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EXECUTIVE ORDER OF APRIL 25, 1985

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COMMUTATION

LEO ABRAHAM CEPHAS

- WHEREAS, Leo Abraham Cephas, Grantee, has been convicted of Murder-First Degree and Assault and Battery and was sentenced to life plus 10 years imprisonment on September 6, 1974, Indictment Numbers 3042 and 3043, in the Dorchester County Circuit Court; and
- WHEREAS, Leo Abraham Cephas has maintained an excellent institutional adjustment since his incarceration at the Maryland Penitentiary; and
- WHEREAS, The Maryland Parole Commission, in consideration of his institutional adjustment, his age, and his medical condition, had unanimously recommended that the sentence of Leo Abraham Cephas be commuted; and
- WHEREAS, Article 41, Section 107(d), of the Annotated Code of Maryland provides that a commutation of sentence shall be in the form of a written executive order signed by the Governor under the great seal of Maryland;
- NOW, THEREFORE, I, HARRY HUGHES, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND, BY VIRTUE OF THE AUTHORITY VESTED IN ME BY THE CONSTITUTION AND LAWS OF MARYLAND, HEREBY ORDER THAT THE LIFE PLUS 10 YEAR SENTENCE OF LEO ABRAHAM CEPHAS, GRANTEE, BE COMMUTED TO THIRTY YEARS, AS RECOMMEND BY THE MARYLAND PAROLE COMMISSION.

EXECUTIVE ORDER OF MAY 21, 1985

01.01.1985.11

SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATIONS - NORMALIZATION OF OPERATIONS

WHEREAS, On May 14, 1985, 4:47 p.m., by Executive Order (Proclamation), I declared a state of public crisis and emergency in the State of Maryland due to the financial instability of savings and loan associations insured by the