

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
BY HIS EXCELLENCY
DANNEL P. MALLOY
GOVERNOR
EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 22

SECRETARY OF THE STATE
CAPITOL OFFICE

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WHEREAS, a declaration of civil preparedness emergency was issued by the Governor on October 27, 2012 due to weather forecasts indicating that all or part of Connecticut will be directly affected by Hurricane Sandy, which is predicted to subject the state to a combined tropical and winter super storm, including torrential rainfall, strong winds, and potential coastal and inland flooding over a prolonged period of time;

WHEREAS, Connecticut General Statutes section 28-9(b) authorizes and empowers the Governor to take such steps as are reasonably necessary in light of such emergency to protect the health, safety and welfare of the people of the state, and to modify and suspend in whole or in part, any statute, regulation or requirement or part thereof, whenever the Governor is of the opinion that it is in conflict with the efficient and expeditious execution of civil preparedness functions;

WHEREAS, beginning Monday morning, October 29, 2012, the state has begun to experience unprecedented weather conditions, which will likely include flooding, fallen trees, and widespread power outages that will inevitably cause widespread disruption to telecommunications services within the state;

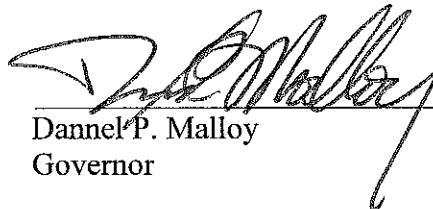
WHEREAS, the prompt and complete restoration of telecommunications services are essential element of an expeditious recovery from the storm;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Dannel P. Malloy, Governor of the State of Connecticut, by virtue of the authority vested in me, do hereby **ORDER** and **DIRECT** the suspension or modification of the following statutes, regulations or requirements under the following conditions for the reasons stated above:

1. Except as otherwise stated in this Order, the Public Service Technician registration requirements of Section 20-340b of the General Statutes are temporarily waived for any individual who is properly credentialed to perform such work by a state other than Connecticut provided that such individual engages in such electrical work as their usual employment in that state.

This Executive Order shall take effect immediately upon filing with office of the Secretary of State and shall be effective for a period of time not to exceed thirty (30) days unless sooner revoked.

Dated at Hartford, Connecticut, this 29th day of October 2012.


Dannel P. Malloy
Governor

By His Excellency's Order



Denise Merrill
Secretary of the State

