested in me by Section 4004-27, Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled, do hereby order that any civil rights lost by Eaton Garriga by virtue of his plea of guilty and conviction in the Circuit Court of Harrison County, Mississippi, in Cause No. 11,102 on the docket of said Court, by order entered on July 2, 1956, be and the same are hereby restored to Eaton Garriga; that a certified copy of this Executive Order be forwarded to the Circuit Clerk of Harrison County, Mississippi, for entry on the docket of said Court and filing in said cause.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto  
set my hand and caused the Great Seal  
of the State of Mississippi to be affixed.

DONE at the Capitol in the City of Jackson  
on this 17th day of January, A. D., 1972.

  
JOHN BELL WILLIAMS  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 98

WHEREAS, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor, on September 6, 1969, I issued Executive Order No. 49, creating the Governor's Emergency Council; and

WHEREAS, on October 31, 1969, by Executive Order No. 51, and on December 31, 1969, by Executive Order No. 54, Executive Order No. 49 was amended; and

WHEREAS, the Governor's Emergency Council, often at great personal sacrifice and expense, has performed the duties entrusted to it in such manner even, as to surpass the goals set for it; and

WHEREAS, the Governor's Emergency Council coordinated and directed the cooperative efforts of the Federal, State and local agencies to restore and revitalize the area of Mississippi stricken by Hurricane Camille; and

WHEREAS, the Governor's Emergency Council has brought credit to itself and the State of Mississippi;

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor of the State of Mississippi by the Constitution and applicable statutes of the State of Mississippi, it is hereby ordered as follows:

Section 1. The profound gratitude of the State of Mississippi and her citizens is felt for the outstanding services performed by the members of the Governor's Emergency Council in the completion of its assigned mission.

Section 2. Executive Order No. 49, Executive Order No. 51 and Executive Order No. 54 are hereby rescinded and held for naught.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have  
hereunto set my hand and caused  
the Great Seal of the State of  
Mississippi to be affixed.

DONE at the Capitol in the City of  
Jackson this fourteenth day of  
January in the year of our Lord  
nineteen hundred and seventy-two  
and of the Independence of the  
United States of America the one  
hundred and ninety-sixth.

GOVERNOR

By the Governor:

*Heber L. Lister*

Secretary of State



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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 97

WHEREAS, on January 18, 1972, The Honorable William L. Waller will be inaugurated as the Governor of the State of Mississippi for the term 1972-1976; and

WHEREAS, it is customary and desirable that the Mississippi National Guard participate in the inaugural ceremonies and perform certain missions related thereto which only the Mississippi National Guard can perform:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi, pursuant to the authority vested in me by Section 119 and Section 217 of the Mississippi Constitution of 1890 and Section 3975, Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled, do hereby direct The Adjutant General of the State of Mississippi to activate such part of the Mississippi National Guard for duty on January 18, 1972, as he may deem necessary to assist in the inaugural ceremonies and the joint assembly of the Mississippi State Legislature pertinent to the inauguration of The Honorable William L. Waller as Governor of the State of Mississippi.

The Adjutant General will be in direct command of the National Guard forces ordered to State emergency duty by this Executive Order, and he will use such force of arms as he may deem necessary to accomplish this mission. The Adjutant General is further ordered and directed to use whatever numbers of the Mississippi National Guard as may be necessary to accomplish its mission. The direction of the troops will rest entirely with The Adjutant General, subject to orders from the Governor.

The members of the Mississippi National Guard activated for duty under the provisions of this order shall be subject to the provisions, privileges and immunities of the statutes of the State of Mississippi governing the National Guard and State Militia where applicable.

The pay and expenses of the troops activated will be paid as provided in Sections 8519-43, 8519-87 and 8519-88, Mississippi Code of 1942.

The officers and enlisted men activated will remain on duty until relieved by proper order of The Adjutant General of the State of Mississippi.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed.

DONE at the Capitol in the City of Jackson,  
on this the 10th day of January,  
A. D., 1972.

  
JOHN BELL WILLIAMS  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

  
SECRETARY OF STATE



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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 96

WHEREAS, eligibility of certain counties in Mississippi for participation in childhood planning and development programs authorized by Congress under the Appalachian Regional Development Act of 1965, as amended, and the participation in said programs by State and local governments pursuant to said Act requires the organization of a State-level interagency committee:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bell Williams, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor of the State of Mississippi and pursuant to the Constitution and applicable statutes of Mississippi, do hereby establish as public policy of this State that child development planning and coordination are the responsibility of the Governor and do hereby designate and recognize a Mississippi Child Development Council to develop a State Comprehensive Child Development Plan and Program for the State of Mississippi.

Membership of the State Child Development Council shall consist, except where otherwise indicated, of the executive officers of the following agencies, to-wit:

State Board of Health  
State Department of Education  
State Department of Public Welfare  
Interagency Commission on Mental Illness  
and Mental Retardation  
Board of Trustees, Institutions of Higher Learning  
Federal-State Programs, Office of the Governor  
Commission of Budget and Accounting  
Governor's Committee on Children and Youth  
Mississippi Council on Early Childhood Development  
One representative selected by each Child Development  
Planning District  
A Member of the Mississippi House of Representatives  
(selected by the Speaker of the House)  
A Member of the Mississippi State Senate  
(selected by the Lieutenant Governor)

The Governor may add other representatives to the Council as necessary and appropriate in order to assure better services for Mississippi children.

The Governor shall serve as ex-officio chairman of the State Child Development Council, and the chairman shall be selected by the membership of the Council.

The State Child Development Council shall render advice and assistance to the Governor to enable him to accomplish the following or such additional activities as he may request:



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- 1) Design and implement a comprehensive Statewide planning and development process for child development for the State of Mississippi;
- 2) Establish policies and procedures for a Statewide planning program for child development;
- 3) Coordinate and monitor child development programs throughout Mississippi;
- 4) Evaluate existing and proposed child development operational programs and planning efforts for conformance to policy, standards, and priorities included in the State plan;
- 5) Prepare and publish an annual comprehensive child development plan and policy for Mississippi, containing priorities for the allocation of Federal, State, and local funds for child development programs;
- 6) Make recommendations to the Legislature for needed statutory reforms in the field of child development;
- 7) Organize such task forces and advisory bodies as are necessary to perform the duties of the State Child Development Council; and
- 8) Provide public records and information, as well as a forum for the discussion of child development programs and problems, for elected officials, public and private agencies, and the general public.

The State Child Development Council will make whatever arrangements are necessary to employ administrative and clerical personnel needed by the State Child Development Council and the District Child Development Councils to carry out the provisions of this Executive Order.

FURTHERMORE, I designate and recognize as Child Development Planning Districts those geographic areas following the boundaries of Mississippi's Planning and Development Districts, pursuant to Mississippi Executive Order No. 81, dated June 11, 1971.

As Child Development Councils are established within each of these districts, the State Child Development Council shall establish working relationships with the District Councils so that the work of these Councils may become an integral part of the State Comprehensive Child Development Plan and Program.

It shall be the duty of every Department, Board, Commission, Agency, Office, Institution, and political subdivision of the State government and the officers thereof to cooperate with the State Child Development Council in the development of a Comprehensive Child Development Plan for Mississippi and in performing all other duties and responsibilities described herein.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand  
and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi  
to be affixed.

DONE at the Capitol in the City of Jackson, this December  
21, A. D. 1971.



*John Bell Williams*  
JOHN BELL WILLIAMS  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

*Heber Ladner*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 95

By virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor of the State of Mississippi and pursuant to the Constitution and applicable statutes of the State of Mississippi, Executive Order No. 91, dated October 21, 1971, is hereby rescinded and held for naught.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I HAVE  
hereunto set my hand and caused  
the Great Seal of the State of  
Mississippi to be affixed.

DONE at the Capitol in the City  
of Jackson, this December 21,  
A. D., 1971.



*John Bell Williams*  
JOHN BELL WILLIAMS  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

*Heber Ladd*  
SECRETARY OF STATE



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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 94

WHEREAS, the Federal Highway Safety Act of 1970, which becomes effective December 31, 1971, amended Section 402 (b) (1) (A) of Title 23, United States Code, as follows:

"(b)(1) The Secretary shall not approve any State highway safety program under this section which does not --  
"(A) provide that the Governor of the State shall be responsible for the administration of the program through a State agency which shall have adequate powers, and be suitably equipped and organized to carry out, to the satisfaction of the Secretary, such program."; and

WHEREAS, the Federal Highway Safety Act has authorized and directed the Governor to coordinate the activities of any and all departments and agencies of the State of Mississippi and its subdivisions in order for the State to secure the full benefits of the Act in improving the highway safety of the State of Mississippi; and

WHEREAS, it is essential to establish a formal organization and delegate thereto certain of the Governor's powers and authority for the execution of the Governor's Highway Safety Program:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi, pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Constitution and applicable statutes of the State of Mississippi and for the general welfare of the citizens of the State of Mississippi, do hereby order as follows:

SECTION I. There is hereby established within the Governor's Office the Office of Highway Safety, headed by the Governor's Representative for highway safety, appointed by and serving at the pleasure of the Governor, and staffed by such other officers and employees as the said Representative may from time to time appoint according to law. In that respect, William S. Moore is hereby appointed the Governor's Representative for highway safety, who shall report directly to the Governor.

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SECTION II. The Office of Highway Safety shall have the authority and responsibility to:

- (a) Prepare, develop and revise comprehensive plans based on an evaluation of highway safety problems within the State;
- (b) Define, develop and correlate annual work programs under such comprehensive plans;
- (c) Establish priorities for highway safety improvement in the State;
- (d) Provide information to prospective aid recipients on the benefits of the program and procedures for participation;
- (e) Encourage local units of government to improve their highway safety planning and administration efforts;
- (f) Evaluate the implementation of State and local highway safety plans and programs and monitor progress and audit expenditures of Federal highway safety funds by State and local agencies;
- (g) Coordinate the State's highway safety program and plan with other Federally- and non-Federally-supported programs relating to or having impact on highway safety;
- (h) Collect statistics and other data related to highway safety in the State as required by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration and/or the Federal Highway Administration;
- (i) Assure that at least 40% of all Federal funds apportioned under the program for any fiscal year are used by local governments or combinations of units of local governments;
- (j) Make final decisions for the State and enter into contracts and agreements on behalf of the State for Federally-funded highway safety projects;

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---(k) Represent the State in all other matters coming under the purview of the Federal Highway Safety Act;

---(l) Plan and implement a personnel merit system covering the staff of the Office of Highway Safety.

SECTION III. The Director of the Governor's Highway Safety Program, who is the Governor's Representative for highway safety, shall have the responsibility and authority for (1) reviewing, approving and maintaining general oversight of the State program and its implementation; (2) the activities listed in Section II.

SECTION IV. (A) There is hereby created and established the Mississippi Officials' Traffic Safety Coordinating Committee composed of the following-named officials, or their designees:

Director of the Governor's Highway Safety Program -- Chairman  
Commissioner of Public Safety  
Motor Vehicle Comptroller  
Attorney General  
Director, State Highway Department  
State Superintendent of Education  
Executive Officer, State Board of Health

(B) The Officials' Traffic Safety Coordinating Committee shall serve in a technical advisory capacity to the Director of the Governor's Highway Safety Program and to the Governor's Traffic Safety Advisory Committee.

SECTION V. (A) There is hereby created and established the Governor's Traffic Safety Advisory Committee composed of designees from the following-named offices, agencies and organizations:

Governor --- Chairman  
Governor's Executive Assistant --- Vice Chairman  
State Department of Public Health  
State Highway Department  
Mississippi Municipal Association  
State Department of Public Safety  
Attorney General  
Mississippi State Senate  
Mississippi House of Representatives



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Motor Vehicle Comptroller  
Secretary of State  
State Department of Education  
Association of County Supervisors  
Governor's Highway Safety Program  
Mississippi Medical Association  
Mississippi Peace Officers' Association  
Association of Justices of the Peace  
Mississippi Ambulance Association  
Mississippi State Bar  
Mississippi Safety Council

(B) The Governor's Traffic Safety Advisory Committee shall periodically review the traffic safety status and trends in Mississippi, and advise with the Governor on the need and priority for programs that are submitted by State agencies and the political subdivisions.

(C) The Committee shall assist the Governor and the Office of Highway Safety (1) in formulating the State-wide policy of highway safety programs, goals and objectives; (2) in the collection, analysis and dissemination of information related to highway safety; (3) in determining the public attitudes, opinions and ideas on highway safety; and (4) in the establishment of innovative highway safety programs and activities;

SECTION VI. It shall be the duty of every department, agency, office, institution and political subdivision of the State of Mississippi and the officers thereof to cooperate with and assist the Office of Highway Safety and the Director of the Governor's Highway Safety Program in every reasonable way.


SECTION VII. The purpose of this procedure is to assure that the administration of the Governor's Highway Safety Program meets the provisions of the Federal Highway Safety Act and the Guidelines for the designation of a State Agency Responsible for Highway Safety jointly issued by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration and the Federal Highway Administration.



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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and  
caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be  
affixed.

DONE at the Capitol in Jackson, on this December 15,  
A. D., 1971.

  
*John Bell Williams*  
JOHN BELL WILLIAMS  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

*Heber Ladner*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 93

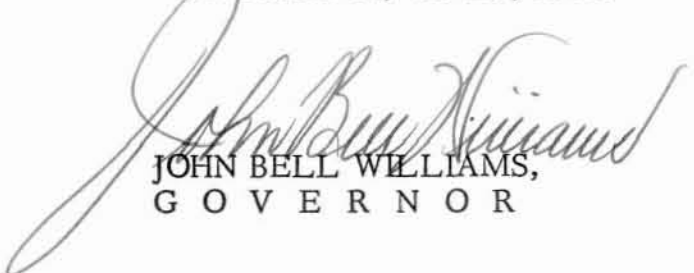
By virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor of the State of Mississippi and pursuant to the Constitution and applicable statutes of the State of Mississippi, Executive Order No. 84, dated July 27, 1971, is hereby amended as follows, to-wit:

SECTION 1. Delete J. Paul Fugate, Agricultural and Industrial Board;

Add J. Paul Fugate, Mississippi Marine Resources Council.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have  
hereunto set my hand and  
caused the Great Seal of the State of  
Mississippi to be affixed.

DONE at the City of Jackson, this  
December 14, A. D., 1971.

  
JOHN BELL WILLIAMS,  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 92

WHEREAS, the economy, productivity, health and general well-being of the people of Mississippi are of prime consideration to the State government of Mississippi and to the Governor; and

WHEREAS, there is an increasing need in Mississippi to assure a sufficient, uninterrupted and economic supply of energy fuel to Mississippi homeowners and industries; and

WHEREAS, the State of Mississippi must engage in a systematic and comprehensive planning process in order to establish priorities and responsibilities for new natural gas discoveries and their attendant costs and for the availability of other fossil fuels and their attendant costs to substitute for natural gas:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi, pursuant to the authority vested in me, do hereby establish a Mississippi Energy Fuel Advisory Committee to gather data on the energy fuel of today and the future prospects thereof as it pertains to the homeowner and industry.

Membership of the Mississippi Energy Fuel Advisory Committee shall consist of the following members:

Leslie B. Lampton	Miller Oil Purchasing Company
J. R. Peterson	Research and Development Center
Dr. Chester McKee	Mississippi State University
Jim Borthwick	Oil and Gas Board
Robert Moon	Miss-Tex Oil Producers
Norris Stampley	Mississippi Power & Light Co.
Glen Wood, Jr.	Air & Water Pollution Control Commission

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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 91

WHEREAS, the health, economic and educational well-being, and development of the children of Mississippi and their families are of prime consideration to the State government of Mississippi, and to the Governor; and

WHEREAS, there is an increasing need in Mississippi to assure a comprehensive and coordinated approach to the problems of child development in the State in order to strengthen communication and common purpose among all agencies and groups concerned with early childhood development and to make full and effective use of existing resources and agency potentials in order to avoid duplication, fragmentation, and waste; and

WHEREAS, eligibility for participation in certain Federal childhood planning and development programs by State and local governments and independent agencies requires the organization of a State-level interagency committee;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi, pursuant to the authority vested in me, do hereby establish as public policy of this State that child development planning and coordination are the responsibility of the Governor and do hereby designate and recognize a Mississippi Child Development Council to prepare and implement a State Comprehensive Child Development Plan and Program for the State of Mississippi.

Membership of the State Child Development Council shall consist, except where otherwise indicated, of the executive officers of the following agencies:

State Board of Health  
State Department of Education  
State Department of Public Welfare  
Interagency Commission on Mental Illness  
and Mental Retardation  
Board of Trustees, Institutions of Higher Learning  
Federal-State Programs, Office of the Governor  
Commission of Budget and Accounting  
Governor's Committee on Children and Youth  
Mississippi Council on Early Childhood Development  
One representative selected by each  
Child Development Planning District  
A Member of the Mississippi House of Representatives  
(selected by the Speaker of the House)  
A Member of the Mississippi State Senate  
(selected by the Lieutenant Governor)



The Governor may add other representatives to the Council as necessary and appropriate in order to assure better services for Mississippi children.

The Governor shall serve as ex officio chairman of the State Child Development Council, and the chairman shall be selected by the membership of the Council.

The State Child Development Council shall render advice and assistance to the Governor to enable him to accomplish the following or such additional activities as he may request:

- 1) Design and implement a comprehensive Statewide planning and development process for child development for the State of Mississippi.
- 2) Establish policies and procedures for a Statewide planning program for child development.
- 3) Coordinate and monitor child development programs throughout Mississippi.
- 4) Evaluate existing and proposed child development operational programs and planning efforts for conformance to policy, standards, and priorities included in the State plan.
- 5) Prepare and publish an annual comprehensive child development plan and policy for Mississippi, containing priorities for the allocation of Federal, State, and local funds for child development programs.
- 6) Make recommendations to the Legislature for needed statutory reforms in the field of child development.
- 7) Organize such task forces and advisory bodies as are necessary to perform the duties of the State Child Development Council.
- 8) Provide public records and information, as well as a forum for the discussion of child development programs and problems, for elected officials, public and private agencies, and the general public.

The State Child Development Council will make whatever arrangements are necessary to employ administrative and clerical personnel needed by the State Child Development Council and the District Child Development Councils to carry out the provisions of this Executive Order.

FURTHERMORE, I designate and recognize as Child Development Planning Districts those geographic areas following the boundaries of Mississippi's Planning and Development Districts, pursuant to Mississippi Executive Order No. 81, dated June 11, 1971.

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Child Development Councils shall be established within each of these districts, and the State Child Development Council shall establish working relationships with the District Councils so that the work of these Councils may become an integral part of the State Comprehensive Child Development Plan and Program.

It shall be the duty of every Department, Board, Commission, Agency, Office, Institution, and political subdivision of the State government and the officers thereof to render all possible assistance and cooperation to the State Child Development Council in the development and implementation of a Comprehensive Child Development Plan for Mississippi and in performing all other duties and responsibilities described herein.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto  
set my hand and caused the Great  
Seal of the State of Mississippi  
to be affixed.

DONE at the City of Jackson, this  
Twenty-first day of October, A.D., 1971.



*John Ben Neuman*  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

*Heber Ladner*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 90

By virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor of the State of Mississippi and pursuant to the Constitution and applicable statutes of Mississippi, Executive Order No. 86, and amendments thereto, under date of August 18, 1971, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

Amend: Paragraph 2, Page Two, Executive Order No. 86 dated August 18, 1971, in the following manner:

Delete, as a member of the State Manpower Planning Council:

Coordinator of Federal-State Programs, Office of  
the Governor, as chairman

Add, as a member of the State Manpower Planning Council:

Administrative Assistant and Legal Counsel, Office  
of the Governor, as chairman.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto  
set my hand and caused the Great Seal  
of the State of Mississippi to be affixed.

DONE at the City of Jackson, this  
eighteenth day of October, A.D., 1971.

  
GOVERNOR

By the Governor:

  
Secretary of State

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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 89

By virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor of the State of Mississippi and pursuant to the Constitution and applicable statutes of Mississippi, Executive Order No. 86, under date of August 18, 1971, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Amend: Paragraph 3, Page Two, Executive Order No. 86 dated August 18, 1971, in the following manner:

Add, as members of the State Manpower Planning Council:

Mississippi Cooperative Extension Service  
Mississippi Industrial Development Council  
Mississippi State Council on Vocational Education

Delete, as a member of the State Manpower Planning Council:

State Association of Planning and Development  
District Directors

Change, title of "Student Government Association" to "Mississippi Intercollegiate Council," title of "Student Council Association" to "Mississippi State Association of Student Councils."

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto  
set my hand and caused the Great  
Seal of the State of Mississippi  
to be affixed.

DONE at the City of Jackson, this  
eighth day of October, A. D., 1971.

  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

  
SECRETARY OF STATE



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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 88

WHEREAS, pursuant to the authority vested in the Governor by the Constitution and Laws of the State, Executive Order No. 29 created and established the position of Coordinator of Federal-State Programs and assigned duties and responsibilities to include "assistance to State departments, agencies and institutions in the development of Federal programs. . .so that the people of Mississippi can be assured of a fair, efficient and coordinated planning and administration of these programs" and also to "supervise the receipt and expenditure of Federal, State, and other funds made available to the Governor's Office for coordinating Federal programs and for providing technical assistance to State and local agencies administering these programs"; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to this Executive Order the following programs have been established under the authority of the Coordinator of Federal-State Programs and the Governor: Division of Comprehensive Health Planning, Division of Appalachian Development, Division of Economic Opportunity, Division of Law Enforcement Assistance, Governor's Highway Safety Program, Division of Manpower, and others; and

WHEREAS, some employees of these programs are subject to merit systems required by Federal statute and some are not, some employees have part of their compensation paid from merit system programs and part from non-merit system programs, some employees are subject to one set of leave and personnel policies and some to another, with some employees subject to multiple and conflicting leave and personnel policies:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi, pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Constitution and the Laws of the State, in the interest of increased personnel efficiency, harmony, and productivity, do hereby authorize the Coordinator of Federal-State Programs to prepare and issue a set of personnel policies and procedures for the employees of the Federal-State Programs, Office of the Governor, which may be adopted by the director of any one or more of these programs who so chooses.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto  
set my hand and caused the Great  
Seal of the State of Mississippi  
to be affixed.

DONE at the City of Jackson, this  
13th day of September, A. D., 1971.

  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 87

WHEREAS, it appears that the Jackson Municipal Separate School District is busing school pupils and expending public funds therefor in violation of the Laws of Mississippi; and

WHEREAS, an order of a federal district court has undertaken to set aside the Mississippi laws on transportation of pupils and to enact a busing law for said School District; and

WHEREAS, it is the sworn duty of the Governor of the State of Mississippi to see that the laws of the State of Mississippi are faithfully executed:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi, pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Constitution and applicable statutes of the State of Mississippi, in furtherance of my Constitutional duty, and for the general welfare of the citizens of the State of Mississippi, do hereby order as follows:

1. The State Auditor of Public Accounts is hereby directed to cease and desist from distributing the common school funds and minimum education program funds to the Jackson Municipal Separate School District until the Office of the Governor has received satisfactory evidence from the Trustees of said School District that the said School District is in full compliance with State laws applicable to the transportation of school pupils.

2. The State Department of Audit is hereby requested, pursuant to Section 3877-05, Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled, to pre-audit and investigate the financial affairs of the Jackson Municipal Separate School District and to investigate a suspected violation by the said School District in the purchase and use of school bus transportation.

3. The State Tax Commission is hereby directed to cease and desist from certifying to the State Auditor of Public Accounts any amount of tax loss claimed by the Jackson Municipal Separate School District under the provisions of Section 9734, Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled, until the Office of the Governor has received satisfactory evidence from the Trustees of said School District that the said School District is in full compliance with State Laws applicable to the transportation of school pupils and that no District maintenance funds have been utilized for any unauthorized transportation purpose and that no amounts have been transferred for that purpose to any other fund.

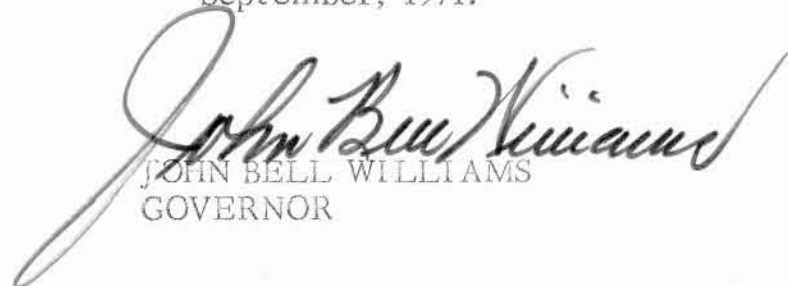
4. The State Auditor of Public Accounts is directed to cease and desist from issuing any warrant to pay to the Jackson Municipal Separate

School District any amount of tax loss under the provisions of Section 9735, Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled, until the provisions of Section 3 hereof are in compliance.

5. This Order shall remain in full force and effect until rescinded.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have  
hereunto set my hand and  
caused the Great Seal of  
State of Mississippi to be affixed.

DONE at the Capitol in the City of  
Jackson, this 11th day of  
September, 1971.

  
JOHN BELL WILLIAMS  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR,

  
SECRETARY OF STATE

*Mississippi  
Executive Department  
Jackson*

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 86

WHEREAS, there is a growing need in Mississippi for trained personnel in many new and existing occupational categories, brought on by rapid economic and technological change in our State; and

WHEREAS, young people entering the work force, returning veterans, untrained adults, employed persons in need of upgrading, and other men, women, and young people will require vocational education and skill training in order to become more productive members of the American economy; and

WHEREAS, the State of Mississippi must engage in a systematic and comprehensive planning process in order to establish priorities and responsibilities for manpower services provided by Federal, State, and local agencies in order to reduce duplication, disorganization, and oversight, and to assure the most effective and efficient investment of public resources available for manpower training; and

WHEREAS, the President of the United States in Executive Order 11422, signed August 15, 1968, has stated:

"(a) Cooperative planning and execution of manpower training and supportive manpower service programs is hereby established as the policy of the Federal government. (b) Each Federal executive department or agency administering manpower training or supportive manpower service programs shall, to the extent consistent with law, carry out its programs and exercise its function so as to further the policy herein enunciated."; and

WHEREAS, Interagency Cooperative Issuances have subsequently been promulgated to accomplish this end through a Cooperative Area Manpower Planning System, the most recent of which, Interagency Cooperative Issuance 72-2, was signed on May 21, 1971, by representatives of the Department of Labor, the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, the Department of Housing and Urban Development, the Office of Economic Opportunity, the Department of Agriculture, the Department of the Interior, the Department of Commerce, the Civil Service Commission, and the Environmental Protection Agency; and

WHEREAS, Interagency Cooperative Issuance 72-2 calls for a change in the manner of organizing and administering the Cooperative Area Manpower Planning System, assigning to State Governors the responsibility for developing comprehensive manpower plans for their States and authorizing them to appoint a State Manpower Advisory Council and Ancillary Manpower Planning Boards at the area level to advise and assist Governors in the preparation of area and State manpower plans, these plans to serve as funding guides for Federal, State, and local agencies expending funds on behalf of the above named Federal agencies, the expenditure of which shall, as stated by the U.S. Department of Labor, adhere to the Governor's manpower plan "to the maximum extent possible within existing legislation and our agreements with other agencies":

Ancillary Manpower Planning Boards, described in Interagency Cooperative Issuance 72-2, shall be established following the boundaries of Mississippi's ten Planning and Development Districts, pursuant to Mississippi Executive Order No. 81, dated June 11, 1971. The director of each Planning and Development District shall serve as chairman of each Ancillary Manpower Planning Board, whose structure shall be similar to that of the State Manpower Planning Council and whose members shall be named by the Governor. The State Manpower Planning Council shall establish working relationships with the Ancillary Manpower Planning Boards so that the work of these Boards may become an integral part of the comprehensive state manpower plan.

The State Manpower Planning Council shall render advice and assistance to the Governor to enable him to accomplish the following, or such additional activities as he may request:

- 1) Determine the extent and location of the unemployed and under-employed of Mississippi.
- 2) Determine immediate and long range manpower needs of industry and agriculture in Mississippi.
- 3) Determine training needs based upon the available work force and the requirements of employers.
- 4) Prepare and publish an annual comprehensive manpower plan and policy for Mississippi, containing priorities for the allocation of Federal, State, and local funds for pre-vocational and vocational-technical education and rehabilitation, manpower development and training, in order to improve the earning capabilities of all citizens and accelerate economic growth.
- 5) Coordinate and monitor the publicly-funded manpower training systems operating in Mississippi.
- 6) Provide public records and information, as well as a forum for the discussion of manpower programs and problems, for elected officials, public and private agencies, employers, labor, and the general public.
- 7) Make recommendations to the Legislature for needed statutory reforms in the field of manpower training.
- 8) Organize such subcommittees and advisory bodies as are necessary to perform the duties of the State Manpower Planning Council.

The chairman of the State Manpower Planning Council will employ a staff which will work under his direction. The staff will consist of an executive secretary and other administrative and clerical personnel needed by the State Manpower Planning Council and the Ancillary Manpower Planning Boards to carry out the provisions of this Executive Order.



It shall be the duty of every Department, Board, Commission, Agency, Office, Institution, and political subdivision of the State government and the officers thereof to render all possible cooperation and assistance to the State Manpower Planning Council in the development and implementation of a comprehensive manpower plan for Mississippi and in performing all other duties and responsibilities described herein.

The State Manpower Planning Council shall commence its duties at the initial meeting, upon call of the chairman.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto  
set my hand and caused the Great  
Seal of the State of Mississippi  
to be affixed.

DONE at the City of Jackson, this  
Eighteenth day of August, A. D., 1971.



*John B. Winn*  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

*Heber Ladner*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

*Mississippi*  
*Executive Department*  
*Jackson*

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 85

WHEREAS, on May 30, 1968, Tracy Edward Green was sentenced in the Circuit Court of Forrest County, Mississippi, in Cause No. 6780, to a term of three years in the Mississippi State Penitentiary, upon a plea of guilty to the charge of forgery; and

WHEREAS, The Honorable Stanton A. Hall, Judge of the Circuit Court of Forrest County, Mississippi, thereafter immediately suspended the execution of said penitentiary sentence and placed Tracy Edward Green under the supervision of said Court for a period of three years; and

WHEREAS, on July 9, 1971, The Honorable Stanton A. Hall signed an order of discharge in said Cause No. 6780 on the docket of said Court, the court of original jurisdiction, wherein the Court found that the expiration of said sentence occurred on May 30, 1971, and therein discharged Tracy Edward Green from said sentence; and

WHEREAS, under said Court order of discharge, Tracy Edward Green has fully and completely served his sentence, thereby having been discharged from any further penalty and obligation thereunder; and

WHEREAS, Tracy Edward Green, through his counsel, has presented to the Governor his written petition wherein he affirms that he has complied with the terms under which said sentence was suspended, for the time and in the manner prescribed by law, from the date of the sentence on May 30, 1968, to May 30, 1971, inclusive; and further affirms that during the period of said suspended sentence, he has cooperated with law enforcement authorities, and has all since sought to live a good and useful life, scrupulously complying with all the terms of said suspended sentence:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi, by virtue of the power vested in me by Section 4004-27, Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled, do hereby order that any civil rights lost by Tracy Edward Green by virtue of his plea of guilty and conviction in the Circuit Court of Forrest County, Mississippi, in Cause No. 6780 on the docket of said Court, by order entered on May 30, 1968, be and the same are hereby restored to Tracy Edward Green; that a certified copy of this Executive Order be forwarded to the Circuit Clerk of Forrest County, Mississippi, for entry on the docket of said Court and filing in said cause.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed.

DONE at the City of Jackson, in the State of Mississippi, on this the 16th day of August, A. D., 1971.

  
JOHN BELL WILLIAMS  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

  
SECRETARY OF STATE



CORPORATION DIVISION  
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STATE OF MISSISSIPPI  
**Secretary of State**  
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JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI 39205

August 17, 1971

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COMMERCIAL CODE DIVISION  
BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS  
W. W. REAGAN, DEPUTY  
TELEPHONE 354-6545

Honorable Theron C. Lynd  
Circuit Clerk  
Forrest County  
Hattiesburg, Mississippi

Dear Mr. Lynd:

Enclosed herewith is a true and correct copy of Executive Order No. 85 from the Executive Department dated August 16, 1971, restoring any civil rights lost by Tracy Edward Green by virtue of his plea of guilty and conviction to the charge of forgery in the Circuit Court of Forrest County, Mississippi, by order entered May 30, 1968.

Please make the proper entry of the certified copy of said Executive Order on the Criminal Docket of the Circuit Court of Forrest County and file same as directed in the last paragraph thereof.

Very truly yours,

Heber Ladner  
Secretary of State

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Enclosure

*Mississippi  
Executive Department  
Jackson*

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 84

WHEREAS, the Mississippi Test Facility, George C. Marshall Space Flight Center of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, is evolving from a single mission, space-dedicated, production-type installation into one having many missions of research, development and operational nature in both space and environmental activity; and

WHEREAS, the "New MTF" will be used as a central location to provide selected field elements of NASA and other Federal agencies engaged in national and regional environmental research, development and information service operation; and

WHEREAS, each Federal agency or element is at the MTF in its own right and responsible for its own activity, but working with each other in such a manner as to capitalize on the knowledge, successes and failures of each other in discharging individual responsibilities, which results in an advancement of the useful information derivable from all data acquired or generated by each agency; and

WHEREAS, cross-fertilization of techniques, cross-utilization of experience and expertise, multiple use of specialized equipment and increased communication of needs, desires, requirements and solutions are of an additional value of the collocated effort; and

WHEREAS, the opportunity exists now for the State of Mississippi to develop to the greatest extent a direct communication in the very complex world of environmental management to a degree not previously possible; and

WHEREAS, there is no capacity within the framework of State government to coordinate these numerous programs among the State departments, agencies and institutions; and

WHEREAS, the maintenance of a strong role for State government to help develop methodology which will permit the extraction of information requires a unified capacity to deal with those agencies of the Federal government; and

WHEREAS, it is essential that a State liaison and coordinating office be established at MTF in order to provide for mutual aid among the affected State agencies and institutions and with the Federal agencies with respect to coordinating the planning, research and development efforts of the participating State agencies; and

WHEREAS, it is essential to establish the Governor's Science and Technology Advisory Council, composed of key State and regional personnel from enough different disciplines and agencies in order to provide a workable interaction of ideas and suggestions in such fields as environmental quality control, research and development, manufacturing, agriculture, forestry, law, chemical technology and communications:



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NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi, pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Constitution and applicable statutes of the State of Mississippi, and for the general welfare of the citizens of the State of Mississippi, do hereby order as follows:

SECTION 1. There is hereby created and established a State Council to be known as the "Governor's Science and Technology Advisory Council" composed of the following-named members:

James F. Borthwick  
Martin R. McLendon  
Swep T. Davis  
Charlie Q. Coffman  
A. M. White  
Volney J. Cissna, Jr.  
Joe D. Brown  
Ed A. May, Jr.  
Glen Wood, Jr.

Jack W. Pepper  
William R. Smith, Jr.  
W. B. Long  
Billy Joe Cross  
Spencer E. Medlin  
R. E. McLemore  
Wendell D. Lack  
W. H. Moore  
Alvin J. Beck  
C. A. Moore  
Doug Jennings  
Kenneth N. Causey  
LTC Clinton L. Ivey  
Mrs. Juanda M. Kirk  
J. Paul Fugate  
William J. Demoran  
Jim Buck Ross  
Glover Wilkins

Thompson Pound

P. T. Bankston  
W. M. Bost  
James P. Minyard, Jr.  
E. E. Thrash

Oil and Gas Board  
Office of the Attorney General  
Pat Harrison Waterway District  
Institutions of Higher Learning  
Highway Department  
Gulf Regional Planning Commission  
Board of Health  
Federal-State Programs  
Air and Water Pollution Control  
Commission  
Board of Water Commissioners  
Educational Television  
Research and Development Center  
Game and Fish Commission  
Park System  
Archives and History  
State Forester  
State Geologist  
Pearl River Basin Development District  
Aeronautics Commission  
University Law School  
Civil Defense Director  
National Guard  
Universities Marine Center  
Agricultural and Industrial Board  
Marine Biologist  
Commissioner of Agriculture  
Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway  
Development District  
Tombigbee River Valley Water  
Management District  
Member, Southern Interstate Nuclear Board  
Extension Service  
State Chemist  
Governor's Science Advisor

SECTION 2. There is hereby created and established within the Office of the Governor a State Liaison and Coordinating Office located at the Mississippi Test Facility, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, to provide for mutual aid among the State offices set forth above, and any other that may utilize such services, and with the Federal agencies with respect to coordinating the planning, research and development efforts of the participating State Offices. The exercise by the Liaison and Coordinating Office of the powers conferred by this Order shall be deemed and held to be the performance of an essential governmental function of the State of Mississippi.

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SECTION 3. The purpose of this procedure is to provide that all present plans and future programs of the State involving the field of environmental sciences be coordinated with comparable functions of the Federal government, including its various departments, and agencies of other states and localities and private agencies so that the most effective, efficient and economical participation by the State of Mississippi may be made in the field of air, land and water resources.

SECTION 4. It shall be the duty of every department, agency, office, institution and political subdivision of the State of Mississippi and the officers thereof to cooperate with and assist the Council and the Liaison and Coordinating Office in every reasonable way.

SECTION 5. Anything in this Order to the contrary notwithstanding, the Liaison and Coordinating Office shall not have authority or power to infringe upon the rights, duties and responsibilities of any other State office, but it shall assist other State offices by providing direct communication with each Federal agency or element at the Mississippi Test Facility for their needs, desires, requirements and solutions in the area of environmental sciences.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have  
hereunto set my hand and  
caused the Great Seal of the  
State of Mississippi to be  
affixed.

DONE at the Capitol in the City  
of Jackson, this 27th day of  
July, A. D., 1971.

  
*John Bell Williams*  
JOHN BELL WILLIAMS  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

*Heber Ladner*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

*Mississippi*  
*Executive Department*  
*Jackson*

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 83

EXECUTIVE ORDER DESIGNATING ADMINISTRATOR  
FOR INTERSTATE COMPACT ON JUVENILES

WHEREAS, the 1958 Regular Session of the Mississippi Legislature approved House Bill No. 698, being "An Act Signifying the Consent of the State of Mississippi to the Interstate Compact on Juveniles"; and

WHEREAS, said Act was approved by the Governor on May 6, 1958; and

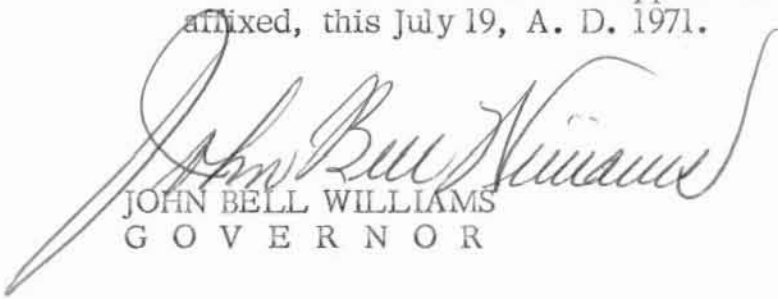
WHEREAS, on September 5, 1958, the Governor executed the proper instruments consenting for the State of Mississippi to enter the Interstate Compact on Juveniles; and

WHEREAS, Article XII of said Act directs the Governor to designate an officer who, acting jointly with like officers of other party-States, shall promulgate rules and regulations to carry out the terms and provisions of the Compact; and

WHEREAS, Article XII of this Act further provides that the Compact Administrator serves subject to the pleasure of the Governor.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi, do hereby designate The Honorable Charles L. Mathews, Commissioner of Public Welfare of the State of Mississippi, as Compact Administrator for the purpose of carrying out the terms and provisions of the Compact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto  
set my hand and caused the Great  
Seal of the State of Mississippi to be  
affixed, this July 19, A. D. 1971.

  
JOHN BELL WILLIAMS  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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*Jackson*

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 82

WHEREAS, at the July 15, 1963, term of the Circuit Court of Wayne County, Mississippi, James Austin Holifield was convicted of the crime of grand larceny and sentenced to two years in the Mississippi State Penitentiary upon a plea of guilty to the charge of grand larceny; and

WHEREAS, ninety-day suspensions of sentence were granted, on the recommendation of various officials and the Probation and Parole Board, on March 27, 1964, June 26, 1964, September 28, 1964, December 23, 1964, and April 2, 1965; and

WHEREAS, six-month suspensions were granted on June 22, 1965, and December 22, 1965; and

WHEREAS, one-year suspensions were granted on December 21, 1965, and December 22, 1966; and

WHEREAS, on November 30, 1967, Governor Paul B. Johnson, upon the recommendation of the Probation and Parole Board, did grant unto the said James Austin Holifield a commutation of the two-year sentence to the time served; and

WHEREAS, reports have been presented to the Governor which state as a fact that James Austin Holifield has been living a good and useful life:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi, by virtue of the broad clemency power vested in me by Section 124, Mississippi Constitution of 1890, do hereby order that any civil rights lost by James Austin Holifield by virtue of his plea of guilty and conviction in the Circuit Court of Wayne County, Mississippi, by order entered July 15, 1963, be and the same are hereby restored to James Austin Holifield; that a certified copy of this Executive Order be forwarded to the Circuit Clerk of Wayne County, Mississippi, for entry on the Docket of said Court and filing in said Cause.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed.

DONE at the Capitol in the City of Jackson, in the State of Mississippi, on this the nineteenth day of July, A. D., 1971.

  
JOHN BELL WILLIAMS  
GOVERNOR

By the Governor:

  
Secretary of State





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STATE OF MISSISSIPPI  
**Secretary of State**  
HEBER LADNER  
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July 21, 1971

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COMMERCIAL CODE DIVISION  
BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS  
W. W. REAGAN, DEPUTY  
TELEPHONE 354-6545

Honorable Decell Dyess  
Circuit Clerk  
Wayne County  
Waynesboro, Mississippi

Dear Mr. Dyess:

Enclosed herewith is a true and correct copy of Executive Order No. 82 from the Executive Department dated July 19, 1971, restoring any civil rights lost by James Austin Holifield by virtue of his plea of guilty and conviction to the charge of grand larceny in the Circuit Court of Wayne County, Mississippi, by order entered July 15, 1963.

Please make the proper entry of the certified copy of said Executive Order on the Criminal Docket of the Circuit Court of Wayne County and file same as directed in the last paragraph thereof.

Very truly yours,

Heber Ladner  
Secretary of State

WAT/pat

Enclosure

*Mississippi*  
*Executive Department*  
*Jackson*

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 81

WHEREAS, Public Law 90-577, the Intergovernmental Cooperation Act of 1968, and Part IV of U.S. Office of Management and Budget Circular No. A-95, Revised, encourage the States "to exercise leadership in delineating and establishing a system of planning and development districts or regions in each State, which can provide a consistent geographic base for the coordination of Federal, State, and local development programs" in order to "minimize inconsistency among Federal administrative and approval requirements placed on State, regional, and metropolitan development planning activities" and to "eliminate overlap, duplication, and competition in State and local planning activities assisted or required under Federal programs and to encourage the most effective use of State and local resources available for development planning"; and

WHEREAS, Office of Management and Budget Circular No. A-95 requires that "prior to the designation or redesignation (or approval thereof) of any planning and development district or region under any federal program, Federal agency procedures will provide a period of thirty (30) days for the Governor(s) of the State(s) in which the district or region will be located to review the boundaries thereof and comment upon its relationship to planning and development districts or regions established by the State," and "where the State has established such planning and development districts, the boundaries of designated areas will conform to them unless there is clear justification for not doing so"; and

WHEREAS, an increasing number of federal, State, and local assistance programs require a sub-state, multi-jurisdictional structure in order to preserve the eligibility of State and local governments to participate in certain federally-assisted programs and projects; and

WHEREAS, the following sub-state, multi-jurisdictional organizations have been established by local governments and supported by local public revenues under the provisions of Section 2911.3 and Sections 2890.5-01 through 2890.5-08, Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled; and

WHEREAS, these multi-county districts have been organized with boundaries which represent natural, social, and economic relationships, and these districts have proved to be effective in the planning, coordination, and administration of public programs and projects;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi, pursuant to the authority vested in me, do hereby designate and recognize the following as Mississippi's official Planning and Development Districts for the geographic areas and jurisdictions which they serve:

1. North Delta Planning and Development District, consisting of Coahoma, DeSoto, Panola, Quitman, Tallahatchie, Tate, and Tunica Counties;
2. South Delta Planning and Development District, consisting of Bolivar, Humphreys, Issaquena, Sharkey, Sunflower, and Washington Counties;
3. North Central Mississippi Planning and Development District, consisting of Attala, Carroll, Grenada, Holmes, Leflore, Montgomery, and Yalobusha Counties;
4. Golden Triangle Planning and Development District, consisting of Choctaw, Clay, Lowndes, Noxubee, Oktibbeha, Webster, and Winston Counties;
5. Three Rivers Planning and Development District, consisting of Calhoun, Chickasaw, Itawamba, Lafayette, Lee, Monroe, Pontotoc, and Union Counties;
6. Northeast Mississippi Planning and Development District, consisting of Alcorn, Benton, Marshall, Prentiss, Tippah, and Tishomingo Counties;
7. Central Mississippi Planning and Development District, consisting of Copiah, Hinds, Madison, Rankin, Simpson, Warren, and Yazoo Counties;
8. East Central Mississippi Planning and Development District, consisting of Clarke, Jasper, Kemper, Lauderdale, Leake, Neshoba, Newton, Scott, and Smith Counties;
9. Southern Mississippi Planning and Development District, consisting of Covington, Forrest, George, Greene, Hancock, Harrison, Jackson, Jefferson Davis, Jones, Lamar, Marion, Pearl River, Perry, Stone, and Wayne Counties; and
10. Southwest Mississippi Planning and Development District, consisting of Adams, Amite, Claiborne, Franklin, Jefferson, Lawrence, Lincoln, Pike, Walthall, and Wilkinson Counties.

Pursuant to Part IV of U.S. Office of Management and Budget Circular No. A-95, Revised, and the Intergovernmental Cooperation Act of 1968, all federal agencies are requested to recognize and utilize the boundaries of these districts.

All State agencies are encouraged to recognize and utilize the boundaries of these districts in State and sub-state planning and program development activities.

In those cases in which it is not feasible for a State or federal agency to adhere to the Planning and Development District boundaries, each agency is encouraged to adjust its State and sub-state planning and program development activities to include all of one or more Planning and Development Districts or to include jurisdictions solely within the boundaries of the districts.

The Coordinator of Federal-State Programs, Office of the Governor, shall be the principal agency to advise and consult with the Planning and Development Districts, to assist them in participating in appropriate federal and State programs, and to coordinate the activities of the Planning and Development Districts so that they may constitute a unified and cohesive effort in carrying out overall State planning and development policies and programs.

Copies of this Order shall be provided to the Office of Management and Budget, Executive Office of the President, for the appropriate guidance of federal agencies and to all heads of State agencies. This Order shall become effective July 1, 1971.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed.

DONE at the City of Jackson, this eleventh day of June, A. D., 1971.

  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

  
SECRETARY OF STATE



*Mississippi*  
*Executive Department*  
*Jackson*

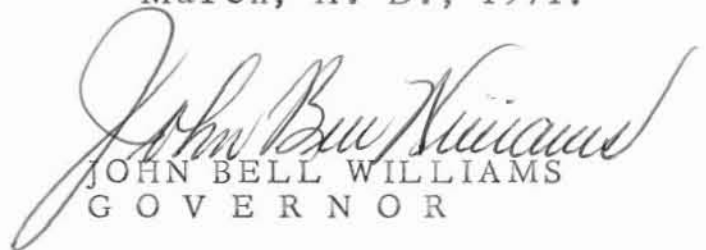
EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 80

WHEREAS, on February 21, 1971, a tornado struck Grenada County, Mississippi, causing extensive damage to the timber resources of the Game Management Area and, therefore, causing an emergency situation to arise wherein the State of Mississippi will be monetarily damaged if a sale of the damaged timber is not expedited quickly:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the laws of the State of Mississippi, do hereby authorize the Mississippi Game and Fish Commission to sell immediately the damaged timber on the Game Management Area in Grenada County, Mississippi, without the benefit of publishing notice of sale thereof, to avoid waste and to preserve the best interest of the State of Mississippi.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF,  
I have hereunto set  
my hand and caused  
the Great Seal of the  
State of Mississippi to  
be affixed.

DONE at the Capitol in  
the City of Jackson,  
on the 30th day of  
March, A. D., 1971.

  
JOHN BELL WILLIAMS  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

  
SECRETARY OF STATE

*Mississippi*  
*Executive Department*  
*Jackson*

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 79

WHEREAS, a child has been lost in Tate County, Mississippi;  
and

WHEREAS, the civil authorities are unable to cope with the matter of the necessary search with the personnel and equipment available to them:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi, pursuant to the authority vested in me by Section 119 and Section 217 of the Mississippi Constitution of 1890 and Sections 3975, 8519-81, 8519-82, 8519-83, Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled, do hereby direct The Adjutant General of the State of Mississippi to activate such part of the Mississippi National Guard for such duration as he may deem necessary to assist the civil authorities of Tate County, Mississippi, and the general area thereabout in the search for said child.

The Adjutant General will be in direct command of the troops ordered to active duty and will use such equipment as may be found necessary in his opinion to accomplish the mission of the National Guard troops. The number of troops used and the amount of expense incurred will be held to a minimum compatible with the mission to be performed.

The Adjutant General will be the overall contact and coordinating authority for State agencies in this mission, and the direction of the troops will rest entirely with The Adjutant General, subject to the orders from the Governor.

The members of the Mississippi National Guard ordered to active duty under the provisions of this order shall be subject to the provisions, privileges and immunities of the statutes of the State of Mississippi governing the National Guard and the State Militia where applicable.

The pay and expenses of the troops ordered out will be paid as provided in Sections 8519-43, 8519-87 and 8519-88, Code of Mississippi of 1942.

The officers and enlisted men ordered to active duty will remain on duty until relieved by proper order of The Adjutant General of the State of Mississippi.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I HAVE HEREUNTO  
SET MY HAND AND CAUSED THE GREAT  
SEAL OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI TO  
BE AFFIXED, THIS 23rd DAY OF MARCH,  
A. D. 1971.



GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

*Heber Ladner*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

*Mississippi*  
*Executive Department*  
*Jackson*

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 78

WHEREAS, the State of Mississippi has no single source of information on State, Federal, and local program expenditures and activities in Mississippi; and


WHEREAS, the Federal Government is providing at my request technical assistance to the State of Mississippi in developing an information system, known as the State/Federal Information Exchange System (S/FIXS); and

WHEREAS, Mississippi's State/Federal Information Exchange System will be a State-directed and State-controlled information system, designed to assist all State agencies and officials by providing computerized data on the expenditure of public revenues in Mississippi by program and by geographic location:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi, pursuant to the authority vested in me, do hereby authorize a State/Federal Information Exchange System for Mississippi to be developed and implemented by the Coordinator of Federal-State Programs within the Governor's Office, to become public information, and authorize him and the technical assistance team working under his supervision to collect information and data on program expenditures and activities from agencies receiving and expending public revenues in Mississippi.

I direct that all departments, boards, commissions, and agencies under my jurisdiction render all possible cooperation and assistance to the Coordinator of Federal-State Programs and his representatives in the development and implementation of this program, and I urge all officers and agencies not under my jurisdiction, but receiving the benefits of public revenues and spending public monies, to furnish like cooperation and assistance in this endeavor.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed, the twenty-sixth day of February, A. D., 1971.

  
JOHN BELL WILLIAMS  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:



SECRETARY OF STATE

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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 76

By virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor of the State of Mississippi and pursuant to the Constitution and applicable statutes of the State of Mississippi, Executive Order No. 55 under date of February 10, 1970, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Amend: Section 2, Subsection (a), Executive Order No. 55 dated February 10, 1970, to read as follows:

(a) As non-voting ex officio members, the Executive Officer, State Board of Health; the State Superintendent of Public Education; Program Director, Mississippi Interagency Commission on Mental Illness and Mental Retardation; the Commissioner, State Department of Public Welfare; the Executive Secretary, Mississippi Air and Water Pollution Control Commission; the Executive Director, Mississippi Commission on Hospital Care; and the Executive Director, Mississippi Medicaid Commission; and such other officials or individuals as may be required or allowed by legislation enacted by the United States Congress.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have  
hereunto set my hand and  
caused the Great Seal of  
the State of Mississippi  
to be affixed.

DONE at the Capitol in the City  
of Jackson, this 5th day  
of January, A. D., 1971.

  
JOHN BELL WILLIAMS  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

  
SECRETARY OF STATE



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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 75

WHEREAS, a six-year old retarded child has been lost in Jackson, Hinds County, Mississippi; and

WHEREAS, civil authorities are unable to cope with the matter of the necessary search with the personnel and equipment available to them:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi, pursuant to the authority vested in me by Section 119 and Section 217 of the Mississippi Constitution of 1890 and Sections 3975, 8519-81, 8519-82, 8519-83, Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled, do hereby direct The Adjutant General of the State of Mississippi to order out such part of the Mississippi National Guard for such duration as he may deem necessary to assist the civil authorities in the City of Jackson and Hinds County, Mississippi, and the general area thereabout in the search for said child.

The Adjutant General will be in direct command of the troops ordered to active duty and will use such equipment as may be found necessary in his opinion to accomplish the mission of the National Guard troops. The number of troops used and the amount of expense incurred will be held to a minimum compatible with the mission to be performed.

The Adjutant General will be the overall contact and coordinating authority for State agencies in this mission, and the direction of the troops will rest entirely with The Adjutant General, subject to the orders from the Governor.

The members of the Mississippi National Guard ordered out for duty under the provisions of this order shall be subject to the provisions, privileges and immunities of the statutes of the State of Mississippi governing the National Guard and the State Militia where applicable.

The pay and expenses of the troops ordered out will be paid as provided in Sections 8519-43, 8519-87 and 8519-88, Code of Mississippi of 1942.

The officers and enlisted men ordered out will remain on duty until relieved by proper order of The Adjutant General of the State of Mississippi.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed, this December 4, A. D., 1970.

  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 74

By virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor of the State of Mississippi and pursuant to the Constitution and applicable statutes of the State of Mississippi, Executive Order No. 73, dated September 28, 1970, is hereby amended as follows:

Delete: Paragraph 23, Specific Assignments III, in the attachment to said Executive Order No. 73, in its entirety, including subparagraphs a, b, c, and d; and

Renumber: Paragraphs 24, 25, 26, 27, 28 and 29, Specific Assignments III, in said attachment, as follows:

Paragraph 23, 24, 25, 26, 27 and 28.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto  
set my hand and caused the Great  
Seal of the State of Mississippi  
to be affixed.

DONE at the Capitol in the City of Jackson  
on this 10th day of November,  
A. D., 1970.

  
JOHN BELL WILLIAMS  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 73

WHEREAS, widespread disaster resulting from hurricanes, fires, storms, epidemics, riots or other destructive forces is an ever-present possibility in this State; and

WHEREAS, potential enemies of the United States have the capacity to attack this State and the United States in ever-growing force with conventional, chemical, biological or nuclear weapons; and

WHEREAS, Section 8610.06 of the Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled, empowers the Governor, in fulfilling his civil defense responsibilities, to use, to the maximum extent practicable, the services, equipment, supplies and facilities of the State's departments, offices, agencies and political subdivisions; and

WHEREAS, Section 8610.06 also requires offices and agencies of the State, upon request, to cooperate with and extend their services and facilities to the Governor and the Director of Civil Defense; and

WHEREAS, Section 8610.06 also empowers the Governor to issue and enforce civil defense orders, rules and regulations relating to defense of the State and its people against enemy action or other disaster.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi and as Chairman of the State Civil Defense Council, do hereby order into effect the revised assignment of civil defense functions and responsibilities to departments, offices and agencies of the State of Mississippi set forth in the attachment hereto, pursuant to the provisions of the 1952 Civil Defense Act (Section 8610), and in particular Sections 2 and 6 thereof, the Laws of the United States of America and the National Plan for Emergency Preparedness issued by the President of the United States of America.

All assignment of responsibilities to State offices or agencies in connection with the Civil Defense Program of the State of Mississippi, heretofore made by Executive Order, Administrative Orders or in Operational Orders are hereby superseded except insofar as not inconsistent herewith.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed this 28th day of September, A. D., 1970, at the Capitol in the City of Jackson.

  
JOHN BELL WILLIAMS  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

  
SECRETARY OF STATE



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# Mississippi Executive Department Jackson

## I

### DEFINITIONS

As used in this order:

"Agency" includes any office, department, division, bureau, board, commission or authority of the State or of a political subdivision thereof, including volunteer agencies.

"Attack" means any attack, actual or imminent, or series of attacks by an enemy or a foreign nation upon the United States causing, or which may cause, substantial damage or injury to civilian property or persons in the United States in any manner by sabotage or by the use of bombs, shellfire, or atomic, radiological, chemical, bacteriological, or biological means, or other weapons or processes.

"Civil Defense" includes all those activities and measures designed or undertaken to minimize the effects upon the civilian population caused or which would be caused by an attack, or other disaster, to deal with the immediate emergency conditions which would be created by any such attack, or other disaster, and to effectuate emergency repairs to, or the emergency restoration of, vital utilities and facilities destroyed or damaged by any such attack, or other disaster. Such term shall include, but shall not be limited to: measures to be taken in preparation for anticipated attack, including the establishment of appropriate organizations, operations, operational plans, and supporting agreements, the recruitment and training of personnel, the conduct of research, the procurement and stockpiling of necessary materials, the provision of suitable warning systems, the construction or preparation of shelters, shelter areas, and control centers, and, when appropriate, the non-military evacuation of civil population; measures to be taken during attack, or other disaster, by duly established military or civil authorities, the evacuation of personnel to shelter areas, the control of traffic and panic, and the control and use of lighting and civil communications; and measures to be taken following attack, or other disaster, including activities for fire fighting, rescue, emergency medical, health and sanitation services, monitoring for specific hazards of special weapons, unexploded bomb reconnaissance, essential debris clearance, emergency welfare measures, and immediately essential emergency repair or restoration of damaged vital facilities.

"Emergency" means any period during which the President or the Congress of the United States or the Governor has proclaimed that an emergency exists.

"Law" includes a general or special statute, law, local law, ordinance, resolution, rule, order or rule of common law.

"Political subdivision" includes a county, township, city or village.

"Director of Civil Defense" means State Director of Civil Defense.

"Available resources" means those resources, including personnel, equipment, supplies and facilities, not required for the agency's performance of essential normal functions.



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GENERAL ASSIGNMENTS

A. The executive head of each agency shall be responsible for:

1. Preparing and maintaining written plans for:
  - a. Protecting its personnel, equipment and supplies (including essential records and documents) against the effects of nuclear attack or other disaster.
  - b. Performing, during an enemy attack, such of its essential normal functions as are not inconsistent with its civil defense emergency assignments.
  - c. Assisting other agencies of the State and its political subdivisions in performing civil defense functions.
  - d. Performing such civil defense functions as are required by the State Director of Civil Defense.

Such planning shall include organization of the agency for emergency operations to the extent necessary to carry out effectively the agency's emergency functions, including assignment of emergency duties to all agency subdivisions and personnel.

2. Designating a qualified member of his staff to supervise and coordinate the agency's civil defense planning.
3. Providing additional liaison and staff personnel during emergencies.
4. Advising and giving technical assistance to State and local civil defense organizations and other governmental agencies, helping them to develop and coordinate statewide and local plans for emergency civil defense operations.
5. Maximizing available resources at its command for emergency use during enemy attack or other disaster.
6. Locating, recruiting, training and using auxiliary forces necessary to augment the normal forces of the agency available for emergency operations in cooperation with the Director of Civil Defense.
7. Making the personnel and other resources of his agency available for such necessary training, including test exercises in agency's emergency civil defense functions, as is required by the State Director of Civil Defense.
8. Making its facilities available, to the maximum extent practicable, for use as public fallout shelters or other essential emergency uses.
9. Cooperating with all federal and state agencies in developing and executing civil defense functions.
10. Establishing lines of emergency interim succession for offices within his agency.
11. State Agencies are directed to seek detailed instructions for the implementation of this order from the State Director of Civil Defense.

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SPECIFIC ASSIGNMENTS

- A. Some state agencies have a more definite disaster role than others, and therefore, more operational responsibilities. The following listed agencies are in that category and will render assistance chiefly in the areas indicated:
1. Mississippi Civil Defense Council:
    - a. Command, control and emergency operations.
  2. Director of Civil Defense:
    - a. Coordination of disaster activities of all State agencies and local governments.
    - b. Advise and counsel to State agencies and local governments in the development of statements of agreements and plans for an integrated disaster program.
    - c. Establishing the procedures for action before and after a Presidential declaration of a major disaster.
    - d. Advising the Governor, other State agencies and local government officials as to the threat of disaster, nature and impact of actual disaster and recommended action as to Federal assistance.
    - e. Assisting political subdivisions in disaster affected areas in damage assessment, and in processing claims for contributions if and when Federal contributions are made available for the emergency repair and/or temporary replacement of public facilities under the provisions of Public Laws 875, and 91-79, as amended.
    - f. Maintaining liaison with OEP, Region III, and other Federal Agencies within the State; the Red Cross, the Salvation Army, and other active service organizations in order to accelerate effective disaster operations.
    - g. Implementing the policies of the Governor in disaster situations.
    - h. Keeping all agencies involved in disaster operations fully informed as to actions taken and action required.
    - i. Activate the State Emergency Operating Center as required.
    - j. Assist other State agencies and local political subdivisions in the preparations of their disaster plans and/or standing operating procedures in consonance with this plan.
    - k. In coordination with State agencies concerned, prepare standing operating procedures for the operation of the State Emergency Operating Center (EOC).
    - l. Provide communication support as required.
    - m. Control and disburse disaster assistance funds.

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3. Adjutant General:

As directed by the Governor

4. Aeronautics Commission:

- a. Emergency air transportation, and for operating designated civilian aircraft so as to provide facilities for command, communications, reconnaissance, supply and aerial radiological monitoring.
- b. Planning for emergency use of airports throughout the State.

5. Department of Agriculture and Commerce:

- a. Coordinate emergency control and distribution of food products.
- b. Planning and directing a statewide program for defense against chemical, biological and radiological warfare as it relates to animals, crops and other foodstuffs.
- c. Providing advice and technical assistance to other agencies in developing and coordinating plans for defense against such warfare.
- d. Cooperating with the U. S. Department of Agriculture State Defense Board in making estimates of available and required food supplies in relation to emergency needs; and in determining the use of wholesale stocks made available by the Department of Agriculture during emergencies.
- e. Cooperating with the State Director of Emergency Welfare Services of the State Board of Public Welfare in matters pertaining to mass feeding.
- f. Emergency management of resources pertaining to construction and housing, and functions relating to economic stabilization.
- g. Maintaining inventories of primary, secondary and alternate sources of water; and cooperating with the State Air and Water Pollution Control Commission and State Board of Health, to protect such sources from the effects of radiological, biological and chemical warfare.
- h. Cooperating with the State Board of Health in maintaining an adequate supply of safe water for the State.

6. Agricultural and Industrial Board:

- a. In coordination with other State agencies and local governments, plan and supervise resources management and production.
- b. Coordinate and advise on matters pertaining to industrial civil defense.

7. State Air and Water Pollution Control Commission:

- a. Assist communities with repairs and equipment to restore sewerage systems.

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- e. Gathering, analyzing and publishing labor market information.
- f. Assisting the Director of Civil Defense and other agencies in making inter-agency assignments of emergency duties for personnel.
- g. Maintaining very close liaison with United States Department of Labor and all of its manpower programs.
- h. Recruiting for neighborhood Youth Corps.

Unemployment Compensation Division will function as follows:

- a. Taking claims and paying eligible unemployed workers.
- b. Administering unemployment compensation for ex-servicemen.
- c. Administering unemployment compensation for ex-federal employees.
- d. Register and collect taxes for employers under the provisions of the Employment Security Law.

13. State Fire Marshall:

- a. Advise and assist on matters relating to the origin of unusual urban and rural fires and make such investigation thereof as may appear appropriate.
- b. Provide technical guidance and allocation of equipment and personnel to fire services throughout the State.

14. State Forestry Commission:

- a. Advise and assist on matters relating to fire control in rural and urban areas.
- b. Employ resources as directed to combat fires, perform rescue and lifesaving, debris clearance, and employ communications facilities to augment the State and local communications capability.
- c. Perform radiological monitoring and make damage assessment reports to the State Emergency Operating Center when appropriate.
- d. Furnish intelligence information from the field when appropriate.

15. Game and Fish Commission:

- a. Assist in emergencies by making available the services of its agents and equipment suitable for recovery, communications, protection of life and property, and radiological defense measures.
- b. Make damage assessment reports to the State Emergency Operating Center when appropriate.
- c. Provide auxiliary police as required for law enforcement to State and local officials.
- d. Provide intelligence information from the field as appropriate.

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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 72

WHEREAS, on February 15, 1966, Francis Marion Wilson was sentenced in the Circuit Court of Perry County, Mississippi, to a term of three years in the Mississippi State Penitentiary upon a plea of guilty to the charge of burglary; and

WHEREAS, The Honorable Stanton A. Hall, Circuit Court Judge, suspended the execution of said penitentiary sentence and placed Francis Marion Wilson on probation for a period of three years under the supervision of the Probation and Parole Board of the State of Mississippi; and

WHEREAS, on July 31, 1970, The Honorable Stanton A. Hall, Circuit Court Judge, signed a Discharge Order terminating the probation of Francis Marion Wilson in Case No. 3123 on the docket of the Circuit Court of Perry County, Mississippi, the court of original jurisdiction, discharging him from probationary supervision; and


WHEREAS, under said court order and said Discharge Order, Francis Marion Wilson has fully and completely served his sentence and has been discharged from any further penalty and obligation thereunder; and

WHEREAS, the Probation and Parole Board has presented to the Governor a copy of the written report of the record of said probationer prepared by the probation officer, who found as a fact that Francis Marion Wilson has been living a good and useful life since his discharge.


NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi, by virtue of the power vested in me by Section 4004-27, Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled, do hereby order that any civil rights lost by Francis Marion Wilson by virtue of his plea of guilty and conviction in the Circuit Court of Perry County, Mississippi, in Docket No. 3123, by order entered February 15, 1966, be and the same are hereby restored to Francis Marion Wilson; that a certified copy of this Executive Order be forwarded to the Circuit Clerk of Perry County, Mississippi, for entry on the Docket of said Court and filing in said Cause.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set  
my hand and caused the Great  
Seal of the State of Mississippi  
to be affixed.

DONE at the City of Jackson, in the State of  
Mississippi, on this the first  
day of September, A. D., 1970.

  
JOHN BELL WILLIAMS  
Governor

BY THE GOVERNOR:

  
Secretary of State



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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 71

By virtue of the authority vested in me by Section 8519-13, Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi and Commander-in-Chief of the Army and Air National Guard, do hereby appoint:

MAJOR DONALD B. MORRISON

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AIDE DE CAMP

PERSONAL STAFF OF THE GOVERNOR

to do and perform various quasi-public and and public duties appertaining to the Military Department and the National Guard of the State of Mississippi, as I may prescribe for him personally from time to time or as I may prescribe to be jointly performed by him and other Aides de Camp I am authorized to appoint. All duties to be performed hereunder shall be in addition to those now required by Federal and State statutes and regulations for the maintenance of Federal recognition as an officer in an active reserve component of the regular Armed Forces.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto  
set my hand and caused the Great  
Seal of the State of Mississippi  
to be affixed, on this, the 21st  
day of August, A. D., 1970.

  
GOVERNOR

By the Governor:

  
Secretary of State

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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 70

By virtue of the authority vested in me by Section 8519-13, Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi and Commander-in-Chief of the Army and Air National Guard, do hereby appoint:

FIRST LIEUTENANT WADE E. THORNHILL

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to do and perform various quasi-public and and public duties appertaining to the Military Department and the National Guard of the State of Mississippi, as I may prescribe for him personally from time to time or as I may prescribe to be jointly performed by him and other Aides de Camp I am authorized to appoint. All duties to be performed hereunder shall be in addition to those now required by Federal and State statutes and regulations for the maintenance of Federal recognition as an officer in an active reserve component of the regular Armed Forces.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto  
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day of August, A. D., 1970.

  
GOVERNOR

By the Governor:

  
Secretary of State

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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 69

By virtue of the authority vested in me by Section 8519-13, Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi and Commander-in-Chief of the Army and Air National Guard, do hereby appoint:

COLONEL DANIEL O. LEWMAN

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to do and perform various quasi-public and and public duties appertaining to the Military Department and the National Guard of the State of Mississippi, as I may prescribe for him personally from time to time or as I may prescribe to be jointly performed by him and other Aides de Camp I am authorized to appoint. All duties to be performed hereunder shall be in addition to those now required by Federal and State statutes and regulations for the maintenance of Federal recognition as an officer in an active reserve component of the regular Armed Forces.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed, on this, the 21st day of August, A. D., 1970.

  
GOVERNOR

By the Governor:

  
Secretary of State

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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 68

By virtue of the authority vested in me by Section 8519-13, Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi and Commander-in-Chief of the Army and Air National Guard, do hereby appoint:

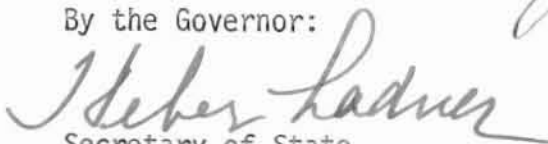
COLONEL WILLIAM A. BROWNE  
MISSISSIPPI AIR NATIONAL GUARD  
AS  
AIDE DE CAMP  
PERSONAL STAFF OF THE GOVERNOR

to do and perform various quasi-public and and public duties appertaining to the Military Department and the National Guard of the State of Mississippi, as I may prescribe for him personally from time to time or as I may prescribe to be jointly performed by him and other Aides de Camp I am authorized to appoint. All duties to be performed hereunder shall be in addition to those now required by Federal and State statutes and regulations for the maintenance of Federal recognition as an officer in an active reserve component of the regular Armed Forces.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed, on this, the 21st day of August, A. D., 1970.

  
GOVERNOR

By the Governor:

  
Secretary of State

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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 67

By virtue of the authority vested in me by Section 8519-13, Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi and Commander-in-Chief of the Army and Air National Guard, do hereby appoint:

MAJOR JOSEPH G. CAMPBELL

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PERSONAL STAFF OF THE GOVERNOR

to do and perform various quasi-public and and public duties appertaining to the Military Department and the National Guard of the State of Mississippi, as I may prescribe for him personally from time to time or as I may prescribe to be jointly performed by him and other Aides de Camp I am authorized to appoint. All duties to be performed hereunder shall be in addition to those now required by Federal and State statutes and regulations for the maintenance of Federal recognition as an officer in an active reserve component of the regular Armed Forces.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto  
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Seal of the State of Mississippi  
to be affixed, on this, the 21st  
day of August, A. D., 1970.

  
GOVERNOR

By the Governor:

  
Secretary of State



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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 66

By virtue of the authority vested in me by Section 8519-13, Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi and Commander-in-Chief of the Army and Air National Guard, do hereby appoint:

COLONEL DELOS H. BURKS

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to do and perform various quasi-public and and public duties appertaining to the Military Department and the National Guard of the State of Mississippi, as I may prescribe for him personally from time to time or as I may prescribe to be jointly performed by him and other Aides de Camp I am authorized to appoint. All duties to be performed hereunder shall be in addition to those now required by Federal and State statutes and regulations for the maintenance of Federal recognition as an officer in an active reserve component of the regular Armed Forces.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed, on this, the 21st day of August, A. D., 1970.

GOVERNOR

By the Governor:

*Heber Ladner*  
Secretary of State

*Mississippi*  
*Executive Department*  
*Jackson*

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 65

By virtue of the authority vested in me by Section 8519-13, Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi and Commander-in-Chief of the Army and Air National Guard, do hereby appoint:

BRIGADIER GENERAL GUY N. ROGERS

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to do and perform various quasi-public and and public duties appertaining to the Military Department and the National Guard of the State of Mississippi, as I may prescribe for him personally from time to time or as I may prescribe to be jointly performed by him and other Aides de Camp I am authorized to appoint. All duties to be performed hereunder shall be in addition to those now required by Federal and State statutes and regulations for the maintenance of Federal recognition as an officer in an active reserve component of the regular Armed Forces.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed, on this, the 21st day of August, A. D., 1970.

  
GOVERNOR

By the Governor:

  
Secretary of State

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... for the maintenance of Federal recognition as an officer in ...  
... of the regular Armed Forces.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto  
set my hand and caused the Great  
Seal of the State of Mississippi  
to be affixed, on this 21st day  
of August, A. D., 1970.

*John B. Huie*

*Heber Ladner*

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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 63

By virtue of the authority vested in me by Section 8519-13, Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi and Commander-in-Chief of the Army and Air National Guard, do hereby appoint:

LIEUTENANT COLONEL GILES W. CRISLER

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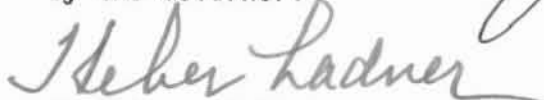
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to do and perform various quasi-public and and public duties appertaining to the Military Department and the National Guard of the State of Mississippi, as I may prescribe for him personally from time to time or as I may prescribe to be jointly performed by him and other Aides de Camp I am authorized to appoint. All duties to be performed hereunder shall be in addition to those now required by Federal and State statutes and regulations for the maintenance of Federal recognition as an officer in an active reserve component of the regular Armed Forces.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto  
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day of August, A. D., 1970.

  
GOVERNOR

By the Governor:

  
Secretary of State

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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 62

By virtue of the authority vested in me by Section 8519-13, Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi and Commander-in-Chief of the Army and Air National Guard, do hereby appoint:

LIEUTENANT COLONEL ROBERT M. DENT, JR.

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AIDE DE CAMP

PERSONAL STAFF OF THE GOVERNOR

to do and perform various quasi-public and and public duties appertaining to the Military Department and the National Guard of the State of Mississippi, as I may prescribe for him personally from time to time or as I may prescribe to be jointly performed by him and other Aides de Camp I am authorized to appoint. All duties to be performed hereunder shall be in addition to those now required by Federal and State statutes and regulations for the maintenance of Federal recognition as an officer in an active reserve component of the regular Armed Forces.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto  
set my hand and caused the Great  
Seal of the State of Mississippi  
to be affixed, on this, the 21st  
day of August, A. D., 1970.

  
GOVERNOR

By the Governor:

  
Secretary of State



*Mississippi*  
*Executive Department*  
*Jackson*

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 61

WHEREAS, under the Federal Poultry Products Inspection Act (21 U. S. C. 451, et seq.), a State is eligible for a cooperative poultry products inspection program only if it has enacted a mandatory State poultry products inspection law which imposes ante-mortem and post-mortem inspection, reinspection and sanitation requirements that are at least equal to those under the Federal Act, with respect to all or certain classes of persons engaged in the State in slaughtering poultry or processing poultry products, for use as human food, solely for distribution within such State; and

WHEREAS, the State of Mississippi desires to enter into such a cooperative program; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Agriculture and Commerce of the State of Mississippi has received Federal funds in the sum of \$757,602.06 for the 1968-70 biennium for the purposes of carrying out the Mississippi's Meat Inspection Act, as authorized by Senate Bill 1830 (Chap. 245), Laws of 1968; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Agriculture and Commerce of the State of Mississippi is inaugurating an inspection program of all persons engaged in the process of slaughtering and processing poultry under the provisions of House Bill 376 (Chap. 237), Laws of 1968, but that the United States Department of Agriculture deems that said Act is insufficient in carrying out the Federal Poultry Products Inspection Act and to receive Federal funds therefor; and

WHEREAS, the Consumer and Marketing Service of the United States Department of Agriculture desires to enter into a State-Federal cooperative agreement under the Wholesome Poultry Product Act of the United States Department of Agriculture and to supply Federal funds therefor, but that the United States Department of Agriculture deems that an Executive Order of the Governor is essential before said agreement can be executed and the Federal funds earmarked for the State-Federal Inspection Program; and

WHEREAS, the Attorney General of the State of Mississippi rendered an official opinion to the Commissioner of Agriculture and Commerce on June 22, 1970, that the State of Mississippi was empowered to enter into the State-Federal Cooperative Agreement and to receive and disperse Federal funds thereunder:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi, pursuant to the authority vested in me, hereby order that no person shall engage at any establishment in the State (except a retail dealer, restaurant, or eating establishment) in slaughtering poultry or processing poultry products, for use as human food, solely for distribution within the State, unless the establishment and the operations and products thereof receive State inspection, including the requirement of ante-mortem and post mortem

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inspection and reinspection and sanitation requirements, for all poultry slaughtered and poultry products processed at such establishment. Such inspection shall be conducted by the Department of Agriculture of this State in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Poultry Products Inspection regulations (7 CFR Part 81) which shall be adopted for such purposes by the Commissioner of Agriculture of this State with such changes as are necessary to make them applicable to the required State inspection and intrastate activities.

It is further ordered that the cost of State inspection rendered under this order shall be borne by the State from appropriations from general revenue funds and Federal contributions under the Federal Poultry Products Inspection Act, except that the cost of overtime and holiday work performed in State establishments subject to this order, at such rates as the Commissioner of Agriculture and Commerce may determine, shall be borne by such establishment.

This order shall become effective on July 15, 1970.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have  
hereunto set my hand and  
caused the Great Seal of the  
State of Mississippi to be  
affixed.

DONE at the Capitol in the City  
of Jackson, on this the 15th  
day of June, A. D., 1970.



BY THE GOVERNOR:

*Heber L. Adams*

SECRETARY OF STATE

*John Bell Williams*  
JOHN BELL WILLIAMS  
GOVERNOR

*Mississippi*  
*Executive Department*  
*Jackson*

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 60

WHEREAS, there is imminent danger on the campus and grounds and in the buildings of Jackson State College, in the City of Jackson, County of Hinds, State of Mississippi, from a riot, mob, unlawful assembly and breach of the peace; and

WHEREAS, I find it to be a fact that the peace officers duly appointed by the Board of Trustees of State Institutions of Higher Learning for said college and the civil authorities of the City of Jackson, Mississippi, are unable to repel or suppress the same, and that the said local officers are in need of aid; and

WHEREAS, certain organizations and individuals are advocating open violence in issuing incendiary statements and are engaging in acts of vandalism which would engender riotous conditions; and

WHEREAS, under such conditions it is the duty of the Governor of the State of Mississippi to order out the Mississippi National Guard, or such part thereof as he deems necessary, for the purpose of enforcing the laws of the State of Mississippi, duly and constitutionally enacted, so that every citizen and all property have the protection of the laws:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi, pursuant to the authority vested in me by Section 119 and Section 217, Mississippi Constitution of 1890, and Sections 3975, 8519-81, 8519-82 and 8519-83, Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled, do hereby direct The Adjutant General of the State of Mississippi to order out such officers and men of the Mississippi National Guard as he deems necessary and requisite and for such duration as he deems appropriate to assist the civil authorities of the City of Jackson, County of Hinds, State of Mississippi, in the protection of life and property, and do direct the use of such forces to assist in preserving law and order on the campus and grounds and in the buildings of Jackson State College in the City of Jackson, Mississippi.

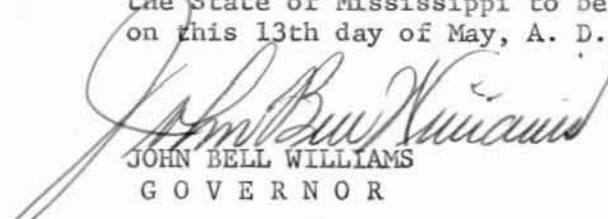
The Adjutant General will be in direct command of the National Guard forces ordered to State emergency duty by this proclamation, and he will use such force of arms as he may deem necessary to accomplish this mission. The Adjutant General is further ordered and directed to use whatever numbers of the Mississippi National Guard as may be necessary to accomplish its mission. The direction of the troops will rest entirely with The Adjutant General, subject to orders from the Governor.


The members of the Mississippi National Guard ordered out for duty under the provisions of this order shall be subject to the provisions, privileges and immunities of the statutes of the State of Mississippi governing the National Guard and State Militia where applicable.

The pay and expenses of the troops ordered out will be paid as provided in Sections 8519-43, 8519-87 and 8519-88, Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled.

The officers and enlisted men ordered out will remain on duty until relieved by proper order of The Adjutant General of Mississippi.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed on this 13th day of May, A. D., 1970.

  
JOHN BELL WILLIAMS  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:  
  
SECRETARY OF STATE

*Mississippi  
Executive Department  
Jackson*

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 59

WHEREAS, the counties of Alcorn and Tippah have been ravished by a disastrous tornado resulting in the loss of life and property; and

WHEREAS, the civil authorities are unable to cope with the matter with the personnel and equipment available to them:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi, pursuant to the authority vested in me by Section 119 and Section 217 of the Mississippi Constitution of 1890, and Sections 3975, 8519-81, 8519-82 and 8519-83, Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled, do hereby direct The Adjutant General of the State of Mississippi to order out such officers and men of the Mississippi National Guard as he deems necessary and requisite and for such duration as he deems appropriate to assist the civil authorities in the areas affected by the results of the tornado which struck the above-named counties approximately at noon on April 19, 1970.

The Adjutant General will be in direct command of the National Guard forces ordered to State emergency duty by this proclamation, and he will use such force of arms as he may deem necessary to accomplish this mission.

The Adjutant General is further ordered and directed to use whatever numbers of the Mississippi National Guard as may be necessary to accomplish its mission. The direction of the troops will rest entirely with The Adjutant General, subject to orders from the Governor.

The members of the Mississippi National Guard ordered out for duty under the provisions of this order shall be subject to the provisions, privileges and immunities of the statutes of the State of Mississippi governing the National Guard and State Militia where applicable.

The pay and expenses of the troops ordered out will be paid as provided in Sections 8519-43, 8519-87 and 8519-88, Mississippi Code of 1942.

The officers and enlisted men ordered out will remain on duty until relieved by proper order of The Adjutant General of Mississippi.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed.

DONE at the Capitol in Jackson, on this April 20, A. D., 1970.

  
JOHN BELL WILLIAMS  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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Jackson*

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 58

WHEREAS, the employment of John Cauthen by the State Game and Fish Commission was suspended with pay effective February 16, 1970, and proper notice thereof was given; and

WHEREAS, the State Game and Fish Commission set a date for a hearing before the Commission and the Governor, and the said John Cauthen was notified in writing of the date of such hearing, and of the charges filed against him; and

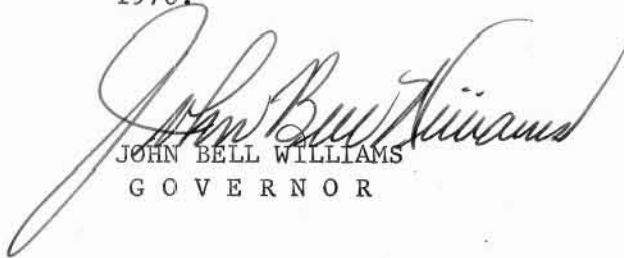
WHEREAS, not less than ten days after the notification of the date of said hearing and the charges preferred, said hearing was held at such time and the said John Cauthen presented himself pro se; and

WHEREAS, on April 7, 1970, the State Game and Fish Commission, after hearing testimony and considering the charges, by a majority vote recommended to the Governor that the charges were well-founded; and that his credit record is such as to reflect disparagingly on the Commission, which is in direct violation of Commission rules and regulations, and because he will not follow instructions from his supervisor, which is contrary to Commission rules and regulations; and his employment should be terminated:


NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi, pursuant to the authority vested in me, do hereby concur in the findings of the State Game and Fish Commission in this cause, based upon said proceedings held before me and the State Game and Fish Commission, and I do hereby make final the decision to terminate the employment of John Cauthen with the State Game and Fish Commission.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed.

DONE at the City of Jackson in the Capitol on this April 9, A. D., 1970.

  
JOHN BELL WILLIAMS  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

  
SECRETARY OF STATE



*Mississippi*  
*Executive Department*  
*Jackson*

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 57

WHEREAS, the conditions existing in Rankin County, Mississippi, caused by the blowing gas well burning and emitting noxious gases of such grave nature as to result in imminent danger to life and property in the area, requiring the evacuation of large numbers of citizens ; and

WHEREAS, civil authorities are unable to cope with the emergency matter, with the personnel and equipment available to them:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi, pursuant to the authority vested in me by Sections 119, 123, and 217 of the Mississippi Constitution of 1890, and Sections 3975, 8519-11, 8519-81, 8519-83, 8519-86, and 8519-125, of the Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled, do hereby direct The Adjutant General of the State of Mississippi to order out such part of the Mississippi National Guard for such duration as he may deem necessary to assist the civil authorities in the areas affected by the results of the burning gas well emitting noxious gases in the evacuation and housing of refugees and traffic control, to preserve order, and to protect lives and property.

The Adjutant General will be in direct command of the troops ordered to active duty and will use such force of arms as may be found necessary in his opinion to accomplish the mission of the National Guard troops. The number of troops used and the amount of expense incurred will be held to a minimum compatible with the mission to be performed.

The Governor will be the overall contact and coordinating authority for State agencies in preserving law and order; tactical direction of the troops will rest entirely with The Adjutant General, subject to orders from the Governor.

The members of the Mississippi National Guard ordered out for duty under the provisions of this order shall be subject to the provisions, privileges and immunities of the statutes of the State of Mississippi governing the National Guard and State militia where applicable.


The pay and expenses of the troops ordered out will be paid as provided in Sections 8519-43 and 8519-87, Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled.

The officers and enlisted men ordered out will remain on duty until relieved by proper order of The Adjutant General of Mississippi.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed, this 25th day of March, A. D., 1970.

  
JOHN BELL WILLIAMS  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 56

WHEREAS, on March 24, 1969, the Division of Law Enforcement Assistance of the Office of the Governor, was created by Executive Order No. 44 to serve as the State Planning Agency for conduction of programs under Public Law 90-351, cited as the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968; and

WHEREAS, Title I, Part C of the Act, requires the Division to "adequately take into account the needs and requests of the units of general local government in the state and encourage local initiative in the development of programs and projects for improvement in law enforcement..."; and

WHEREAS, it is the intention of the State of Mississippi, whenever possible, to assist the Division of Law Enforcement Assistance in its attempts to strengthen and improve the law enforcement and criminal justice system; and

WHEREAS, it is the opinion of the State of Mississippi that the interest of local participation in the program can best be served by revising the current divisional structure pertaining to law enforcement assistance planning and development areas:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, JOHN BELL WILLIAMS, as Governor of the State of Mississippi, pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Constitution and laws of this State, do hereby create the following four law enforcement assistance regions, effecting statewide participation of local jurisdictions, with attendant councils composed of local representatives of police, courts, corrections, county and municipal government and the general public:

Region I to consist of Alcorn, Benton, Calhoun, Chickasaw, Clay, Coahoma, DeSoto, Itawamba, Lafayette, Lee, Lowndes, Marshall, Monroe, Panola, Pontotoc, Prentiss, Quitman, Tallahatchie, Tate, Tippah, Tishomingo, Tunica, Union, Webster and Yalobusha counties.

Region II to consist of Attala, Bolivar, Carroll, Choctaw, Grenada, Holmes, Humphreys, Kemper, Lauderdale, Leake, Leflore, Montgomery, Neshoba, Newton, Noxubee, Oktibbeha, Scott, Sunflower, Washington, and Winston counties.

Region III to consist of Adams, Amite, Claiborne, Copiah, Franklin, Hinds, Issaquena, Jefferson, Lincoln, Madison, Pike, Rankin, Sharkey, Simpson, Warren, Wilkinson, and Yazoo counties.

Region IV to consist of Clarke, Covington, Forrest, George, Green, Hancock, Harrison, Jackson, Jasper, Jefferson Davis, Jones, Lamar, Lawrence, Marion, Pearl River, Perry, Smith, Stone, Walthall, and Wayne counties.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed.

DONE in the City of Jackson this  
3rd day of March, A. D., 1970.

  
GOVERNOR

By the Governor:

  
Secretary of State

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*Executive Department*  
*Jackson*

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 55

WHEREAS, the health of all our citizens is prominent among our individual and collective concerns; and

WHEREAS, there is within the State an array of health resources, public and private, which foster the attainment of good health through the promotion of physical and mental health and environmental safety and protection; and

WHEREAS, the magnitude and complexity of coordinating our resources and planning cooperative efforts with the aim of comprehensive health services, especially as reflected in new Federal programs related to personal health care and to the protection of the environment, strongly indicate the necessity for a State-wide health planning advisory council to assure cooperative leadership and coordinated planning among official and non-official agencies, health service providers, educational institutions and other groups active in health service programs; and

WHEREAS, I as Governor, recognizing these developments, have previously designated the Division of Comprehensive Health Planning, Office of the Governor, as the single State agency for leadership and coordination of Comprehensive Health Planning in Mississippi under Public Law 89-749, Section 314(a), and I have named a Director to serve as administrator of the Division of Comprehensive Health Planning;

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the authority granted to the Governor under the Constitution and laws of the State of Mississippi and in furtherance of the intent and purposes of Comprehensive Health Planning, I do hereby establish:

SECTION 1. A State Health Planning Advisory Council which will advise, counsel and assist the Division of Comprehensive Health Planning in its ongoing health planning process and activities. The Council will study and review health surveys, studies and reports related to the assessment of health problems and needs; it will generally recommend broad health goals and policies to include priorities for action; it will review and relate health project applications to its established goals and priorities; it will review and assist the Division in the development of policies for areawide or local health planning, and finally it will review each year the State Plan for Comprehensive Health Planning.

SECTION 2. The membership of the State Health Planning Advisory Council shall consist of the following:

- a) As non-voting ex officio members, the Executive Officer, State Board of Health; the State Superintendent of Public Education; Program Director, Mississippi Interagency Commission on Mental Illness and Mental Retardation; the Commissioner, State Department of Public Welfare; the Executive Secretary, Mississippi Air and Water Pollution Control Commission; the Executive Director, Mississippi Commission on Hospital Care; and the Executive Director, Mississippi Medicaid Commission.

- b) Sixteen (16) providers of health services.
- c) Seventeen (17) consumers of health services.

SECTION 3. With the exception of those members named in Subsection (a) of the preceding Section, the members of the Council shall serve for terms of four (4) years and until their successors are appointed and qualified, except for the original appointments which shall be for terms of office as follows:

Eight members for terms expiring July 1, 1971.

Eight members for terms expiring July 1, 1972.

Eight members for terms expiring July 1, 1973.

Nine members for terms expiring July 1, 1974.

Vacancies shall be filled for the unexpired terms in the same manner as original appointments, and the balance of consumer-provider representation shall be maintained.

SECTION 4. The Governor shall appoint all members and a chairman and vice chairman of the Council.

SECTION 5. The Council shall hold regular meetings twice a year and special meetings on call of the chairman of the Council, or upon petition of eight members of the Council. Non-members may attend meetings at the invitation of the Director of the Division of Comprehensive Health Planning or the Chairman of the Council.

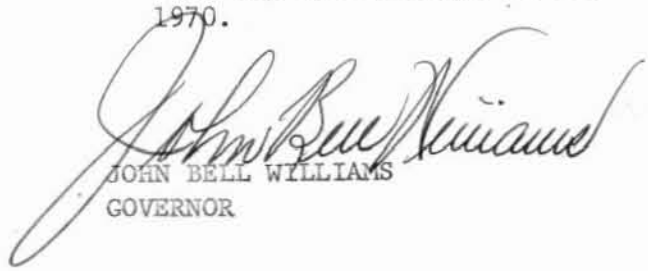
SECTION 6. Members of the Council shall serve without pay, but shall be reimbursed for necessary and actual expenses.

SECTION 7. The Council shall have authority to seek specialized consultation through the formation of study committees including non-Council representatives as it may deem necessary in the execution of its responsibilities and/or through a request to the Division of Comprehensive Health Planning for employment of technical staff consultants.

SECTION 8. The Council shall make an annual report to the Governor on its work during the preceding year and therein recommend for his consideration any matters needing executive or legislative action affecting the health of our citizens.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed.

DONE at the City of Jackson, this  
10th day of February, A. D.,  
1970.

  
JOHN BELL WILLIAMS  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR

  
SECRETARY OF STATE

*Mississippi*  
*Executive Department*  
*Jackson*

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 54

WHEREAS, the Governor's Emergency Council, created under Executive Order No. 49, has recommended the appointment of certain additional members to the Council; and

WHEREAS, the Council's action was in turn based upon certain specific, written recommendations communicated to it by Mr. Fred LaRue, acting for and under the authority of the President of the United States in his capacity as Special Consultant to the President of the United States as vested in him by the President's "MEMORANDUM FOR HEADS OF EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS AND AGENCIES," under date of September 16, 1969, as recorded on Page 14513 of the Federal Register Volume 34, No. 179, dated Thursday, September 18, 1969:

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor of the State of Mississippi and pursuant to the Constitution and applicable statutes of the State of Mississippi, it is hereby ordered as follows:

SECTION I. That Executive Order No. 49, as amended by Executive Order No. 51, be hereby further amended to add the following-named members to the Council, as set forth in Section 2 thereof, viz:

Mrs. James O. Cagle  
Dr. Douglas L. Conner  
Dr. Gilbert Mason  
Captain Elliott Ranney  
H. C. Trevillion

Columbia, Mississippi  
Starkville, Mississippi  
Biloxi, Mississippi  
Pass Christian, Mississippi  
Pascagoula, Mississippi

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed.

DONE at the Capitol in the City of Jackson on this the 31st day of December, A. D., 1969.

  
JOHN BELL WILLIAMS  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

  
SECRETARY OF STATE



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Executive Department  
Jackson*

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 53

WHEREAS, Hurricane Camille had such a tremendous economic impact upon the forest products industry in the State of Mississippi, it was essential for the State government to take action to promote the general welfare of that sector of the State's economy; and

WHEREAS, oversight of the problems of harvest, salvage, fire prevention and reforestation of the damaged and destroyed timber and pulpwood was necessary to develop an efficient and expeditious plan for solving these problems:

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor of the State of Mississippi and pursuant to the Constitution and applicable statutes of the State of Mississippi, it is hereby ordered as follows:

SECTION 1. There is hereby created and established as of August 25, 1969, a State Council to be known as the "Governor's Forest Disaster Salvage Council," to consist of sixteen members, broadly representative of all sectors of the forest products industry, to be appointed by the Governor from among those widely known for their competence and experience, to serve at the pleasure of the Governor. Members of the Council shall serve without compensation.


SECTION 2. The following shall be members of the "Governor's Forest Disaster Salvage Council:

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SECTION 4. It shall be the duty of every department, agency, office and institution of the State of Mississippi and the officers thereof, to cooperate with and assist the Council in every reasonable way.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set  
my hand and caused the Great Seal of  
the State of Mississippi to be  
affixed.

DONE at the Capitol in the City of  
Jackson on this the 16th day of  
December, A. D., 1969.



*John Bell Williams*  
JOHN BELL WILLIAMS  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

*Hubert L. Adams*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

*Mississippi*  
*Executive Department*  
*Jackson*

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 52

WHEREAS, The State of Mississippi operates with a budget representing millions of dollars in expenditures each year and utilizes a variety of offices, agencies, boards, commissions and departments under diverse legal, administrative and executive controls; and

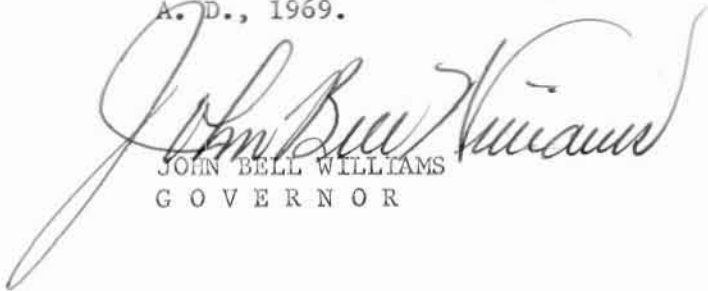
WHEREAS, The State of Mississippi has no single agency responsible for a continuing review of management practices in all facets of State government; and

WHEREAS, The State of Mississippi has a tradition of utilizing private and civic-minded citizens for important public projects, and the citizens of Mississippi have an equal tradition of service to the State:

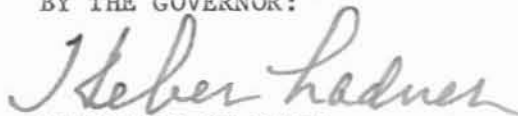
NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi, pursuant to the authority vested in me, do hereby create the Mississippi Task Force on Government Efficiency and Economy, to be composed entirely of members selected from the lay and business sectors of the State of Mississippi, to analyze State business practices and to make recommendations based upon that study.

I direct that all departments, boards, commissions and agencies under my jurisdiction render all possible cooperation and assistance to the members and representatives of this Committee, and I urge all officers and agencies not under my jurisdiction, but receiving the benefits of public revenues and spending public monies, to furnish like cooperation and assistance.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed, the First day of December, A. D., 1969.

  
JOHN BELL WILLIAMS  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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*Executive Department*  
*Jackson*


EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 51

By virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor of the State of Mississippi and pursuant to the Constitution and applicable statutes of the State of Mississippi, Executive Order No. 49, of September 6, 1969, is hereby amended by adding the following:

SECTION 5. The Council is authorized and empowered to contract for, solicit, receive and expend Federal, State and other funds, whether private or public, in carrying out its duties.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed.

DONE at the Capitol in the City of Jackson on this 31st day of October A. D., 1969.



*John Bell Williams*  
JOHN BELL WILLIAMS  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

*Heber Hadner*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 49

WHEREAS, Hurricane Camille had such a tremendous economic impact upon the entire State of Mississippi, it is essential for the State government to take action to promote the general welfare of the entire State; and

WHEREAS, the responsibility is reposed in the Governor as Chief Executive of the State government to continue to cope with the problems resulting therefrom and connected therewith; and

WHEREAS, it is essential that an orderly, diligent and objective study be made as expeditiously as feasible to ascertain what avenues may be open to the people of Mississippi in seeking achievement of their goals; and

WHEREAS, it is the purpose of this Order and the policy of the State that all present plans and future programs involving the revitalizing of a stricken area of our State be coordinated with comparable functions of the Federal Government, including its various departments, agencies of our State government, and all private agencies in order that the most effective, efficient and productive participation may be made by the State of Mississippi in this area;

NOW THEREFORE, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor of the State of Mississippi; and pursuant to the Constitution and applicable statutes of the State of Mississippi; it is hereby ordered as follows:

SECTION 1. There is hereby created and established a State Council to be known as the "Governor's Emergency Council" to consist of ten members, broadly representative of all sectors of the State, to be appointed by the Governor from among citizens of Mississippi widely known for their competence and experience, to serve at the pleasure of the Governor. Members of the Council shall serve without compensation.

SECTION 2. The following shall be members of the "Governor's Emergency Council":

J. Harold Bidby  
Grenada, Mississippi

Russ M. Johnson  
Jackson, Mississippi

Edmund L. Brunini  
Jackson, Mississippi

Ken Layton  
Gulfport, Mississippi

Gil Carmichael  
Meridian, Mississippi

Sidney Levingston  
Ruleville, Mississippi

Alf Dantzler  
Pascagoula, Mississippi

J. R. Scribner  
Amory, Mississippi

Robert M. Hearin  
Jackson, Mississippi

Leo Seal  
Bay St. Louis, Mississippi

SECTION 3. The Council shall have the following duties:

a. To make an immediate determination of all factors that relate to the long range development of the affected area and to correlate such factors to the economy and development of the entire State.



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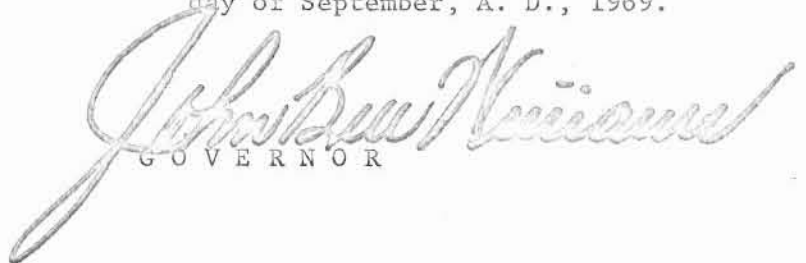
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- b. To explore in detail and in depth all available avenues of assistance, both public and private; and to bring into focus the aims, aspirations and needs of our people.
- c. To make specific recommendations of the most efficient and effective roles that should be played by local and State governments in cooperation with the Federal Government and private interests, to the end that the total resources of all might be mobilized swiftly and decisively to accomplish this objective.
- d. To recommend a comprehensive plan for the accomplishment of the maximum long range development of the area's recreational, cultural and economic life.

SECTION 4. It shall be the duty of every department, agency, office, institution and political subdivision of the State of Mississippi and the officers thereof, to cooperate with and assist the Council in every reasonable way.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto  
set my hand and caused the Great  
Seal of the State of Mississippi  
to be affixed.

DONE in the City of Jackson this 6th  
day of September, A. D., 1969.

  
GOVERNOR

By the Governor:

  
Secretary of State



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*Executive Department*  
*Jackson*

EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBER 48

WHEREAS, conditions existing on the Gulf Coast and inland parts of the State of Mississippi caused by HURRICANE CAMILLE are of such grave nature as to result in imminent danger of the loss of life and property, the breakdown of public utilities and communications and the congestion of vehicles; and

WHEREAS, civil authorities are unable to cope with the matter with the personnel and equipment available to them:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi, pursuant to the authority vested in me by Section 119 and Section 217 of the Mississippi Constitution of 1890, and Section 8576 of the Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled, do hereby direct The Adjutant General of the State of Mississippi to order out such part of the Mississippi National Guard for such duration as he may deem necessary to assist the civil authorities in the areas affected by the results of HURRICAN CAMILLE in the evacuation and housing of flood refugees and traffic control, to restore and preserve order, and to protect lives and property.

The Adjutant General will be in direct command of the troops ordered to active duty and will use such force of arms as may be found necessary in his opinion to accomplish the mission of the National Guard troops. The number of troops used and the amount of expense incurred will be held to a minimum compatible with the mission to be performed.

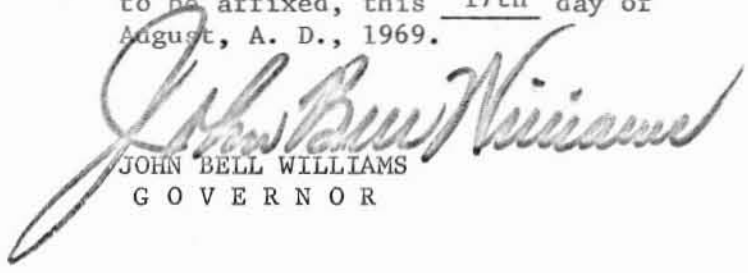
The Governor will be the overall contact and coordinating authority for State agencies in preserving law and order; tactical direction of the troops will rest entirely with the Adjutant General, subject to orders from the Governor.

The members of the Mississippi National Guard ordered out for duty under the provisions of this order shall be subject to the provisions, privileges and immunities of the statutes of the State of Mississippi governing the National Guard and State Militia where applicable.

The pay and expenses of the troops ordered out will be paid as provided in Sections 8519-43, 8519-87 and 8519-88, Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled.

The officers and enlisted men ordered out will remain on duty until relieved by proper order of The Adjutant General of Mississippi.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed, this 17th day of August, A. D., 1969.

  
JOHN BELL WILLIAMS  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

  
SECRETARY OF STATE



*Mississippi*  
*Executive Department*  
*Jackson*

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 47

By virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor of the State of Mississippi, and pursuant to the Constitution and applicable statutes of the State of Mississippi, Section 4 of Executive Order No. 45 of April 10, 1969, as amended by Executive Order No. 46 of May 22, 1969, is further amended as follows:

4. Add: Dr. Gordon Gunter, Ocean Springs, Director, Gulf Coast Research Laboratory



IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed.

DONE in the city of Jackson this 25th day of June, 1969.

G O V E R N O R

By the Governor:

*Heber L. Ladd*  
Secretary of State

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Executive Department  
Jackson

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 46

By virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor of the State of Mississippi, and pursuant to the Constitution and applicable statutes of the State of Mississippi, Section 4 of Executive Order No. 45 of April 10, 1969, is amended as follows:

4. Delete: Jackson M. Balch, Pass Christian, Manager, Mississippi Test Facility - NASA
4. Add: Donald J. Cuevas, Gulfport, Mississippi Power Company  
William J. Demoran, Ocean Springs, Gulf Coast Research Laboratory  
Louis A. Fayard, Ocean Springs, Mississippi Development Company, Incorporated  
H. Hardin Shattuck, Bay St. Louis, Sea Coast Electric Power Association

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed.

DONE in the city of Jackson this 22nd day of May, 1969.

  
GOVERNOR

By the Governor:

  
Secretary of State

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*Executive Department*  
*Jackson*

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 45

By virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor of the State of Mississippi, and pursuant to the Constitution and applicable statutes of the State of Mississippi, it is hereby ordered as follows:

1. There is hereby created and established within the Mississippi Agricultural and Industrial Board the Mississippi Council for the Development of Marine Resources until such time as enabling legislation is adopted to establish the Mississippi Council for the Development of Marine Resources.

2. Because of the existing and increasing opportunities to the State of Mississippi through participation in the field of Oceanographics, it is essential that an orderly and diligent study be made of what avenues are open to the people of Mississippi in their achievement of their goals in this field.

The purpose of this procedure is to provide for the rendering of mutual aid between educational institutions and the Marine Resources Council and with the Federal government with respect to providing suitable skilled professionals and labor in this area of development and the taking of such steps as necessary and appropriate to carry out the provisions of this Order.

It is further declared to be the purpose of this Order and the policy of the State that all present plans and future programs involving the field of marine sciences be coordinated with comparable functions of the Federal government, including its various departments, and agencies of other states and localities and all private agencies so that the most effective, efficient and economical participation by the State of Mississippi may be made in the field of marine resources.

3. The Executive Director of the Mississippi Agricultural and Industrial Board shall be the administrator of the Council.

Such technical, administrative, stenographic, clerical and other personnel in the employ of the Mississippi Agricultural and Industrial Board and compensated thereby shall be made available to the Council in the performance of its duties.

4. The members of the Mississippi Council for the Development of Marine Resources shall serve in an advisory capacity to the Governor and to the Mississippi Agricultural and Industrial Board.

They shall have such powers and responsibilities as may be designated by this Order. The Governor shall serve as Chairman of the Council; the Vice Chairman of the Council shall be appointed by the Governor; the following shall be members of the Council:



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Governor John Bell Williams, Chairman

Jackson M. Balch, Pass Christian, Manager, Miss. Test Facility-NASA

James O. Cagle, Columbia, Pearl River Electric Power Association

A. F. Dantzler, Pascagoula, Dantzler Boat & Barge Company

William Dorsett, Biloxi, Manager, Broadwater Beach Hotel

Brad Dye, Jr., Jackson, Executive Director, Mississippi A & I Board

Robert B. Everett, Jackson, Chairman of the Board, Fox-Everett  
Insurance Company

F. M. Fortenberry, Jackson, Junior College Board

Porter Fortune, Oxford, Chancellor, University of Mississippi

Ellis B. Gardner, Pascagoula, President, Ingalls Shipbuilding Company

William Giles, Starkville, President, Mississippi State University

John K. Gresham, Greenville, Manager, WJPR

David Halbrook, Belzoni, Mississippi House of Representatives

Martin R. McLendon, Jackson, Assistant Attorney General, State of  
Mississippi

W. D. McCain, Hattiesburg, President, University of Southern Mississippi

John R. Picard, Pass Christian, General Manager, General Electric  
Support Department, Mississippi Test Facility

Ben Stone, Gulfport, Mississippi State Senate

E. E. Thrash, Jackson, Executive Secretary and Director, Board of  
Trustees, Institutions of Higher Learning

W. Calvin Wells, Jackson, Attorney, Research & Development Council  
Member

The Governor may appoint in such numbers as he deems advisable additional members of the Council. Members of the Council other than State officials shall serve without compensation, but may be reimbursed for their reasonable and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of their duties.

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5. The Council shall have the following duties, powers and responsibilities and others as deemed necessary by the Governor and the Mississippi Agricultural and Industrial Board:

a. To Coordinate the activities of all State boards, commissions, agencies, institutions and offices.

b. To advise departments, agencies, institutions, offices and subdivisions of State government thereof as it deems advisable.

c. To consolidate all efforts in the field of marine resources and the services of State departments, agencies, offices, institutions and subdivisions of State government so far as practical and to provide for their joint efforts.

d. To assume management of any available programs related to the Federal government in the field of marine resources.

e. To apply for, receive, hold and allocate and, if appropriate, to assist State departments, agencies, offices, institutions and political subdivisions of State government in applying for, receiving or holding such authorizations, licenses and grants as are necessary and proper to carry out the purposes of this Order.

f. To cooperate with the various agencies of the Federal government engaged in the programs involving marine resources, especially with the research facilities of the NASA-Mississippi Test Facility.

g. To study in detail and in depth the subject of Oceanography as it relates to the State of Mississippi and to report to the Governor the results and recommendations developed through the study.

6. It shall be the duty of every department, agency, office, institution and political subdivision of the State of Mississippi and the officers thereof to cooperate with and assist the Council in every reasonable way.

7. The Governor and the Council shall have general direction and control over the activities of the Council and shall be responsible for carrying out the provisions of this Order.

8. The Council is hereby authorized to receive services, gifts, contributions, property and equipment from public and private sources to be utilized in the carrying out of its functions.

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9. The Governor, the Council and the Mississippi Agricultural and Industrial Board are authorized to enter into agreements with the Federal government for the purpose of realizing Mississippi's full potential in the area of marine resources.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto  
set my hand and caused the Great  
Seal of the State of Mississippi  
to be affixed.

DONE in the City of Jackson this 10th  
day of April, 1969.

*John B. McRae*  
GOVERNOR

By the Governor:

*Heber Ladner*  
Secretary of State

*Mississippi*  
*Executive Department*  
*Jackson*

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 44

WHEREAS, on June 19, 1968, Public Law 90-351, cited as the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968, was signed into law; and

WHEREAS, the Act provides for increased Federal aid to State and local law enforcement agencies through a comprehensive program of planning grants, action grants, research, demonstration and educational aid designed to strengthen and improve the Nation's crime control and effectiveness; and

WHEREAS, to qualify for aid, the State of Mississippi must establish and maintain a State Planning Agency for purposes of carrying out the provisions of the Act; and

WHEREAS, Title I, Part B of the Act, requires that "such agency shall be created or designated by the chief executive of the State and shall be subject to his jurisdiction"; and

WHEREAS, it is the intention of the State of Mississippi to stimulate, wherever possible, the process of strengthening and improving its law enforcement and criminal justice system;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, JOHN BELL WILLIAMS, as Governor of the State of Mississippi, pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Constitution and laws of this State, do hereby establish within the Governor's Office the Division of Law Enforcement Assistance.

The Division of Law Enforcement Assistance shall design, develop, and provide for an on-going State law enforcement planning operation to carry out and support the requirements of the Act; prepare, develop, and revise comprehensive plans based on an evaluation of law enforcement problems within the State; establish priorities for law enforcement improvement in the State, and encourage grant proposals from State and local units of government for law enforcement planning and improvement efforts; evaluate local applications for aid and award funds to local units of government; encourage district-wide planning efforts, action projects, and cooperative arrangements, and provide oversight and evaluation of the total State effort in plan implementation; collect statistics and other data relevant to the law enforcement planning effort; develop programs for crime prevention and citizen action; analyze the needs of police prosecutors, defense attorneys, courts, the correctional processes, and offenders, and define the direction, scope, and general types of improvements to be made; develop programs and projects, or apply recent innovations and advanced techniques to improve the physical and human factors and provide direct staff assistance to State and local law enforcement agencies and units of general government.

State departments, agencies and institutions are requested and urged to cooperate in every way with the Division of Law Enforcement Assistance by providing information and assistance.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand  
and caused the Great Seal of the State of  
Mississippi to be affixed.

DONE at the City of Jackson, this 24th day of  
March, A. D., 1969.

  
GOVERNOR

ATTEST:



SECRETARY OF STATE

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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 43

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WHEREAS, under the provisions of Section 8082, Mississippi Code of 1942, when so directed by the Governor, the powers and duties of the Highway Safety Patrol may be extended to the enforcement of any of the laws of this State upon any of the highways or public roads thereof; and

WHEREAS, a request of the Board of Supervisors of Washington County, Mississippi, has been made to the Governor to direct the Highway Safety Patrol to enforce the traffic laws upon a particular public road under their jurisdiction; and

WHEREAS, the Governor is desirous of promoting traffic safety throughout the State:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi, pursuant to the authority vested in me by Section 8082, Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled, do hereby direct the Highway Safety Patrol to enforce all the provisions of Paragraphs No. 1 and 2 of said Section 8082 on the dates and at the place as follows:

At such time as the District Inspector determines necessary on the road formerly constituted as Highway No. 61, approximately eight (8) miles in length, extending from the south municipal limits of Arcola, Mississippi, to the north municipal limits of Hollandale, Mississippi.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed.

DONE at the City of Jackson in the State of Mississippi on this the 24th day of March, A. D., 1969.

  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

  
SECRETARY OF STATE



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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 41

WHEREAS, under the provisions of House Bill No. 905, 1968 Regular Session of the Legislature, the Governor of the State of Mississippi is authorized to grant prior permission to a State employee to be absent from his work in addition to the authorized leaves of absence for official business, vacation and sickness; and

WHEREAS, the Governor is desirous of promoting the efficiency in operation of each segment of State government; and

WHEREAS, the heads of all agencies, boards, commissions, departments and institutions are best qualified to determine the necessity for a leave of absence in excess of those provided for in said House Bill No. 905:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi, pursuant to the authority vested in me by House Bill No. 905, 1968 Regular Session of the Legislature, and Section 3975, Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled, do hereby grant advance permission for any State employee to be absent from his office or place of official business, without loss of compensation, in excess of accumulated sick leave, where such absence is approved in writing accompanying payroll requisitions by the head of his agency, board, commission, department or institution under the following circumstances only:

1. Absence due to the death of a member of the immediate family of the employee, the time thereof to be reasonable under all the circumstances. A member of the immediate family shall include husband, wife, mother, father, sister, brother, child, grandchild and grandparent.
2. An absence due to the critical illness of a member of the immediate family of the employee, as defined in the foregoing section, the time thereof to be reasonable under the circumstances.
3. An absence exceeding earned sick leave which is a part of the recognized and approved sick-leave policies for universities and colleges as established throughout their official associations.
4. Any other request for permission for an absence in excess of earned leave will be considered by the Governor upon proper application duly recommended by the head of an agency, board, commission, department or institution.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto  
set my hand and caused the Great  
Seal of the State of Mississippi  
to be affixed.

DONE at the City of Jackson, in the  
State of Mississippi, on this the  
27th day of January, 1969.

GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

SECRETARY OF STATE

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*Executive Department*  
*Jackson*

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 40

WHEREAS, the counties of Covich, Scott, Simpson and Smith have been ravished by a disastrous tornado resulting in the loss of life and property; and

WHEREAS, civil authorities are unable to cope with the matter with the personnel and equipment available to them:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi, pursuant to the authority vested in me by Section 119 and Section 217, of the Mississippi Constitution of 1890, and Sections 3975, 8519-81, 8519-82, and 8519-83, Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled, do hereby direct The Adjutant General of the State of Mississippi to order out such officers and men of the Mississippi National Guard as he deems necessary and requisite and for such duration as he deems appropriate to assist the civil authorities in the areas affected by the results of the tornado which struck the above-named counties early in the morning of January 23, 1969, in the housing and feeding of people affected thereby.

The Adjutant General will be in direct command of the National Guard forces ordered to State emergency duty by this proclamation, and he will use such force of arms as he may deem necessary to accomplish this mission.

The Adjutant General is further ordered and directed to use whatever numbers of the Mississippi National Guard as may be necessary to accomplish its mission. The direction of the troops will rest entirely with The Adjutant General.

The members of the Mississippi National Guard ordered out for duty under provisions of this order shall be subject to the provisions, privileges and immunities of the statutes of the State of Mississippi governing the National Guard and State Militia where applicable.

The pay and expenses of the troops ordered out will be paid as provided in Sections 8519-43, 8519-87 and 8519-88, Mississippi Code of 1942.

The officers and enlisted men ordered out will remain on duty until relieved by proper order of The Adjutant General of Mississippi.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed, this 24th day of January, A. D., 1969.

*John Bell Williams*  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

*Heber Ladner*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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*Jackson*

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 38

WHEREAS, on November 24, 1961, Raymond Dossett (also known as Charles Raymond Dossett) was sentenced in the Circuit Court of Forrest County, Mississippi, to a term of four years in the Mississippi State Penitentiary upon a plea of guilty to the charge of burglary and grand larceny; and

WHEREAS, The Honorable Stanton A. Hall, Circuit Court Judge, suspended the execution of said penitentiary sentence and placed Raymond Dossett (also known as Charles Raymond Dossett) on probation for four years under the supervision of the Probation and Parole Board of the State of Mississippi; and

WHEREAS, on April 9, 1964, The Honorable Stanton A. Hall, Circuit Court Judge, signed a Discharge Order terminating the probation of Raymond Dossett (also known as Charles Raymond Dossett) in Case No. 6012 on the docket of the Circuit Court of Forrest County, Mississippi, the court of original jurisdiction, discharging him from probationary supervision; and

WHEREAS, under said court order and said Discharge Order, Raymond Dossett (also known as Charles Raymond Dossett) has fully and completely served his sentence and has been discharged from any further penalty and obligation thereunder; and

WHEREAS, the Probation and Parole Board has presented to the Governor a copy of the written report of the record of said probationer prepared by the probation officer, who found as a fact that Raymond Dossett (also known as Charles Raymond Dossett) has been living a good and useful life since his discharge:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, JOHN BELL WILLIAMS, Governor of the State of Mississippi, by virtue of the power vested in me by Section 4004-27, Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled, do hereby order that any civil rights lost by Raymond Dossett (also known as Charles Raymond Dossett) by virtue of his plea of guilty and conviction in the Circuit Court of Forrest County, Mississippi, in Case No. 6012, by order entered November 24, 1961, be, and the same are, hereby restored to Raymond Dossett (also known as Charles Raymond Dossett); and that a certified copy of this Executive Order be forwarded to the Circuit Clerk of Forrest County, Mississippi, for entry on the Docket of said Court and filing in said cause.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed.

DONE at the City of Jackson, in the State of Mississippi, on this the 5th day of December, A. D., 1968.

By the Governor:

*Heber L. Lauer*  
Secretary of State

*John Bell Williams*  
JOHN BELL WILLIAMS  
GOVERNOR

*Mississippi*  
*Executive Department*  
*Jackson*

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 37

WHEREAS, the employment of James Marion Flanagan by the State Game and Fish Commission was terminated effective November 8, 1968 and proper notice thereof was given; and

WHEREAS, the State Game and Fish Commission set a date for a hearing before the Commission and the Governor, and the said James Marion Flanagan was notified in writing of the date of such hearing, and of the charges filed against him; and

WHEREAS, not less than ten days after the notification of the date of said hearing and the charges preferred, said hearing was held at such time, the said James Marion Flanagan presented himself pro se; and

WHEREAS, on November 25, 1968, the State Game and Fish Commission, after hearing testimony and considering the charges, by a majority vote recommended to the Governor that the charges were well founded, and that the said James Marion Flanagan should be found guilty of such charges filed against him, and the temporary termination of his employment should be made final.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi, pursuant to the authority vested in me, do hereby concur in the findings of the State Game and Fish Commission in this cause, based upon said proceedings held before me and the State Game and Fish Commission, and do hereby make final the decision to terminate the employment of James Marion Flanagan with the State Game and Fish Commission.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed.

DONE at the City of Jackson, this  
November 27th A. D., 1968.

*John Bell Williams*  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

*Hubert Rodden*  
Secretary of State



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October 24, 1968

Honorable W. L. Lee  
Clerk of the Circuit Court  
Harrison County  
Gulfport, Mississippi

Dear Mr. Lee:

I enclose herewith a true copy of Executive Order No. 35 dated October 22, A. D., 1968, which restores to George F. O'Neill, Jr. a/k/a George O'Neill, Jr. any civil rights lost by him as a result of his conviction in the Circuit Court of Harrison County, Mississippi, in Docket No. 12,226, for the crime of burglary and larceny.

Please handle the aforesaid restoration in the manner prescribed by Law.

Sincerely yours,

Heber Ladner  
Secretary of State

WWR/bk

Enclosure



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*Jackson*

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 35

WHEREAS, on June 23, 1961, George F. O'Neill, Jr., also known as George O'Neill, Jr., was sentenced in the Circuit Court of Harrison County, Mississippi, to a term of one year in the Mississippi State Penitentiary upon a plea of guilty to the charge of burglary and larceny; and

WHEREAS, The Honorable Leslie B. Grant, Circuit Court Judge, suspended the execution of said penitentiary sentence and placed George F. O'Neill, Jr., also known as George O'Neill, Jr., on probation for two years under the supervision of the Probation and Parole Board of the State of Mississippi; and

WHEREAS, on August 21, 1962, The Honorable Leslie B. Grant, Circuit Court Judge, signed a Discharge Order terminating the probation of George F. O'Neill, Jr., also known as George O'Neill, Jr., in Case No. 12,226, Circuit Court of Harrison County, Mississippi, the court of original jurisdiction, discharging him from probationary supervision; and

WHEREAS, under said court order and said Discharge Order, George F. O'Neill, Jr., also known as George O'Neill, Jr., has fully and completely served his sentence and has been discharged from any further penalty and obligation thereunder; and

WHEREAS, the Probation and Parole Board has presented to the Governor a copy of the written report of the record of said probationer prepared by the probation officer, who found as a fact that George F. O'Neill, Jr., also known as George O'Neill, Jr., has been living a good and useful life since his discharge:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, JOHN BELL WILLIAMS, Governor of the State of Mississippi, by virtue of the power vested in me by Section 4004-27, Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled, do hereby order that any civil rights lost by George F. O'Neill, Jr., also known as George O'Neill, Jr., by virtue of his plea of guilty and conviction in the Circuit Court of Harrison County, Mississippi, in Docket No. 12,226, by order entered June 23, 1961, be and the same are hereby restored to George F. O'Neill, Jr., also known as George O'Neill, Jr.; that a certified copy of this Executive Order be forwarded to the Circuit Clerk of Harrison County, Mississippi, for entry on the Docket of said Court and filing in said cause.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed.

DONE at the City of Jackson, in the State of Mississippi, on this 22nd day of October, A. D., 1968.

  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

  
Secretary of State

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*Executive Department*  
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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 34

WHEREAS, the Attorney General of Mississippi has rendered his official opinion on August 7, 1968, that under the broad executive powers of the Governor and under his comprehensive powers as Chairman of the Civil Defense Council, he is authorized and directed to coordinate all state civil defense and emergency planning with comparable functions of the Federal Government, to take preparatory steps in advance of civil emergencies, to accept and disburse federal funds pursuant to the offer of funds, to cooperate with the U. S. Offices of Civil Defense and Emergency Planning, to delegate gubernatorial powers, to create a revolving fund from federal funds, to adopt needful rules and regulations with the force and effect of law, and to carry out this State's civil defense and emergency planning for the benefit of all the citizens of this State; and

WHEREAS, under authority of Section 4175, Mississippi Code of 1942, the salary of the State Director of Civil Defense is set at \$8,000.00 per annum of which one-half is paid by federal funds made available through the U. S. Office of Civil Defense, although the full salary for this position can be paid from State appropriations, but that the Courts hold that all applicable statutes must be considered in making a final determination of what statute prevails; and

WHEREAS, other provisions of State law, Section 3975.5(3), Mississippi Code of 1942, found in Chapter 8, Title 17, Mississippi Code of 1942, entitled "Governor"; and Division 6, Title 31, Mississippi Code of 1942, entitled "Civil Defense"; and prior interpretations of these laws by the Attorney General of Mississippi, the Governor in his regular executive powers and as Chairman of the Mississippi Civil Defense Council can promulgate and adopt reasonable rules and regulations he deems necessary and requisite in order to make possible the receipt and utilization of grants and donations including federal funds subject to the conditions of the offerer; and

WHEREAS, the U. S. Office of Civil Defense has advised the Governor in writing that it will pay one-half of whatever salary is paid the State Director of Civil Defense as a full-time position, and thereby making possible the receipt and utilization of additional federal funds for the current biennium above what is now being received, provided this State can match these additional funds dollar for dollar; and

WHEREAS, the Governor during 1960-64 and 1964-68 administration under Section 3975.5(3), Mississippi Code of 1942, and Attorney General's interpretation thereof, acquired federal funds for the Mississippi Civil Defense Council by creating a merit system, federal funds for the State Office of Economic Opportunity and federal funds for the Mississippi Council on the Arts, without any other statutory provisions; and

WHEREAS, the Civil Defense statute is a remedial statute to be liberally construed to effectuate its purposes, and that the reasonable rules and regulations promulgated and adopted thereunder shall have the full force and effect of a statutory law:

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*Jackson*


EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 33

By virtue of the authority vested in and duty imposed upon me by Sections 116 and 119, Mississippi Constitution of 1890, and Sections 3975; Subdivision 4, Division 1, Title 31; and Division 6, Title 31, Mississippi Code of 1942, as amended, to see that the laws are faithfully executed and enforced, to call forth the National Guard in State emergency crises, and in carrying out my duties as Chairman of the Mississippi Civil Defense Council, I, John Bell Williams, Governor and Chief Executive Officer of the State of Mississippi, do hereby prescribe the following Legal Guide governing the function, powers, immunities, and liabilities of the National Guard as peace officers in civil disturbances and natural disasters in Mississippi.

The Adjutant General will insure that all Commissioned Officers will immediately familiarize themselves with the contents of this resume of law applicable to members of the National Guard in State emergencies.

This Guide is hereby made official in my capacities as Governor, and Commander-in-Chief of the Mississippi Army and Air National Guard.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused The Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed, on this, the 1st day of October, A. D., 1968.

  
*John Bell Williams*  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

*Heber Ladner*

SECRETARY OF STATE

*Mississippi*  
*Executive Department*  
*Jackson*

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 32

By virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor of the State of Mississippi, pursuant to the Constitution and applicable statutes of the State of Mississippi, it is ordered as follows:

SECTION I:

There is hereby created and established a Mississippi Water Resources Council, as a delegation, to represent the State of Mississippi on a reasonable level under the Water Resources Planning Act until such time as enabling legislation is adopted and to provide for the payment of the pro rata share allocated to the State of Mississippi in connection with said activities not to exceed the sum of \$10,000 per year.

SECTION II:

The Council shall be composed of the Governor and the executive heads of the Pat Harrison Waterway District, the Pearl River Basin Development District and the Tombigbee River Valley Water Management District, each district being duly and legally authorized by statute. The said districts are hereby authorized and directed to prorate the aforesaid cost on the basis of estimated acreage of watershed contained in their basins.

SECTION III:

Because of the existing and increasing need for water resources planning within the United States and in order to meet the rapidly expanding demands for water throughout the United States, and especially the Southeastern region thereof, and to cooperate with the declared policy of the Congress of the United States to encourage the conservation, development and utilization of water and related land resources on a comprehensive and coordinated basis by the Federal Government and various states, localities and private enterprise with the cooperation of all affected Federal agencies, states, local governments, individuals, business enterprises and others concerned, it is essential that the State of Mississippi cooperate in said planning.

The purpose of the State's participation, as aforesaid, and the direction of the payments, as aforesaid, is to provide for the rendering of mutual cooperation between the States comprising the Southeastern region with respect to the aforesaid planning and development of the natural resources, especially water and related land resources, and the authorization of the Council to carry out the functions and taking of such steps as necessary and appropriate to carry out the provisions of this Order.

It is further declared to be the purpose of this Order and the policy of this State that all functions of aforementioned districts and that portion of the State of Mississippi represented thereby be coordinated through said Council and the functions of the National Government under Public Law 89-80, 89th Congress, S-21, July 22, 1965.

SECTION IV:

Under the provisions of Public Law 89-80, 89th Congress, S-21, cited as "Water Resources Planning Act," there was created a Water Resources Council, various duties and authorities, and provided for the establishment thereby of river basin commissions, and for financial assistance to the States for comprehensive planning grants to assist the States in development

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of comprehensive water and related resources plans, one of the powers of said Council being to approve any program or comprehensive plan submitted by the various states. There has been chartered under said Act the Southeast Basin Inter-Agency Committee, one of said powers and responsibilities being to advise with the Water Resources Council concerning local needs and plans for the orderly development of water resources and that the Southeast Basin Inter-Agency Committee (SEBIAC) counsels and confers with the Resources Advisory Board (RAB), consisting of representatives of the various States concerning local needs and recommendations for comprehensive planning.

It is declared to be one of the purposes of this Order that the Mississippi river basin agencies named herein pay from the funds available for the operation of their districts the aforementioned sums needed by said Council to be appointed by the Governor, not to exceed the sum of \$10,000 per year, for the support of the aforementioned Resources Advisory Board in connection with the planning under Southeast Basin Inter-Agency Committee.

It is further declared to be one of the purposes of this Order that should any county lying east of the Tombigbee and Pearl River watershed and not included under one of said basin laws desire to participate in the cost of the Resources Advisory Board under Southeast Basin Inter-Agency Committee, they may pay in accordance with acreage included in said county prorated to the overall cost involved in the execution of this Order.

SECTION V:

The members of the Mississippi Water Resources Council shall represent the aforementioned sections of the State of Mississippi and shall serve in an advisory capacity to the Governor and to the Resources Advisory Board, and they shall have the powers and responsibilities as designated by this Order in connection with the Water Resources Planning Act aforementioned. The Governor shall serve as Chairman of the Council or may appoint one member or any number of members of said Council or member or members from other State agencies or any other person deemed eligible to represent him at the meetings of the Resources Advisory Board. The member or members of said Council shall serve without compensation but may be reimbursed by their separate districts or agencies for their reasonable and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of their duties.

SECTION VI:

It shall be the duty of every department, agency, office, institution and political subdivision of the State government and the officers thereof to cooperate with the purpose of this Order and with such regulations as may be made by the Governor in connection therewith.

SECTION VII:

The Council shall have general direction and control of the activities named in this Order, and it is so authorized and empowered.



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SECTION VIII:

The Council so named is hereby authorized to receive services, gifts and contributions from public or private sources to be utilized in carrying out the provisions of this Order and to participate with the Federal Government in carrying out programs in connection therewith and to receive grants from the Federal Government in connection therewith.

SECTION IX:

The Council created hereby is authorized to enter into agreements with the Federal Government for the purpose of matching funds that may be available for grants or studies, and the State's portion thereof may be made available by the three water-basin districts in the discretion of their board of directors.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed.

DONE at the City of Jackson, this the 16th day of July, A. D.,  
1968.



*John Bell Williams*  
JOHN BELL WILLIAMS  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

*John Rodman*  
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June 5, 1968

Honorable H. K. Whittington  
Circuit Clerk  
Amite County Court House  
Liberty, Mississippi

Dear Mr. Whittington:

Enclosed herewith is a certified true and correct copy of Executive Order No. 31, dated May 8, 1968, the original of which is on file in my office, which restores any civil rights lost by Lawrence Duckworth by reason of his conviction of grand larceny in the Circuit Court of Amite County on February 20, 1963.

It is requested that you handle this matter in the manner prescribed by law.

Sincerely yours,

Heber Ladner  
Secretary of State

WWR/bm

Enclosure: as stated

# State of Mississippi



## Office of Secretary of State Jackson

*I, Heber Ladner, Secretary of State of the State of Mississippi, do hereby certify that the within and attached is a true and correct copy of* **Executive Order No. 31, Ordering that any civil rights lost by Lawrence Duck by virtue of his plea of guilty and conviction in the Circuit Court of Amite County, Mississippi, in Docket No. 1571, be restored to Lawrence Duck,**

*the original of which is now a matter of record in this office.*

*Given under my hand and Seal of  
Office this the 5th Day of June,  
1968.*

*Secretary of State*

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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 31

WHEREAS, on February 20, 1963, Lawrence Duck was sentenced in the Circuit Court of Amite County, Mississippi, to a term of two years in the Mississippi State Penitentiary upon a plea of guilty to the charge of grand larceny; and

WHEREAS, The Honorable James A. Torrey, Circuit Court Judge, suspended the execution of said penitentiary sentence and placed Lawrence Duck on probation for five years under the supervision of the Probation and Parole Board of the State of Mississippi; and

WHEREAS, on December 29, 1966, The Honorable James A. Torrey, Circuit Court Judge, signed a Discharge Order terminating the probation of Lawrence Duck in Case No. 1571, Circuit Court of Amite County, Mississippi, the court of original jurisdiction, discharging him from probationary supervision; and

WHEREAS, under said court order and said Discharge Order, Lawrence Duck has fully and completely served his sentence and has been discharged from any further penalty and obligation thereunder; and

WHEREAS, the Probation and Parole Board has presented to the Governor a copy of the written report of the record of said probationer prepared by the probation officer, who found as a fact that Lawrence Duck has been living a good and useful life since his discharge:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, JOHN BELL WILLIAMS, Governor of the State of Mississippi, by virtue of the power vested in me by Section 4004-27, Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled, do hereby order that any civil rights lost by Lawrence Duck by virtue of his plea of guilty and conviction in the Circuit Court of Amite County, Mississippi, in Docket No. 1571, by order entered February 20, 1963, be and the same are hereby restored to Lawrence Duck; that a certified copy of this Executive Order be forwarded to the Circuit Clerk of Amite County, Mississippi, for entry on the Docket of said Court and filing in said cause.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set  
my hand and caused the Great Seal of  
the State of Mississippi to be affixed.

DONE at the City of Jackson, in the State  
of Mississippi, on this the 8th day  
of May, A. D., 1968.

  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 30

WHEREAS, it has been brought to my attention that groups of persons in various communities of Mississippi have already committed breaches of the peace, and violated the criminal laws of this State, and that further outbreaks of violence, tumult, and unlawful assemblages are imminent at this time; and

WHEREAS, it is the first duty of this State Government to preserve the peace and domestic tranquility, protect personal and real property from persons or groups of persons, and to protect the lives of all the citizens of this State; and

WHEREAS, requests have been made from mayors and other responsible officers in several communities that their law enforcement officers be given assistance if and when further breaches of the peace and lawlessness takes place; and

WHEREAS, it is my sworn duty under the Constitution and law of this State to enforce the laws, maintaining peace and domestic tranquility, to protect both personal and real properties, and insure the safety of all the citizens of this State:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi, pursuant to the authority vested in me by Section 119 and Section 217 of the Mississippi Constitution of 1890 and Sections 3975, 8519-81, 8519-82, and 8519-83, Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled, do hereby direct the Adjutant General of the State of Mississippi to order out such officers and men of the Mississippi National Guard as he deems necessary and requisite and for such duration as he deems appropriate to assist the regular law enforcement officers of the municipalities and counties of this State in the preservation of the peace and domestic tranquility, to protect personal and real property, to insure the safety of all the citizens of this State by preventing further breaches of the peace, unlawful and tumultuous assemblages of persons, and to assist in the enforcing of the penal statutes of this State in whatever areas of the State of Mississippi there now exists or may hereafter need assistance from the officers and men of the Mississippi National Guard.

The Adjutant General will be in direct command of the National Guard forces ordered to State emergency duty by this proclamation, and he will use such force of arms as may be found necessary to accomplish the mission of preserving the peace, maintenance of law and order and the protection of the lives and property of all the citizens of this State.

The Adjutant General is further ordered and directed to use whatever numbers of the Mississippi National Guard as may be necessary to accomplish its mission.

The Adjutant General will be the overall contact and coordinating authority for state agencies in preserving law and order, and direction of the troops will rest entirely with the Adjutant General.

The members of the Mississippi National Guard ordered out for duty under provisions of this order shall be subject to the provisions, privileges and immunities of the statutes of the State of Mississippi governing the National Guard and State Militia where applicable.

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The pay and expenses of the troops ordered out will be paid as provided in Sections 8519-43, 8519-87 and 8519-88, Code of Mississippi of 1942.

The officers and enlisted men ordered out will remain on duty until relieved by proper order of the Adjutant General of Mississippi

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto  
set my hand and caused the Great Seal of  
the State of Mississippi to be affixed  
this 5th day of April, A.D., 1968.



*John Bell Williams*  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR

*John Hodges*

SECRETARY OF STATE



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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 29

WHEREAS, the impact of Federal-State programs upon the economy of Mississippi is great and is continuing to grow; and

WHEREAS, there is no capacity within the present framework of State government to coordinate these numerous programs among the State departments, agencies and institutions; and

WHEREAS, the maintenance of a strong role for State government in the Federal system requires a unified capacity to deal with the agencies of the Federal government; and

WHEREAS, the President of the United States has asked the Federal agencies "to afford representatives of the Chief Executives of State and local government the opportunity to advise and consult in the development and execution of programs which directly affect the conduct of State and local affairs":

NOW, THEREFORE, I, JOHN BELL WILLIAMS, as Governor of the State of Mississippi, pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Constitution and Laws of this State, do hereby establish within the Governor's Office the staff position of Coordinator of Federal-State Programs.

The Coordinator shall provide assistance to State departments, agencies and institutions in the development of Federal programs, and, whenever possible, to local agencies, so that the people of Mississippi can be assured of a fair, efficient and coordinated planning and administration of these programs. The Coordinator shall inform the Governor of the fiscal requirements of the State departments, agencies and institutions for these programs so that a comprehensive plan can be developed which will be responsive to State needs and priorities. The Coordinator shall supervise the receipt and expenditure of Federal, State and other funds made available to the Governor's Office for coordinating Federal programs and for providing technical assistance to State and local agencies administering those programs.

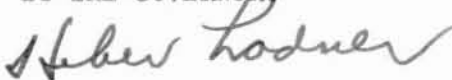
State departments, agencies and institutions are requested and urged to cooperate in every way with the Coordinator by providing information and assistance to him.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed.

DONE at the City of Jackson, this  
fourteenth day of February, A. D.,  
1968.

  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:



SECRETARY OF STATE

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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 28

WHEREAS, widespread disaster resulting from such cause as hurricane, fire, storm, epidemic, riot or other destructive forces is an ever-present possibility in this State; and

WHEREAS, potential enemies of the United States have the capacity to attack this State and the United States in ever-growing force with conventional, chemical, biological or nuclear weapons; and

WHEREAS, Section 8610.06 of the Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled, empowers the Governor, in fulfilling his civil defense responsibilities, to use, to the maximum extent practicable, the services, equipment, supplies and facilities of the State's departments, offices, agencies and political subdivisions; and

WHEREAS, Section 8610.06 also requires offices and agencies of the State, upon request, to cooperate with and extend their services and facilities to the Governor and the Director of Civil Defense; and

WHEREAS, Section 8610.06 also empowers the Governor to issue and enforce civil defense orders, rules and regulations relating to defense of the State and its people against enemy action or other disaster.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, JOHN BELL WILLIAMS, Governor of the State of Mississippi, and as Chairman of the State Civil Defense Council, do hereby order into effect the revised assignment of civil defense functions and responsibilities to departments, offices and agencies of the State of Mississippi set forth in the attachment hereto, pursuant to the provisions of the 1952 Civil Defense Act (Section 8610), and in particular Sections 2 and 6 thereof, the Laws of the United States of America and the National Plan for Emergency Preparedness issued by the President of the United States of America.

All assignment of responsibilities to State offices or agencies in connection with the Civil Defense Program of the State of Mississippi, heretofore made by Executive Orders, Administrative Orders or in Operational Orders are hereby superseded except insofar as not inconsistent herewith.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed.

DONE at the Capitol in the City of Jackson, this the 29th day of January, A. D., 1968.

  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

  
SECRETARY OF STATE





STATE OF MISSISSIPPI  
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT  
JACKSON

JOHN BELL WILLIAMS  
GOVERNOR

January 29, 1968

*Executive Order No. 28*

TO: ALL STATE AGENCY AND DEPARTMENT HEADS:

The attached Executive Order has been issued in keeping with the concepts of "Continuity of Government" and "Government in Emergency," to carry out the purposes of Section 8610, Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled.

This order supersedes the Executive Order No. 16 of November 10, 1966, on the same subject.

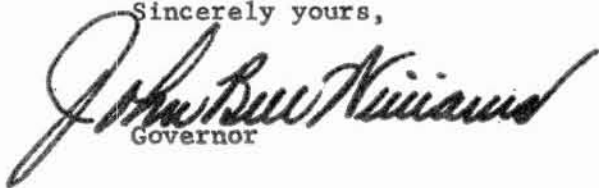
This order assigns responsibility for emergency functions to appropriate State Departments and Agencies.

It is desired that this Executive Order be called to the attention of all appropriate government officials. It is emphasized that for emergency functions Civil Defense officials and their staffs constitute the coordinating agencies of government at all levels. It is essential that all government officials recognize this, as well as that their responsibility in major disasters and emergencies is paramount, and that, in all probability, the safety, health and welfare of the people in their respective political subdivisions will be entirely dependent upon the operational capabilities established and maintained by their governments prior to such disaster or emergency.

The responsibilities assigned by this order are deemed essential to the preservation of life and property of the citizens of our State in a war emergency or natural disaster, and require the organized and controlled application of all of Mississippi's resources of leadership, finances, manpower and material.

As Governor of Mississippi, I urge and expect all State Agencies and other organizations assigned responsibility for operations to proceed immediately to fulfill their tasks.

Sincerely yours,

  
Governor

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PLAN  
FOR UTILIZATION OF  
DEPARTMENTS, OFFICES AND AGENCIES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI  
FOR CIVIL DEFENSE PURPOSES

Issued by  
EXECUTIVE ORDER No. 28  
of  
GOVERNOR JOHN BELL WILLIAMS  
January 29, 1968

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## DEFINITIONS

As used in this order:

"Agency" includes any office, department, division, bureau, board, commission or authority of the State or of a political subdivision thereof, including volunteer agencies.

"Attack" means any attack, actual or imminent, or series of attacks by an enemy or a foreign nation upon the United States causing, or which may cause, substantial damage or injury to civilian property or persons in the United States in any manner by sabotage or by the use of bombs, shellfire, or atomic, radiological, chemical, bacteriological, or biological means, or other weapons or processes.

"Civil Defense" includes all those activities and measures designed or undertaken to minimize the effects upon the civilian population caused or which would be caused by an attack, or other disaster, to deal with the immediate emergency conditions which would be created by any such attack, or other disaster, and to effectuate emergency repairs to, or the emergency restoration of, vital utilities and facilities destroyed or damaged by any such attack, or other disaster. Such term shall include, but shall not be limited to: measures to be taken in preparation for anticipated attack, including the establishment of appropriate organizations, operations, operational plans, and supporting agreements, the recruitment and training of personnel, the conduct of research, the procurement and stockpiling of necessary materials, the provision of suitable warning systems, the construction or preparation of shelters, shelter areas, and control centers, and, when appropriate, the non-military evacuation of civil population; measures to be taken during attack, or other disaster, including the enforcement of passive defense regulations prescribed by duly established military or civil authorities, the evacuation of personnel to shelter areas, the control of traffic and panic, and the control and use of lighting and civil communications; and measures to be taken following attack, or other disaster, including activities for fire fighting, rescue, emergency medical, health and sanitation services, monitoring for specific hazards of special weapons, unexploded bomb reconnaissance, essential debris clearance, emergency welfare measures, and immediately essential emergency repair or restoration of damaged vital facilities.

"Emergency" means any period during which the President or the Congress of the United States or the Governor has proclaimed that an emergency exists.

"Law" includes a general or special statute, law, local law, ordinance, resolution, rule, order or rule of common law.

"Political subdivision" includes a county, township, city or village.

"Director of Civil Defense" means State Director of Civil Defense.

"Available resources" means those resources, including personnel, equipment, supplies and facilities, not required for the agency's performance of essential normal functions.



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II

GENERAL ASSIGNMENTS

A. The executive head of each agency shall be responsible for:

1. Preparing and maintaining written plans for:
  - a. Protecting its personnel, equipment and supplies (including essential records and documents) against the effects of nuclear attack or other disaster.
  - b. Performing, during an enemy attack, such of its essential normal functions as are not inconsistent with its civil defense emergency assignments.
  - c. Assisting other agencies of the State and its political subdivisions in performing civil defense functions.
  - d. Performing such civil defense functions as are required by the State Director of Civil Defense.

Such planning shall include organization of the agency for emergency operations to the extent necessary to carry out effectively the agency's emergency functions, including assignment of emergency duties to all agency subdivisions and personnel.

2. Designating a qualified member of his staff to supervise and coordinate the agency's civil defense planning.
3. Providing additional liaison and staff personnel during emergencies.
4. Advising and giving technical assistance to State and local civil defense organizations and other governmental agencies, helping them to develop and coordinate statewide and local plans for emergency civil defense operations.
5. Maximizing available resources at its command for emergency use during enemy attack or other disaster.
6. Locating, recruiting, training and using auxiliary forces necessary to augment the normal forces of the agency available for emergency operations in cooperation with the Director of Civil Defense.
7. Making the personnel and other resources of his agency available for such necessary training, including test exercises in agency's emergency civil defense functions, as is required by the State Director of Civil Defense.
8. Making its facilities available, to the maximum extent practicable, for use as public fallout shelters or other essential emergency uses.
9. Cooperating with all federal and state agencies in developing and executing civil defense functions.
10. Establishing lines of emergency interim succession for offices within his agency.
11. State Agencies are directed to seek detailed instructions for the implementation of this order from the State Director of Civil Defense.

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## III

### SPECIFIC ASSIGNMENTS

- A. Some state agencies have a more definite disaster role than others, and therefore, more operational responsibilities. The following listed agencies are in that category and will render assistance chiefly in the areas indicated:
1. Mississippi Civil Defense Council:
    - a. Command, control and emergency operations.
  2. Director of Civil Defense:
    - a. Coordinating the activities of all organizations for Civil Defense within the State.
    - b. Maintaining liaison and cooperating with Civil Defense agencies and organizations of local governments, state agencies, other states, and of the Federal Government.
    - c. Assisting other State Agencies with technical guidance and assistance in carrying out this order.
    - d. Coordinating all requests for federal aid, distributing and insuring compliance governing such aid.
    - e. The State Radiological Defense Program.
    - f. The State Civil Defense Communications Program.
    - g. Coordinating the preparation and implementation of plans and programs for the emergency management of resources in the State, consistent with national plans and programs.
    - h. The Administration of State Civil Defense affairs.
  3. Public Safety Commissioner:
    - a. Receive and dispatch, using every electric means available, warning of danger, disaster, or impending attack.
    - b. In conjunction with other law enforcement agencies exercise full police powers in law enforcement and traffic control.
    - c. Assist as required in maintaining a comprehensive and cohesive communications system throughout the State and with the State Emergency Operating Center.
    - d. Assist to the extent possible in rescue and lifesaving operations.
    - e. Perform radiological monitoring, and provide damage assessment reports to the State Emergency Operating Center when appropriate.
    - f. Furnish intelligence information to the Emergency Operating Center from the field.
  4. State Fire Marshall:
    - a. Advise and assist on matters relating to the origin of unusual urban and rural fires and make such investigation thereof as may appear appropriate.

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- b. Provide technical guidance and allocation of equipment and personnel to fire services throughout the State.
5. State Forestry Commission:
- a. Advise and assist on matters relating to fire control in rural and urban areas.
  - b. Employ resources as directed to combat fires, perform rescue and lifesaving, debris clearance, and employ communications facilities to augment the State and local communications capability.
  - c. Perform radiological monitoring and make damage assessment reports to the State Emergency Operating Center when appropriate.
  - d. Furnish intelligence information from the field when appropriate.
6. Commissioner of Agriculture and Commerce:
- a. Emergency control and distribution of food products.
  - b. Planning and directing a statewide program for defense against chemical, biological and radiological warfare as it relates to animals, crops and other foodstuffs.
  - c. Providing advice and technical assistance to other agencies in developing and coordinating plans for defense against such warfare.
  - d. Cooperating with the U. S. Department of Agriculture State Defense Board in making estimates of available and required food supplies in relation to emergency needs; and in determining the use of wholesale stocks made available by the Department of Agriculture during emergencies.
  - e. Cooperating with the Director of the State Board of Public Welfare in matters pertaining to mass feeding.
  - f. Emergency management of resources pertaining to construction and housing, and functions relating to economic stabilization.
  - g. Maintaining inventories of primary, secondary and alternate sources of water; and cooperating with the State Air and Water Pollution Control Commission and State Board of Health, to protect such sources from the effects of radiological, biological and chemical warfare.
  - h. Cooperating with the State Board of Health in maintaining an adequate supply of safe water for the State.
7. State Board of Health:
- a. Providing emergency medical supplies and health services throughout the State.

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- b. Developing general plans for care of the sick and injured, casualty collection, evacuation and hospitalization, use of hospitals, training of, and use of medical and paramedical personnel, guidance and training in proper utilization of packaged disaster hospitals and medical stockpiles, protection against chemical and biological warfare hazards, controlling diseases, assuring proper environmental sanitation, providing emergency mortuary services, and for providing and allocating medical supplies.
  - c. Providing guidance and support for local emergency health services.
  - d. Cooperating with the Commissioner of Agriculture and Commerce and the State Air and Water Pollution Control Commission in assuring adequate supplies of safe water for the State.
  - e. Coordinating the mobilization of health, medical and paramedical resources of the State.
8. State Board of Public Welfare:
- a. Plan for and administer the Emergency Welfare Services Program.
  - b. Assist when required in formulating plans for rationing of food, clothing, and comfort items.
  - c. Assisting and coordinating welfare agencies and other agencies performing welfare functions in providing for registration, lodging, feeding and clothing of population, reuniting of families, and for personal needs other than medical care.
  - d. Supply trained personnel from local staff and local volunteer individuals and groups to staff the leadership positions in providing necessary welfare services at the local political subdivision level.
  - e. Cooperating during emergencies with the American National Red Cross, the Salvation Army and other groups performing similar functions.
9. Game and Fish Commission:
- a. Assist in emergencies by making available the services of its agents and equipment suitable for recovery, communications, protection of life and property, and radiological defense measures.
  - b. Make damage assessment reports to the State Emergency Operating Center when appropriate.
  - c. Provide auxiliary police as required for law enforcement to State and local officials.
  - d. Provide intelligence information from the field as appropriate.
10. State Highway Commission:
- a. Operate, when activated, the six Highway Maintenance District Emergency Operating Centers in accordance with paragraph IV E of the State Emergency Operations Plan.
  - b. Maintain and operate the State Highway System.

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- c. Provide engineering services and advice as required.
  - d. Assist in debris clearance and rescue operations.
  - e. Make and report damage assessments to State EOC when appropriate.
  - f. Assist in acquisition and reporting of radiological defense information.
  - g. Establish and operate district radiological monitoring and damage assessment reporting stations when required.
  - h. Prepare and mark necessary detours around contaminated areas.
  - i. Assist with decontamination when required.
  - j. Integrate radio communication facilities with State Emergency Operating Center communications system.
  - k. Restoring highways, streets and bridges.
  - l. Assisting in rescue, and emergency health operations relating to decontamination, mass burial and other circumstances requiring heavy equipment.
11. State Public Service Commission:
- a. Cooperating with federal agencies to coordinate public and private transportation resources during emergencies, and establishment of priorities of use when necessary.
  - b. Encouraging emergency disaster planning by municipal and private utility systems.
  - c. Maintaining information on transportation resources, sources and distribution of electric power within the State, and of potential supplementary sources outside the State.
  - d. Providing for the use of alternate and supplementary sources of power, light and heat during emergencies.
  - e. Advise on matters pertaining to resources management as required.
12. Employment Security Commission:
- a. Providing emergency manpower services, and for wage and salary control programs, consistent with national plans and programs.
  - b. Assisting the Director of Civil Defense and other agencies in making inter-agency assignments of emergency duties for personnel.
  - c. Providing of labor market information and administering the unemployment insurance program.
13. Adjutant General:
- a. As directed by the Governor.
14. Aeronautics Commission:

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- a. Emergency air transportation, and for operating designated civilian aircraft so as to provide facilities for command, communications, reconnaissance, supply and aerial radiological monitoring.
  - b. Planning for emergency use of airports throughout the State.
15. Commission of Budget and Accounting:
- a. Civil Defense Finance.
16. Mississippi Marine Conservation Commission:
- a. Emergency use of water transportation to include provisions for water rescue, fire and police services.
  - b. Assisting in radiological defense measures as appropriate to marine activities.
17. Motor Vehicle Comptroller:
- a. Operating statewide emergency communications services.
  - b. Assistance in development and maintenance of an effective statewide radiological monitoring system.
  - c. Assisting the State Highway Commission in controlling traffic, and in determining and designating available and prohibited routes of travel.
18. State Oil and Gas Board:
- a. Controlling emergency distribution of petroleum, petroleum products and other fuels and energy.
  - b. Maintaining information on petroleum and gas resources and information on potential supplementary sources of such resources outside the State.
  - c. Cooperate and coordinate with the Research and Development Center on Resources Management.
19. Mississippi Park System:
- a. Planning for and assisting in the emergency use of reception area facilities and the care of displaced personnel.
  - b. Coordinate with the State Board of Public Welfare on availability of reception facilities.
  - c. Assist in the collection and reporting of radiological information.
  - d. Provide decontamination service when required.
20. Surplus Property Procurement Commission:
- a. Assuring that Civil Defense organizations within the State have priority in obtaining equipment with which to enhance their emergency capabilities.
  - b. Assisting other agencies in the procurement of appropriate types and items of equipment to improve their emergency capabilities.



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- c. Provide resources, including transportation, to the extent possible.
  - d. Assist in acquiring and reporting radiological information.
  - e. Operate the surplus property warehouse on a 24 hour basis if required and the situation permits.
21. Mississippi Research and Development Center:
- a. Developing and implementing an Emergency Resources Management Program throughout the State.
  - b. Preparing and maintaining a complete inventory of Mississippi industries.
  - c. Encouraging production of products essential to survival.
  - d. Promoting industrial survival planning and restoration of essential industrial and commercial facilities.
22. Board of Trustees - Institutions of Higher Learning:
- a. Providing guidance for, and coordination of plans for insuring the safety of the school population in times of emergency in all state supported institutions of higher learning.
  - b. Preparing and distributing teaching guides, lesson plans and curriculum aids designed to facilitate the integration of Civil Defense education into the curriculum in all institutions under control of the board.
  - c. Supporting training efforts designed to prepare civil defense personnel at all levels for competent discharge of their responsibilities.
  - d. Assisting the State Civil Defense Director in public information, and education and training programs.
23. Board of Trustees of State Eleemosynary Institutions:
- a. Providing, within available resources, facilities for mass feeding, housing and emergency manpower from institutions under control of the board.
24. State Educational Finance Commission:
- a. Insuring that fallout shelter slanting techniques of construction are given appropriate consideration in future plans for location and construction of all elementary and secondary school buildings within the State.
25. State Board of Education:
- a. Providing guidance for, and coordination of plans for insuring the safety of the school population in times of emergency in all elementary and secondary schools within the State.

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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 27

WHEREAS, certain citizens of Mississippi have been lost in the Noxubee Creek in Neshoba County, Mississippi, as a result of the flooding of said body of water; and

WHEREAS, civil authorities are unable to cope with the matter of the necessary search with the personnel and equipment available to them:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bell Williams, Governor of the State of Mississippi, pursuant to the authority vested in me by Section 119 and Section 217 of the Mississippi Constitution of 1890 and Sections 3975, 8519-81, 8519-82, 8519-83, Mississippi Code of 1942, Recompiled, do hereby direct the Adjutant General of the State of Mississippi to order out such part of the Mississippi National Guard for such duration as he may deem necessary to assist the civil authorities in Neshoba County, Mississippi, and the general area thereabout in the search for any people lost or missing as the result of their being in or on Noxubee Creek.

The Adjutant General will be in direct command of the troops ordered to active duty and will use such equipment as may be found necessary in his opinion to accomplish the mission of the National Guard troops. The number of troops used and the amount of expense incurred will be held to a minimum compatible with the mission to be performed.

The Adjutant General will be the overall contact and coordinating authority for state agencies in this mission, and the direction of the troops will rest entirely with the Adjutant General.

The members of the Mississippi National Guard ordered out for duty under the provisions of this order shall be subject to the provisions, privileges and immunities of the statutes of the State of Mississippi governing the National Guard and the State Militia where applicable.

The pay and expenses of the troops ordered out will be paid as provided in Sections 8519-43, 8519-87 and 8519-88, Code of Mississippi of 1942.

The officers and enlisted men ordered out will remain on duty until relieved by proper order of the Adjutant General of the State of Mississippi.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed, this January 17, A. D., 1968.

  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR:

  
SECRETARY OF STATE



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- b. Preparing and distributing teaching guides, lesson plans and curriculum aids designed to facilitate the integration of Civil Defense education into the curriculum in all institutions under control of the board.
  - c. Assisting the State Civil Defense Director in public information, and education and training programs.
26. State Penitentiary:
- a. Provide facilities for displaced persons, and provide human and material resources and clearance service as required.
  - b. Conduct training for all inmates in Medical Self Help, Rescue, and mass feeding techniques.
27. Agriculture and Industrial Board:
- a. In coordination with other State agencies and local governments, plan and supervise resources management and production.
  - b. Coordinate and advise on matters pertaining to industrial civil defense.
28. State Air and Water Pollution Control Commission:
- a. Assisting and cooperating with the State Board of Health and the Commissioner of Agriculture and Commerce in assuring adequate supplies of safe water for the State.
  - b. Providing air and water pollution data to include measures for prevention and reduction.
  - c. Assisting and cooperating in the establishment of a statewide radiological defense system.
- B. All agencies, not specifically provided for herein, shall, as directed, make available the resources of such agencies to the delegate agencies specified above for the defense of Mississippi and the United States of America.