

# STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

Office of the Governor



## A PROCLAMATION

**WHEREAS**, on October 11, 2016, I, Phil Bryant, Governor of the State of Mississippi, pursuant to the authority vested in me under the Constitution of the State of Mississippi and Miss. Code Ann. Sections 33-15-5(g) and 33-15-11(b)(1) and (17), and in the public interest and for the general welfare, proclaimed a State of Emergency and prohibited any outdoor burning in the following counties:

ADAMS, ALCORN, AMITE, ATTALA, BENTON, BOLIVAR, CARROLL, CLAY, CHICKASAW, CHOCTAW, COAHOMA, DESOTO, GRENADA, HINDS, HOLMES, HUMPHREYS, ISSAQUENA, ITAWAMBA, LAFAYETTE, LAUDERDALE, LEAKE, LEE, LEFLORE, LOWNDES, MADISON, MARSHALL, MONROE, MONTGOMERY, NESHOPA, NEWTON, NOXUBEE, OKTIBBEHA, PANOLA, PONTOTOC, PRENTISS, QUITMAN, RANKIN, SCOTT, SHARKEY, SUNFLOWER, TALLAHATCHIE, TATE, TIPPAH, TISHOMINGO, TUNICA, UNION, WARREN, WASHINGTON, WEBSTER, WINSTON, YALOBUSHA, and YAZOO; and

**WHEREAS**, the Proclamation of October 11, 2016, concerned extremely dry conditions and fire danger that no longer threaten public safety as prescribed in Section 33-15-11(b)(17):

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Phil Bryant, Governor of the State of Mississippi, pursuant to the authority vested in me under the Constitution of the State of Mississippi and Miss. Code Ann. Section 33-15-11(b)(17), do hereby issue this Proclamation to declare that the Partial State Level Burn Ban pronounced on October 11, 2016, no longer exists and is hereby terminated. This Proclamation does not rescind or alter any order issued by a county board of supervisors that prohibits or restricts outdoor burning.



**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed.

**DONE** in the City of Jackson, on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of December in the year of our Lord, two thousand sixteen, and of the Independence of the United States of America, the two hundred and forty-first.



PHIL BRYANT  
GOVERNOR

BY THE GOVERNOR



C. DELBERT HOSEMANN, JR.  
SECRETARY OF STATE