



THE STATE OF GEORGIA

EXECUTIVE ORDER

BY THE GOVERNOR:

WHEREAS: The Clerk of Superior Court of Irwin County, Sharon H. Martin, was indicted October 23, 2006, on eleven counts of Theft by Conversion and eleven counts of Violation of Oath of Office; and

WHEREAS: The indictment was transmitted to the Governor pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 45-5-6 (b), and the certified copy was received on October 30, 2006; and

WHEREAS: The clerk has voluntarily authorized the Governor to suspend her from office.

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

ORDERED: That Ms. Martin, Clerk of Superior Court of Irwin County, is hereby suspended from office immediately and without further action pending the final disposition of the case or until the expiration of her term of office, whichever occurs first, as provided in O.C.G.A. § 45-5-6(c).

This 23rd day of November, 2006.


GOVERNOR