1974 be rescinded and that the following amendment be inserted in its place:

1–5. The State Office of Petroleum Allocation is hereby created within the Department of Defense, Division of Civil Defense-Disaster Control and is to function under the direction and control of the Administrator of the State Energy Office. The State Office of Petroleum Allocation is authorized to administer the State set-aside program, to provide assistance to all concerned parties in obtaining adjustments specified at 10 CFR 211.13 of the rules promulgated by the Federal Energy Office, and to exercise all other authorities given to a state office of petroleum allocation under rules or other orders issued by the Federal Energy Office.

2. This Order shall take effect immediately.

Given, under my hand and seal, this 26th day of February, in the year of Our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and seventy-four, of the Independence of the United States, the one hundred and ninety-eighth.

/s/ BRENDA N BYRNE,
Governor.

Attest:
/s/ DONALD LAM,
Executive Secretary to the Governor.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

EXECUTIVE ORDER No. 3

WHEREAS, The adequacy of water supply is of critical concern to this State and essential to the promotion of the public health, safety and welfare; and

WHEREAS, There is a continuing need for comprehensive and coordinated State action to assure that future water supply will be available to meet the needs of balanced State growth; and

WHEREAS, There is uncertainty concerning whether the existing and planned water supply facilities are sufficient to satisfy these demands; and

WHEREAS, The complexity and importance of these issues requires the creation of an Interdepartmental Committee on State Water
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Supply Needs charged with the responsibility to evaluate the State's water supply system and make recommendations for its improvement;

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

1. (a) There is hereby created an Interdepartmental Committee on State Water Supply Needs (hereinafter sometimes referred to as the "Committee").

(b) The Committee shall consist of the Commissioner of the Department of Environmental Protection, the Commissioner of the Department of Community Affairs, the Commissioner of the Department of Labor and Industry, the President of the Board of Public Utility Commissioners, the State Treasurer, or their respective designees, and such other officers or persons as the Governor may by further order direct.

(c) The Chairman of the Committee shall be the State Treasurer.

(d) The Chairman and the members of the Committee shall serve without compensation, but shall be entitled to reimbursement, within the limits of funds available therefor, for all necessary expenses incurred in the performance of their duties.

(e) The Committee shall meet at the call of the Chairman or of the Governor.

2. The duties of the Committee shall be:

(a) To conduct a thorough and comprehensive study of existing and planned water supply facilities and distribution systems, including the water distribution system for the Round Valley and Spruce Run Reservoir Project;

(b) To evaluate and assess the adequacy of the State's water supply facilities, distribution systems and policies to meet the needs of balanced State growth;

(c) To make recommendations which would discourage wasteful water use practices;

(d) To make recommendations including alternatives for financing, construction, operation and maintenance of water supply facilities and distribution systems designed to assure a continued adequate water supply to meet the needs of the State to the year 2000.
3. (a) The Committee is hereby authorized to call upon any
department, office, division, bureau or agency of the State to supply
such assistance, statistical data, material and other information or
personnel as it deems necessary to discharge its responsibilities
under this Order.

(b) Each department, office, division, bureau or agency of the
State is hereby authorized and directed, to the extent not inco-
sistent with law, to cooperate with the Committee and to furnish
to it such assistance, material and information as the Committee
may request of it as necessary, in the discharge of its responsi-
blities under this Order.

4. The Committee shall provide a report to the Governor on or
before June 15, 1974 which shall include its recommendations for a
complete system of water supply distribution for the Round Valley
and Spruce Run Reservoir Project.

5. The Committee shall render to the Governor such interim
reports as it may deem appropriate or as the Governor may request
and, upon the completion of its work, which shall be completed on
or before March 22, 1975, the Committee shall render a full report
of its findings and recommendations.

6. This Order shall take effect immediately.

Given, under my hand and seal this 22nd day of
[seal] March, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine
hundred and seventy-four, and of the Independence
of the United States, the one hundred and ninety-eighth.

/s/ BRENDAN BYRNE,
Governor.

Attest:
/s/ DONALD LAN,
Executive Secretary to the Governor.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

EXECUTIVE ORDER No. 4

I, Brendan T. Byrne, Governor of the State of New Jersey, by
virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and the
statutes of this State do hereby ORDER and DIRECT that: