State of South Carolina Executive Department







Office of the Governor

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO.

2017-32

WHEREAS, on September 6, 2017, I issued Executive Order 2017-20, declaring a State of Emergency as a result of Hurricane Irma approaching the State of South Carolina; and

WHEREAS, as a result of the threat of hazardous weather conditions from Hurricane Irma, several state government offices were closed, delayed, or dismissed early in accordance with county government offices on Friday, September 8, 2017; Monday, September 11, 2017; and Tuesday, September 12, 2017; listed as follows:

- Closed Friday, September 8, 2017: Berkeley, Charleston, Dorchester, and Jasper;
- Early Dismissal Friday, September 8, 2017: Beaufort and Colleton;
- Closed Monday, September 11, 2017: Aiken, Allendale, Bamberg, Barnwell, Beaufort, Berkeley, Calhoun, Charleston, Clarendon, Colleton, Dorchester, Edgefield, Georgetown, Hampton, Jasper, Kershaw, Lee, Lexington, Newberry, Orangeburg, Richland, Saluda, Sumter, and Williamsburg;
- Early Dismissal Monday, September 11, 2017: Abbeville, Anderson, Dillon, Lancaster, Laurens, Marion, Oconee, and Pickens;
- Closed Tuesday, September 12, 2017: Allendale, Barnwell, Beaufort, Charleston, Colleton, Dorchester, Hampton, Jasper, McCormick, Oconee, and Pickens; and
- Delayed Tuesday, September 12, 2017: Abbeville, Anderson, Clarendon, Lancaster, Lexington, Richland, Saluda, and Sumter.

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 8-11-57 of the South Carolina Code of Laws, the Governor may authorize leave with pay for affected state employees who were absent from work due to a State of Emergency or hazardous conditions.

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor of the State of South Carolina and pursuant to the Constitution and Laws of this State and the powers conferred

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closure, early dismissal, or delayed start as a result of the State of Emergency on Friday, September 8, 2017; Monday, September 11, 2017; and Tuesday, September 12, 2017, as listed more fully above. This Order is effective immediately.



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MARK HAMMOND Secretary of State GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND THE GREAT SEAL OF THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, THIS 20th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2017.

HENRY MCMASTER

Governor