



THE STATE OF GEORGIA

EXECUTIVE ORDER

BY THE GOVERNOR:

WHEREAS: Spalding County District 5 Commissioner Donald F. Hawbaker was indicted on October 29, 2020, on one count of Aggravated Assault, Family Violence, one count of Possession of Firearm During Commission of a Felony, five counts of Aggravated Assault on a Peace Officer, and one count of Possession of Firearm During Commission of a Felony; and

WHEREAS: The indictment was transmitted to the Governor pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 45-5-6(b), and the certified copy was received on November 4, 2020; and

WHEREAS: The fourteen-day period following the receipt of the indictment as prescribed by O.C.G.A. § 45-5-6(e) has passed.

NOW, THEREFORE, BY VIRTUE OF THE AUTHORITY VESTED IN ME AS GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA, IT IS HEREBY

ORDERED: That Attorney General Christopher Carr, Commissioner Terry Goodger of White County, and Commissioner Nancy Thrash of Lamar County are hereby appointed as the review commission to determine whether the indictment relates to and adversely affects the administration of the office of Commissioner Hawbaker such that the rights and interests of the public are adversely affected thereby and to make a written report to me within fourteen days with a recommendation as to whether said commissioner should be suspended from office as required by O.C.G.A. § 45-5-6(e).

This 7th day of December, 2020.

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GOVERNOR