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Ocean, Atlantic and Cape May Counties and resulted in severe flooding and property damage, both public and private; and

WHEREAS, The damage to the shore protection structures and destruction of dunes has created a continuing threat to property, both public and private, public health, safety and welfare; and

WHEREAS, This condition is of such severity and magnitude that effective response requires the full cooperation of all levels of government and of private agencies and citizens;

Now, THEREFORE, I, Brendan T. Byrne, Governor of the State of New Jersey, by the virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and laws of the State of New Jersey do hereby issue the following Executive Order:

1. I declare that an emergency exists in Monmouth, Ocean, Atlantic and Cape May Counties as a result of the storm of December 1 to 3, 1974 and the damage to ocean and bay front shore protection structures and destruction of dunes.

2. The State Department of Environmental Protection and the Division of Civil Defense-Disaster Control, and other appropriate State agencies, shall cooperate to assure maximum assistance from the federal government to aid the affected area.

Given, under my hand and seal this 5th day of December, 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-ninth.

/s/ BRENDAN BYRNE,
Governor.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

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WHEREAS, The Emergency Energy Fair Practices Act of 1974, P. L. 1974, c. 2 & 6, was enacted in response to an urgent need for information with respect to the shortage of vital and essential energy and fuel supplies within the State of New Jersey and to
provide a fair and equitable distribution of energy sources and fuels within the State; and

WHEREAS, The Act authorizes the Governor to proclaim by Executive Order the existence of an energy emergency, establish a State Energy Office, set forth such rules and regulations as are necessary and proper to ensure the fair and equitable distribution of energy supplies and provide for the coordination and cooperation of all offices, agencies and personnel to assist in this emergency; and

WHEREAS, Pursuant to Executive Order No. 1, dated February 5, 1974, I proclaimed the existence of an energy emergency in New Jersey and created the State Energy Office; and

WHEREAS, I charged the Administrator of the State Energy Office with the responsibility of developing and monitoring a State energy conservation program;

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 statutes of this State, do hereby ORDER and DIRECT:

1. The following energy conservation measures shall be instituted in all State-owned and State-leased buildings except as noted below:

(a) Thermostat control devices shall be set to maintain temperatures of 65°-68° F. during the working hours in the heating season;

(b) Thermostat control devices shall be set to maintain temperatures of not more than 55° F. during non-working hours in the heating season;

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

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

(e) Thermostat control devices for hot water shall be set to maintain a maximum temperature of no more than 110° F.;

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

(g) During working hours, overhead lighting shall be reduced to 50-foot candles at work station, 30-foot candles in work areas, and 10-foot candles (but at least one light) in non-working areas;
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(h) Illumination levels at the center of corridor walking surfaces, and equidistant between two lighting fixtures, shall be maintained at 1-foot candle. Lights provided in tandem to guard against darkened stairways upon failure of a light, and emergency lights are exempted from this provision;

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

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

(k) Portable electric fans are strictly prohibited;

(l) During the heating season, portable air conditioners shall not be used, and shall be unplugged and covered;

(m) Outside air intake shall be reduced to the greatest possible extent. Under most conditions, a 10 per cent outside air intake will be adequate for general office space.

2. The above listed regulations shall not apply to State owned or operated hospitals and medical buildings or to any other State owned or operated buildings, the energy conservation coordinator of which (as herein defined) demonstrates to the satisfaction of the Administrator of the State Energy Office the need for exemption from one or more of the above listed regulations.

3. The Administrator of the State Energy Office, when he deems it necessary, shall promulgate and adopt additional regulations for energy conservation within all State-owned and State-leased buildings.

4. Each department, agency and office of State Government shall appoint a representative as its energy conservation coordinator. Said energy conservation coordinators shall have the following responsibilities:

(a) Enforcement of the regulations adopted by the Governor and Administrator;

(b) Answering complaints and receiving suggestions; and

(c) Maintaining liaison with the State Energy Office.

5. In order to accurately assess the effectiveness of this energy conservation program, every energy conservation coordinator shall supply the State Energy Office with the following information:

(a) Historical electric and heating fuel use, on a monthly basis, from January 1972 to present;

(b) Continuing reports of electric and heating fuel use on a monthly basis; and
(c) Such other information as the Administrator of the State Energy Office may, from time to time, require.

6. This Executive Order shall take effect immediately.

Given, under my hand and seal this 12th day of December, 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-ninth.

/s/ BRENDAN BYRNE,
Governor.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

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Whereas, Equal employment opportunity regardless of race, color, religion, sex or national origin has been the law of this nation and of this State since passage of the federal Equal Employment Opportunity Act of 1972, and the New Jersey Law Against Discrimination; and

Whereas, Equal pay for equal work in governmental service has been guaranteed by the Fair Labor Standards Act amendments enacted in April of 1974; and

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

Whereas, The Executive Branch of State Government should employ both minorities and women at least in proportion to their population in the relevant surrounding Labor Market Area as defined by the Department of Labor and Industry, and should employ both minorities and women at all levels of responsibility;

Now, Therefore, I, Brendan Byrne, Governor of the State of New Jersey, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and by the statutes of this State, do hereby proclaim that: