



THE STATE OF GEORGIA

EXECUTIVE ORDER

BY THE GOVERNOR:

WHEREAS: The State of Georgia holds title to certain real property consisting of approximately 979.92 acres by virtue of a December 31, 1941, Quitclaim Deed from United States of America, acting by and through the Federal Works Administrator, recorded in Tattnall County Clerk of Superior Court in Volume 4-U, Pages 87-94 (the "Property"); and

WHEREAS: Said Property is in the custody of the Georgia Department of Corrections (the "Department") which thereon operates Georgia State Prison as depicted on Exhibit "A", attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference; and

WHEREAS: Water Tower Number Two is located on the Property (the "Structure"), and said Structure was found by the Department to have failure of both the interior and exterior coating systems, penetrating rust throughout the exterior structure, and lead based paint; and

WHEREAS: By resolution dated June 7, 2012, the Board of Corrections determined the cost to repair the Structure far exceeds the cost of demolition, and authorized the Department's Commissioner to take all necessary steps, including execution of all necessary documents, to request an Executive Order from the Governor to allow for the razing, demolition, and disposal of the Structure; and

WHEREAS: The Department has funding available to raze, demolish and dispose of said Structure.

NOW, THEREFORE, PURSUANT TO THE AUTHORITY VESTED IN ME AS GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA, IT IS HEREBY

ORDERED: The Georgia Department of Corrections is hereby authorized and directed to provide for the razing, demolition and disposal of said Structure under the terms and conditions which are deemed to be in the best interests of the State of Georgia.

This 21 day of August, 2012.

Nathan Deal

GOVERNOR

Attest:

M. R.

EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

EXHIBIT "A"

