

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

Charleston

A PROCLAMATION

By the Governor

I, **EARL RAY TOMBLIN**, by virtue of the authority vested in the Governor by Section 7, Article VII of the Constitution of West Virginia, do hereby **AMEND** my Proclamation dated the twenty-ninth day of July, two thousand eleven, calling the Legislature of West Virginia to convene in Extraordinary Session at twelve o'clock noon on the first day of August, two thousand eleven, in its chambers in the State Capitol, City of Charleston, by amending the third item thereof and by including therein a tenth item, all to read as follows:

THIRD: Legislation increasing the maximum aggregate amount to be deposited into the "Revenue Shortfall Reserve Fund," as provided in subsection (b), section twenty, article two, chapter eleven-b of the Code of West Virginia, from ten percent of total appropriations from the State Fund, General Revenue, to a percentage not to exceed fifteen percent of total appropriations from the State Fund, General Revenue, for fiscal years ending on and after June 30, 2011; reducing the rate of consumers sales and service tax and use tax on the sale, purchase and use of food and food ingredients intended for human consumption by an amount not to exceed one-half of one percent of the "sales price," as defined in section two, article fifteen-b, chapter eleven of the Code of West Virginia, beginning January 1, 2012; further reducing the rate of consumers sales and service tax and use tax on the sale, purchase and use of food and food ingredients intended for human consumption by an amount not to exceed one-half of one percent of the "sales price," as defined in section two, article fifteen-b, chapter eleven of the Code of West Virginia, beginning January 1, 2013, contingent on certain balances in the Revenue Shortfall Reserve Fund; eliminating the consumers sales and service tax and use tax on the sale, purchase and use of food and food ingredients intended for human consumption beginning January 1, 2014, contingent on certain balances in the Revenue Shortfall Reserve Fund; and specifying certain internal effective dates.

TENTH: A supplemental appropriation bill to fund 0155, fiscal year 2012, organization 1600, of the Secretary of State account.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of West Virginia to be affixed.



By the Governor

DONE at the Capitol in the City of Charleston, State of West Virginia, this third day of August, in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand Eleven, and in the One Hundred Forty-Ninth year of the State.

Earl Ray Tomblin

GOVERNOR

Walter E. Scott

SECRETARY OF STATE