

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 830

WHEREAS, the State of Mississippi has been and will continue to be adversely affected by extreme forest wildfire danger beginning February 25, 2000, and as a result thereof severe wildfire conditions and forest fires are occurring over wide areas of Mississippi causing damage to public and private property timberland; and

WHEREAS, the Mississippi Forestry Commission has requested the imposition of a statewide open burning ban to cope with said disaster.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Ronnie Musgrove, Governor of the State of Mississippi, pursuant to the authority vested in me by Section 119 and Section 217, Mississippi Constitution of 1890, and Sections 7-1-5, 33-3-301, et. seq., Mississippi Code of 1972, as amended do hereby declare a statewide ban of all outdoor open burning. The State Forester as the representative of the Mississippi Forestry Commission has the authority to lift the burning ban as weather and fire danger conditions permit, and the State Forester as the representative of the Mississippi Forestry Commission has the authority to lift the burning ban in local areas as local weather and fire danger conditions permit.

IN ADDITION, all other state and local entities of government are directed to cooperate with the State Forestry Commission and the Mississippi Emergency Management Commission to accomplish the purposes of this Executive Order.

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

DONE at the Capitol, in the City of Jackson, February 25, 2000, in the two hundred and twenty-fourth year of the United States of America.

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BY THE GOVERNOR

SECRETARY OF STATE

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 832

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS:

WHEREAS, William Sherman, MDOC No. 12089, was sentenced on November 4, 1999, in Copiah County, Mississippi, to serve ten (10) years in the Mississippi State Penitentiary, on the charge of Unlawful Possession of More Than 10 Grams of Methamphetamine; and

WHEREAS, William Sherman, MDOC No. 12089, was on January 5, 2000, granted a conditional Governor's Suspension of Sentence; and

WHEREAS, having reasonable cause to believe that William Sherman, MDOC No. 12089, a prisoner of the State of Mississippi, conditionally released from the Mississippi Department of Corrections, has violated the terms of Executive Order No. 820 in which he was granted a conditional suspension of sentence by failure to abide by curfew, failure to live at his stated residence, failure to obey the law by committing disturbing the peace, and failure to abide his special conditions.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Ronnie Musgrove, Governor of the State of Mississippi, pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Constitution and Laws of this State, do hereby order the said William Sherman, MDOC No. 12089, to be retaken and returned to the said Mississippi State Penitentiary and into the actual custody of the Warden or Superintendent, and I hereby authorize and require you to so retake him and for so doing, this shall be your sufficient warrant.

This Executive Order rescinds Executive Order No. 820.

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

DONE at the Capitol, in the City of Jackson, March 6, 2000, in the two hundred and twenty-fourth year of the United States of America.

G O V E R N O R

BY THE GOVERNOR

SECRETARY OF STATE