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

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

1. The director of the Division of Taxation is directed to extend the time for all applicants for homestead exemptions to file claims on or before April 1, 1977.

2. This Executive Order shall take effect immediately.

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

/s/ BRENDA N BYRNE,

Governor.

Attest:

/s/ JOHN J. DEGNAN,

Executive Secretary to the Governor.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

EXECUTIVE ORDER No. 52

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

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

WHEREAS, There remains a continuing need for the conservation of energy supplies by all citizens;
Now, Therefore, I, Brendan T. Byrne, Governor of the State of New Jersey, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and laws of this State, hereby order, proclaim and direct:

1. The state of emergency declared by Executive Order No. 48 is hereby terminated.

2. Executive Orders Nos. 48 and 49 are hereby rescinded.

3. All laws or regulations suspended by Executive Order Nos. 48 and 49 are hereby reinstated.

4. Energy Conservation measures imposed by Executive Order No. 13 on State-owned or State-leased buildings shall remain in effect.

5. All citizens are urged to continue conservation of energy supplies. During the air-conditioning season, I urge all New Jersey residents to keep air-conditioning thermostats at settings no lower than 78° Fahrenheit during occupied periods and at higher settings during unoccupied periods.

6. This Executive Order shall take effect immediately.

Given, under my hand and seal this 4th day of April 1977 in the year of Our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and seventy-seven of the Independence of the United States the two hundredth and first.

/s/ BRENDAN BYRNE,
Governor.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

EXECUTIVE ORDER No. 53

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