

Planning Agency pursuant to the Maryland Civil Defense Act of 1949; and

WHEREAS, Pursuant to PL93-288 (the Disaster Relief Act of 1974), the General Assembly has enacted Chapter 666, Acts of 1975, amending the State Civil Defense laws; and

WHEREAS, Pursuant to the 1974 Federal Act, the regulations adopted in accordance with it, and the 1975 amendments to the State Civil Defense laws, the Disaster Assistance Plan approved by me on October 24, 1974, has been amended; and

WHEREAS, The law calls for me, as Governor, to approve the new plan, as developed by the Maryland Civil Defense and Disaster Preparedness Agency, in order for it to take effect; and

WHEREAS, All departments and agencies of the State which have responsibilities in disaster assistance operations have reviewed and concurred in the new plan;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MARVIN MANDEL, GOVERNOR OF MARYLAND, BY VIRTUE OF THE AUTHORITY VESTED IN ME BY ARTICLE 16A, SECTION 6 OF THE ANNOTATED CODE OF MARYLAND, AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 41, SECTION 15CA OF SAID CODE, HEREBY PROMULGATE THE FOLLOWING ORDER EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY:

1. The Executive Order, dated October 24, 1974, is hereby revoked.

2. The Maryland Disaster Assistance Plan developed by the Maryland Civil Defense and Disaster Preparedness Agency, and attached hereto as part of this Executive Order, is approved.

3. The normal budgetary process and procedures shall be utilized to fund the State's obligation under the plan.

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EXECUTIVE ORDER OF OCTOBER 8, 1975

MARYLAND COUNCIL ON THE ENVIRONMENT

WHEREAS, By Executive Order of April 22, 1970, I created the Maryland Council on the Environment as a