

In THE NAME AND BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF IOWA

PROCLAMATION OF DISASTER EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, SEVERE WEATHER SPAWNING HEAVY RAINFALL, DAMAGING WINDS, TORNADOES, HAIL, AND FLOODING HAVE OCCURRED OVER MANY PARTS OF THE STATE FOR A PERIOD BEGINNING JUNE 1, 2010 AND CONTINUING; AND

WHEREAS, APPANOOSE, BLACK HAWK, BUCHANAN, BUENA VISTA, BUTLER, CHEROKEE, CLAY, CLAYTON, DAVIS, DECATUR, DELAWARE, DICKINSON, DUBUQUE, EMMET, FAYETTE, FRANKLIN, HAMILTON, HANCOCK, HOWARD, HUMBOLDT, JACKSON, JASPER, JEFFERSON, JONES, KOSSUTH, LEE, LUCAS, LYON, MAHASKA, MARION, MONROE, O'BRIEN, OSECOLA, PALO ALTO, POLK, RINGGOLD, SHELBY, SIOUX, TAYLOR, UNION, VAN BUREN, WAPELLO, WARREN, WEBSTER AND WRIGHT COUNTIES HAVE BEEN DECLARED A STATE DISASTER AREA AS A RESULT OF THE IMPACTS OF THIS SEVERE WEATHER AND FLOODING; AND

WHEREAS, MOTOR VEHICLES HAVE BEEN DAMAGED AND DESTROYED IN THESE DISASTER PROCLAIMED COUNTIES AS A RESULT OF THE SEVERE WEATHER AND FLOODING AND WILL REQUIRE REPAIR, SALVAGE, DEMOLITION, OR OTHER REMEDIAL ACTION REQUIRING PROOF OF OWNERSHIP OF THE VEHICLE; AND

WHEREAS, THE REGISTRATION CARD, PLATE, OR PAIR OF PLATES FOR SOME OF THE DAMAGED OR DESTROYED VEHICLES WAS LOST OR MADE ILLEGIBLE AND THE ORIGINAL CERTIFICATE OF TITLE FOR SOME VEHICLES WAS LOST OR DESTROYED AS A RESULT OF THE SEVERE WEATHER AND FLOODING; AND

WHEREAS, STRICT COMPLIANCE WITH THOSE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 321 OF THE IOWA CODE IMPOSING FEES FOR OBTAINING A REPLACEMENT REGISTRATION CARD, PLATE OR PAIR OF PLATES, OR A REPLACEMENT COPY OF AN ORIGINAL CERTIFICATE OF TITLE, WILL BE AN ADDITIONAL EXPENSE AND HARDSHIP TO PERSONS WHO HAVE SUFFERED LOSSES AND DAMAGES AS A RESULT OF THE SEVERE WEATHER AND FLOODING AND WILL PREVENT, HINDER OR DELAY REPLACEMENT OF THOSE NECESSARY DOCUMENTS AND ITEMS; AND

WHEREAS, STRICT COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 321.42(2)(b) OF THE IOWA CODE, WHICH IMPOSES A FIVE-DAY WAITING PERIOD FOR ISSUING A REPLACEMENT COPY OF AN ORIGINAL CERTIFICATE OF TITLE TO AN OWNER OF THE VEHICLE, WOULD PREVENT, HINDER OR DELAY REPAIR AND REPLACEMENT OF VEHICLES DAMAGED OR DESTROYED AS A RESULT OF THE SEVERE WEATHER AND FLOODING; AND

WHEREAS, REPAIR AND REPLACEMENT OF VEHICLES DAMAGED OR DESTROYED AS A RESULT OF THE FLOODING AND/OR DAM FAILURE AND REPLACEMENT OF REGISTRATION CARDS, PLATES OR PAIRS OF PLATES LOST OR MADE ILLEGIBLE AS A RESULT OF THE SEVERE WEATHER AND FLOODING IS NECESSARY TO COPE WITH THE EMERGENCY PRESENTED BY SAID STORMS:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, CHESTER J. CULVER, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF IOWA, BY THE POWER AND AUTHORITY VESTED IN ME BY THE IOWA CONSTITUTION, ARTICLE IV, SECTIONS 1 AND 8 AND IOWA CODE SECTION 29C.6(1), DO HEREBY PROCLAIM:

1. PURSUANT TO IOWA CODE § 29C.6(6), I DO HEREBY SUSPEND THE REGULATORY PROVISIONS OF IOWA CODE § 321.42(2)(b) PRESCRIBING A FIVE (5) DAY WAITING PERIOD FOR ISSUANCE OF A REPLACEMENT COPY OF AN ORIGINAL CERTIFICATE OF TITLE TO THE OWNER OF A VEHICLE, AS APPLIED TO AN OWNER WHOSE ORIGINAL CERTIFICATE OF TITLE WAS LOST OR DESTROYED AS A RESULT OF THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED SEVERE WEATHER AND FLOODING. A WRITTEN STATEMENT BY THE OWNER, IN OR APPENDED TO THE OWNER'S APPLICATION FOR REPLACEMENT COPY OF ORIGINAL CERTIFICATE OF TITLE, CONFIRMING THAT THE ORIGINAL CERTIFICATE

OF TITLE WAS LOST OR DESTROYED AS A RESULT OF THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED SEVERE WEATHER AND FLOODING SHALL BE REQUIRED TO INVOKE THIS SUSPENSION.

- 2. PURSUANT TO IOWA CODE § 29C.6(6), I DO HEREBY SUSPEND THE REGULATORY PROVISIONS OF IOWA CODE § 321.42(2)(a) PRESCRIBING A FEE FOR ISSUANCE OF A REPLACEMENT COPY OF AN ORIGINAL CERTIFICATE OF TITLE, AS APPLIED TO AN OWNER OR LIENHOLDER WHOSE ORIGINAL CERTIFICATE OF TITLE WAS LOST OR DESTROYED AS A RESULT OF THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED SEVERE WEATHER AND FLOODING. A WRITTEN STATEMENT BY THE OWNER OR LIENHOLDER, IN OR APPENDED TO THE OWNER'S OR LIENHOLDER'S APPLICATION FOR REPLACEMENT COPY OF ORIGINAL CERTIFICATE OF TITLE, CONFIRMING THAT THE ORIGINAL CERTIFICATE OF TITLE WAS LOST OR DESTROYED AS A RESULT OF THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED SEVERE WEATHER AND FLOODING SHALL BE REQUIRED TO INVOKE THIS SUSPENSION.
- 3. PURSUANT TO IOWA CODE § 29C.6(6), I DO HEREBY SUSPEND THE REGULATORY PROVISIONS OF IOWA CODE § 321.42(1) PRESCRIBING A FEE FOR ISSUANCE OF A REPLACEMENT REGISTRATION CARD, PLATE OR PAIR OF PLATES, AS APPLIED TO ANY REGISTRATION CARD, PLATE OR PAIR OF PLATES LOST IN OR MADE ILLEGIBLE AS A RESULT OF THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED SEVERE WEATHER AND FLOODING. A WRITTEN STATEMENT BY THE OWNER, IN OR APPENDED TO THE APPLICATION FOR SAME, CONFIRMING THAT THE REGISTRATION CARD, PLATE OR PAIR OF PLATES WAS LOST OR MADE ILLEGIBLE AS A RESULT OF THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED SEVERE WEATHER AND FLOODING SHALL BE REQUIRED TO INVOKE THIS SUSPENSION.

THE SUSPENSIONS LISTED IN PARAGRAPHS "1" TO "3" ABOVE APPLY TO ORIGINAL CERTIFICATES OF TITLE, REGISTRATION CARDS, PLATES OR PAIRS OF PLATES ISSUED IN ANY OF THE COUNTIES OF IOWA, AND MAY BE RELIED UPON BY THE TREASURERS OF ANY OF THE COUNTIES OF IOWA, SO LONG AS THE RESPECTIVE LOSS, DESTRUCTION, OR ILLEGIBILITY OCCURRED AS A RESULT OF THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED SEVERE WEATHER AND FLOODING.

THIS EMERGENCY PROCLAMATION IS EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY AND WILL REMAIN IN EFFECT FOR 30 DAYS.

ATTEST:

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MICHAEL MAURO SECRETARY OF STATE IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I HAVE HERE-UNTO SUBSCRIBED MY NAME AND CAUSED THE GREAT SEAL OF THE STATE OF IOWA TO BE AFFIXED. DONE AT DES MOINES THIS 29TH DAY OF JULY IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD TWO THOUS AND TEN.

CHESTER J. CULVER GOVERNOR OF IOWA