

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
BY HIS EXCELLENCY
DANNEL P. MALLOY
GOVERNOR
EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 24

SECRETARY OF THE STATE
CAPITOL OFFICE

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WHEREAS, a declaration of civil preparedness emergency was issued by the Governor on October 27, 2012 due to weather forecasts indicating that all or part of Connecticut will be directly affected by Hurricane Sandy, which is predicted to subject the state to a combined tropical and winter super storm, including torrential rainfall, strong winds, and potential coastal and inland flooding over a prolonged period of time;

WHEREAS, Connecticut General Statutes section 28-9(b) authorizes and empowers the Governor to take such steps as are reasonably necessary in light of such emergency to protect the health, safety and welfare of the people of the state, and to modify and suspend in whole or in part, any statute, regulation or requirement or part thereof, whenever the Governor is of the opinion that it is in conflict with the efficient and expeditious execution of civil preparedness functions or the protection of the public health;

WHEREAS, section 12-41 of the General Statutes requires the filing of a personal property declaration on or before November 1, 2012;

WHEREAS, section 12-42 of the General Statutes requires the filing of a request for an extension of the date for filing a personal property tax declaration on or before November 1, 2012;

WHEREAS, with limited exceptions, declarations or extensions not filed by November 1, 2012 are considered delinquent and a penalty is assessed;

WHEREAS, conditions resulting from the storm may have prevented individuals from being able to prepare the documentation necessary to file the personal property tax declaration or request an extension;

WHEREAS, conditions resulting from the storm pose a danger to persons who may attempt to travel to town hall to file a personal property tax declaration or a request for extension in person;

WHEREAS, in light of the emergency conditions it is appropriate to extend the deadline for filing a personal property tax declaration or to request an extension to give individuals the opportunity to properly file their declarations and requests for extensions, even in towns where power may have been restored or had not experienced a power outage prior to November 1, 2012;

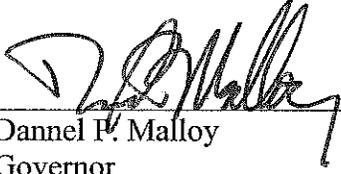
NOW, THEREFORE, I, Dannel P. Malloy, Governor of the State of Connecticut, by virtue of the authority vested in me, do hereby **ORDER** and **DIRECT** the suspension or modification of the following statutes, regulations or requirements under the following conditions for the reasons stated above:

1. Except as otherwise stated in this Order, Sections 12-41 and 12-42 of the General Statutes are modified to the extent that the deadline for all persons to file their personal property tax declarations or to request an extension of the deadline to file their personal property tax declarations shall be November 15, 2012. Sections 12-41 and 12-42 of the General Statutes are further modified to waive any penalty that would otherwise be permitted to be assessed for the failure to file a personal property tax declaration or for the failure to request an extension by November 1, 2012.

This Executive Order shall take effect immediately upon filing with office of the Secretary of State and shall be effective for a period of time not to exceed thirty (30) days unless sooner revoked.

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Dated at Hartford, Connecticut, this 29th day of October 2012.



Dannel P. Malloy
Governor

By His Excellency's Order



Denise Merrill
Secretary of the State