STATE OF FLORIDA

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBER 10-132

(Amending Executive Order 10-99, Amended by Executive Orders 10-100, 10-106, 10-115, and 10-131 – Emergency Management – Deepwater Horizon)

On April 30, 2010, I issued Executive Order 10-99 declaring a state of emergency due to the threat that oil leaking from Deepwater Horizon drilling platform and well poses to the State of Florida.

I found that this event threatens the State of Florida with a major disaster and proclaimed a state of emergency exists for the counties of Escambia, Santa Rosa, Okaloosa, Walton, Bay, and Gulf.

On May 3, 2010, I issued Executive Order 10-100, amending Executive Order 10-99 to include Franklin, Wakulla, Jefferson, Taylor, Dixie, Levy, Citrus, Hernando, Pasco, Pinellas, Hillsborough, Manatee, and Sarasota counties in the state of emergency.

On May 20, 2010, I issued Executive Order 10-106, amending Executive Order 10-99 and further amended by Executive Order 10-100 to include Charlotte, Lee, Collier, Monroe, Dade, Broward, and Palm Beach counties.

As of today, oil continues to spill from the well. All efforts to stop the discharge have either failed or have only marginally abated the flow, and thus the oil will likely continue to leak from the well for months. Moreover, the severe, detrimental impact of the spill will continue to affect Florida long after the discharge is stopped, due to the unprecedented amount of oil that has been introduced into the Gulf of Mexico. Depending on weather and ocean currents, this ecological disaster poses a potential threat to Florida's entire coastline.

As Governor, I am responsible to meet the dangers presented to this state and its people by this emergency. Therefore, by virtue of the authority vested in me by Article IV, Section 1(a) of the Florida Constitution and by the State Emergency Management Act (Chapter 252, Florida Statutes), and all other applicable laws, I issue the following Executive Order:

<u>Section 1</u>. Because of the foregoing conditions, I find that a continuation of the state of emergency is necessary, due to the threat that oil leaking from the Deepwater Horizon well poses to the State of Florida.

Section 2. I extend Executive Order 10-99, amended by Executive Order 10-100, 10-106, 10-115, and 10-131, for sixty (60) days through August 28, 2010.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Florida to be affixed, at Tallahassee, this 18th day of June, 2010.

GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

SECRETARY OF STATE

DEPARTMENT OF STATE
TALLAHASSEE, FIGBIN