



STATE OF ALABAMA
PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the State of Alabama experienced consecutive periods of severe winter weather, including ice, snow, sleet, freezing rain, as well as subfreezing temperatures (the "2014 Winter Weather");

WHEREAS, the 2014 Winter Weather caused extreme delays in the transportation of feed and chickens for the poultry industry;

WHEREAS, the Governor proclaimed a state of emergency on February 12, 2014, due to the danger to the public from mass poultry deaths potentially caused by the above-mentioned delays; and

WHEREAS, at the request of officials at the Alabama Emergency Management Agency and after consultation with other affected parties and entities, it has been determined that a State of Emergency no longer exists in the State of Alabama.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Robert Bentley, Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby acknowledge that the state of emergency proclaimed on February 12, 2014, shall hereby be terminated effective on February 26, 2014. The waiver issued pursuant to 49 CFR 390.23 to facilitate a waiver to the U.S. Department of Transportation – Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration, including, but not limited to, 49 CFR Section 395 (Hours of Service for Drivers), as it relates to the transportation of feed or live poultry, is hereby terminated.

BE IT ORDERED that the appropriate Alabama state agencies are hereby instructed to resume to their normal state of business and day-to-day operations.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the State Capitol in the City of Montgomery on this 26th day of February, 2014.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Robert Bentley". The signature is written in a cursive style and is positioned above a horizontal line.

Robert Bentley
Governor

ATTEST:

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jim Bennett". The signature is written in a cursive style and is positioned above a horizontal line.

Jim Bennett
Secretary of State