

*State of Maine*



WHEREAS, a severe winter storm is advancing on Maine; and

WHEREAS, this storm will bring snow, sleet, freezing rain and hazardous build-up of icing to some or all parts of Maine; and

WHEREAS, travel conditions will be life-threatening, and widespread power outages are probable; and

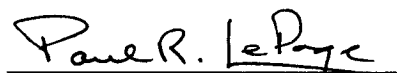
WHEREAS, public health and safety is threatened, and public property is endangered by this storm; and

WHEREAS, the resources of many cities and towns are or will soon be exhausted; and

WHEREAS, the resources of the State of Maine may be needed to protect citizens and property;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Paul R. LePage, Governor of the State of Maine, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and the Statutes of the State of Maine, do hereby declare that a State of Emergency exists.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I  
have caused the Great Seal of the  
State to be hereunto affixed Given  
under my hand at Augusta this 22<sup>nd</sup>  
Day of December, 2013

  
Paul R. LePage  
Governor

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Matthew Dunlap  
Secretary of State  
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