WHEREAS, Charles Dawley, Sheriff of Charleston County, died in office on or about October 27, 1987; and

WHEREAS, as a result of his death there will exist a vacancy in the office of Charleston County Sheriff on and after October 27, 1987; and

WHEREAS, Section 23-11-40, Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, empowers the Governor to fill any vacancy in the office of Sheriff in any county of this state by appointing some suitable person, who shall be an elector of such county; and

WHEREAS, Section 7-13-190, Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, provides the manner in which a special election shall be called to fill vacancies in office.

WHEREAS, I am mindful of the duty and responsibility vested in me as Governor by the Constitution and laws of this state;
NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of such authority, I hereby appoint Michael O’Dowd to serve the unexpired term as Sheriff of Charleston County, until a successor is duly elected and qualified to serve. A special election to determine a successor shall be held on Tuesday, March 1, 1988 with a primary runoff date determined by law.

This Order shall be effective on November 3, 1987.

given under my hand and the great seal of the state of South Carolina, this 3rd day of November, 1987.

Carroll A. Campbell, Jr.
Governor

Attest:

John T. Campbell
Secretary of State