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Emergency Order 020322

(Pursuant to Executive Orders 22-27 and 22-28)

Emergency Management – Freezing Temperatures, Harm to Agriculture

WHEREAS, on February 2, 2022, Governor Ron DeSantis signed Executive Order 22-27 that granted the Executive Director of the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles (HSMV) authorization to waive the hours of service requirements for commercial motor vehicles that enter Florida to provide emergency services or supplies, or to transport emergency equipment, supplies, personnel or agricultural food commodities and citrus pursuant to section 316.302, Florida Statutes.

WHEREAS, on February 2, 2022, HSMV Emergency Order 020222 was issued, waiving said hours of service pursuant to Executive Order 22-27 in the following counties: Brevard, Broward, Charlotte, Citrus, Collier, Daytona, DeSoto, Hardee, Hendry, Hernando, Highlands, Hillsborough, Indian River, Lake, Lee, Manatee, Martin, Miami-Dade, Monroe, Okeechobee, Orange, Osceola, Palm Beach, Pasco, Pinellas, Polk, Sarasota, Seminole, St. Lucie, Sumter, and Volusia.

WHEREAS, on February 3, 2022, Governor Ron DeSantis signed Executive Order 22-28, amending and ratifying Executive Order 22-27, to declare a state of emergency to exist in the following counties: Brevard, Broward, Charlotte, Citrus, Collier, DeSoto, Glades, Hardee, Hendry, Hernando, Highlands, Hillsborough, Indian River, Lake, Lee, Manatee, Martin, Miami-Dade, Monroe, Okeechobee, Orange, Osceola, Palm Beach, Pasco, Pinellas, Polk, Sarasota, Seminole, St. Lucie, Sumter, and Volusia.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, TERRY L. RHODES, Executive Director of the Department, pursuant to the authority granted by Executive Orders 22-27 and 22-28, affirm, ratify and amend HSMV Emergency Order 020222 to be effective in the following counties: Brevard, Broward, Charlotte, Citrus, Collier, DeSoto, Glades, Hardee, Hendry, Hernando, Highlands, Hillsborough, Indian River, Lake, Lee, Manatee,

Martin, Miami-Dade, Monroe, Okeechobee, Orange, Osceola, Palm Beach, Pasco, Pinellas, Polk, Sarasota, Seminole, St. Lucie, Sumter, and Volusia.

This order shall expire on the earlier of the expiration or rescission of Executive Orders 22-27 and 22-28, HSMV Emergency Order 020222 or 11:59 PM on March 4, 2022, unless extended by me.

Executed this 3rd day of February, 2022.

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Terry Rhodes
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Terry L. Rhodes, Executive Director