EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 84-31

WHEREAS, I have been informed by the State Law Enforcement Division that a prisoner has escaped from the custody of the Berkeley County Sheriff's Department and that the prisoner is armed and dangerous; and

WHEREAS, the escaped prisoner poses an imminent threat of violence to the residents of Berkeley County; and

WHEREAS, it appears to me that a danger exists to the citizens of Berkeley County and that the peace and tranquility of Berkeley County is threatened; and

WHEREAS, the Governor if temporarily absent from the State on an industry seeking mission;

NOW THEREFORE, pursuant to the authority vested in me by Article IV §11 of the South Carolina Constitution and Section 1-3-410, et seq., South Carolina Code of Laws, 1976, I hereby
declare that an emergency exists in Berkeley County and order the State Law Enforcement Division to assist all law enforcement agencies in apprehending the escaped prisoner. This Order shall remain in effect until the escaped prisoner is captured.


MICHAEL DANIEL
Lieutenant Governor

ATTEST:

JOHN T. CAMPBELL
Secretary of State