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State of Rhode Island

Daniel J. McKee
Governor

EXECUTIVE ORDER

21-115

December 10, 2021

EXTENSION OF EXECUTIVE ORDERS 21-87 AND 21-109

WHEREAS, on March 9, 2020, Executive Order 20-02 was issued for a declaration of a state of emergency due to the dangers to health and life posed by COVID-19 and that Order has been extended through at least December 23, 2021;

WHEREAS, on August 19, 2021, I issued Executive Order 21-87 requiring masks in schools and that Order has been extended through December 11, 2021; and

WHEREAS, on November 12, 2021, I issued Executive Order 21-109 affirming the disaster emergency that was first declared on August 19, 2021 for new COVID-19 variants and that Order has been extended through December 11, 2021.

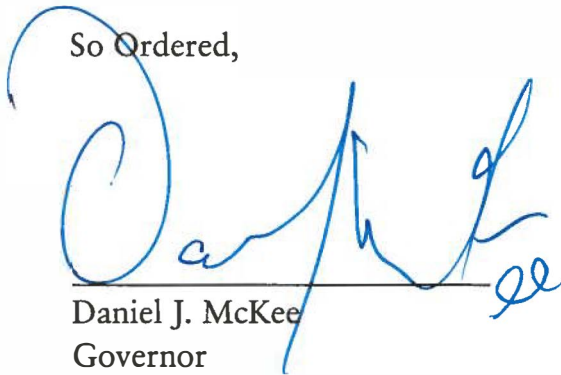
NOW, THEREFORE, I, DANIEL J. MCKEE, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor of the State of Rhode Island, pursuant to Article IX of the Rhode Island Constitution and the Rhode Island General Laws, including, but not limited to, Title 30, Chapter 15, and Title 23, Chapter 8, do hereby extend the following Executive Orders:

1. Executive Order 21-87 (Requiring Masks in Schools).

2. Executive Order 21-109 (Declaration of Disaster Emergency for New COVID-19 Variants).

This Order shall take effect immediately and remain in full force and effect through January 8, 2022 unless renewed, modified or terminated by a subsequent Executive Order.

So Ordered,



Daniel J. McKee
Governor