



# THE STATE OF GEORGIA

## EXECUTIVE ORDER

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BY THE GOVERNOR:

**WHEREAS:** Hurricanes Katrina and Rita have had significant impact on the Gulf Coast regions of Louisiana, Mississippi and Alabama, thereby adversely affecting the motor fuel supplies to the State of Georgia;

**WHEREAS:** The impact of Hurricanes Katrina and Rita are still being experienced in Georgia;

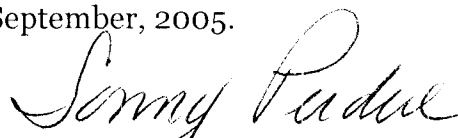
**WHEREAS:** Price gouging related to motor fuels is detrimental to the social and economic welfare of the citizens of Georgia; and

**WHEREAS:** In light of these circumstances and with the authority vested in the Governor by virtue of Article 3, Section 38-3-51, of the Georgia Emergency Management Act of 1981, as amended to issue reasonable orders, rules and regulations as are deemed necessary to protect public health, safety and welfare, and to bring the situation under control within the acknowledged limitations of the powers of the Governor.

**NOW, THEREFORE, PURSUANT TO THE  
AUTHORITY VESTED IN ME AS GOVERNOR OF  
THE STATE OF GEORGIA, IT IS HEREBY**

**ORDERED:** That the State of Emergency previously declared on August 31, 2005 for the State of Georgia be and is hereby extended until midnight on October 14, 2005 or until the end of an additional period of time as may be authorized by further Executive Orders.

This 29th day of September, 2005.

  
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GOVERNOR