



# THE STATE OF GEORGIA

## EXECUTIVE ORDER

BY THE GOVERNOR:

**WHEREAS:** The State of Georgia leases approximately 1,775.74 acres of improved real property in Bartow County (the "Property") from the United States Secretary of the Army pursuant to a twenty-five year lease which commenced September 15, 2006, which lease is recorded in the State Properties Commission Real Property Records as RPR# 010293, which lease replaced that certain Department of Army Lease entered into between the Secretary of the Army and the Department of State Parks, State of Georgia, effective July 1, 1965; and

**WHEREAS:** Said Property is in the custody of the Department of Natural Resources and is operated as Red Top Mountain State Park; and

**WHEREAS:** The Property is improved with a 14,138 sq. ft. lodge (the "Lodge") which is owned by the State of Georgia and is inventoried as BLLIP Building ID # 26968 and is more particularly identified in an aerial photo attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and incorporated herein by reference; and

**WHEREAS:** The Lodge sustained fire damage in 2016; and

**WHEREAS:** The Georgia Board of Natural Resources declared that the Lodge was damaged beyond reasonable repair, recommended the removal of the Structure, and requested an Executive Order to authorize the demolition and disposal of the Lodge.

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

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

This 10<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2018.

  
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GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

  
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EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

Exhibit "A"

