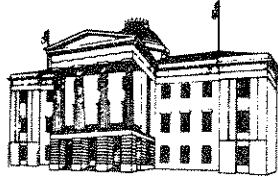


State of North Carolina



MICHAEL F. EASLEY
GOVERNOR

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 97

EXTENDING EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 95 EMERGENCY RELIEF FOR DAMAGE CAUSED BY HURRICANE KATRINA

Executive Order No. 95 and 87, which amended Executive Order No. 81 pertaining to emergency relief for damage caused by Hurricane Katrina and amended to apply only to the transport of mobile homes under contract with the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) as part of the disaster relief effort is hereby extended until January 31, 2006.

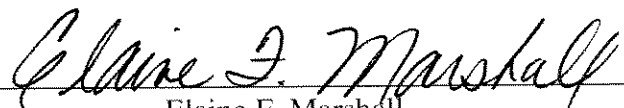
This executive order is effective immediately.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of North Carolina at the Capitol in Raleigh, this the 5th day of January 2006.




Michael F. Easley
Governor

ATTEST:


Elaine F. Marshall
Secretary of State