ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER

BY THE COMMISSIONER

WHEREAS: Georgia’s coastal beaches seaward of the ordinary high water mark are property of the State of Georgia.

WHEREAS: Custody and control of these tidal waterbottoms are vested in the Governor pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 50-16-61.

WHEREAS: The Governor delegated to the Commissioner the authority to act on behalf of the Governor regarding tidal waterbottoms.

NOW, THEREFORE, BY VIRTUE OF THE POWER VESTED IN ME AS THE COMMISSIONER OF NATURAL RESOURCES, IT IS HEREBY

ORDERED: That the use of chairs, tents, umbrellas, and/or coolers on Georgia’s coastal beaches seaward of the ordinary high water mark is prohibited, effective immediately.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED: That this Order, unless terminated or extended by me, shall expire at 11:59 p.m. on May 6, 2020.

This 29th Day of April, 2020.

Mark Williams
COMMISSIONER OF NATURAL RESOURCES